With kindest regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,

(s) J. MILLARD TAWES, Governor.

JMT/S/ss enclo.

Which was read and journalized.

Vetoed by the Governor May 8, 1961

House Bill No. 742—By Mr. Wilkinson:

AN ACT to authorize the creation of a State Debt in the aggregate amount of Eight Million Dollars (\$8,000,000), the proceeds thereof to be used by Maryland Port Authority for acquisition of and improvements to certain port facilities, and providing generally for the issue and sale of Certificates of Indebtedness evidencing such loan.

The Speaker put the question: Shall the bill pass notwithstanding the objections of the Executive?

AFFIRMATIVE—NONE

NEGATIVE

Speaker, Combs, Fowler, Joiner, Brockmeyer, Larrimore, McNulty Melvin, Ridout, Whitmore, Dowell, Hance, Linton, Mitchell, Boone, Culver, MacDaniel, Maguire, Staten, Tyler, Harrison, Latham, Lowe, Long, Parks, Quinn, Bennett, Corkran, Matthews, Merryweather, Burkley, Harris, Mackie, Garbelman, Machen, Nichols, Sasscer, Sickles, Eaton, Risley, Hickman, Pilchard, Polk, Collins, Houck, Smelser, Utterback, Virts, Getz, Hess, Moore, Davis, Blades, Wise, Bullock, Dembowski, Kosakowski, Nowakowski, Silk, Walters, Antonelli, Behounek, Hedrick, Holub, Panuska, Urban, Acker, Brooks, Curran, Gallagher, McNeal, O'Malley, Abramson, Dixon, Friedman, Robinson, Rombro, Welcome, Bacharach, Cardin, Mandel, Resnick, Silver, Stark, Baumann, Baynes, Bittner, Corrigan, McGuirk, Myers, Cohill, Coss, Geiger, Huyett, Mason, McElwee, Barbee, Cook, (E. P.), Lee, Walker, Woodward, Conlon, Cook (N. S.), Driscoll, Kelley, Reed, Walsh, Hahn, Hale, Magin, O'Farrell, Clark, Murray, Caldwell, Cannon, Hanna, White, Bray, Buckel, Savage.

The Speaker announced the veto was sustained.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

May 9, 1961.

Honorable Perry O. Wilkinson Speaker of the House State House Annapolis, Maryland

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17, of the Maryland Constitution, I am returning to you herewith House Bill No. 830 which has been vetoed by me.

The Bill provides for the levy and collection of a severance tax on every excavator, contractor, builder, or any person who is regularly engaged in the business of excavating, removing, or quarrying sand, gravel or stone of any kind in the soil and waters of Cecil County. The County Commissioners of Cecil County are authorized, under the