

WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEFER, Governor

May 27, 1988

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 443.

This bill streamlines the regulatory process for child care by consolidating the regulatory authority for child care into a single agency, the Department of Human Resources.

House Bill 767, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 17, 1988, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 443.

Sincerely,
William Donald Schaefer
Governor

Senate Bill No. 443

AN ACT concerning

Child Care - Consolidation

FOR the purpose of streamlining the regulatory process for child care by consolidating certain regulatory authority in the Department of Human Resources; transferring responsibility for child care centers from the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to the Department of Human Resources; providing that child care centers shall include certain facilities under certain circumstances; providing a certain exemption for certain religious organizations; providing that ~~the Administrative--Procedure--Act~~ certain provisions will govern when immediate suspension of the child care license becomes necessary under certain circumstances; repealing certain injunction provisions; providing for a certain multidisciplinary team to convene when reports are made involving child care centers; providing for State Police assistance to a local law enforcement agency under certain circumstances; providing that this Act shall supersede certain local laws, ordinances, and regulations;; providing for the transfer of certain employees of local governments to the Department of Human Resources under certain circumstances; requiring the Department of Human