

**Senate Bill No. 40—Nursing Home Loan**

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 2 and 8 of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1961, authorizing an increase in the rate of interest of certificates of indebtedness heretofore unissued in respect to the Nursing Home Loan of 1961, and extending the time within which funds provided thereunder can be contracted for, and correcting an error therein.

May 4, 1965.

Honorable William S. James  
President of the Senate  
State House  
Annapolis, Maryland

Dear Mr. President:

I have today vetoed Senate Bill No. 40 and, in accordance with our constitutional provisions, I am returning the same to you along with my veto message.

I find it unnecessary to place my signature on this bill since it is a duplicate of House Bill 544, which I have already signed and which is now Chapter 169 of the Acts of 1965.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

(s) J. MILLARD TAWES,  
Governor.

**Senate Bill No. 170—Psychiatrists**

AN ACT to add a new Section 13A to Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Evidence," subtitle "Competency of Witnesses," to follow immediately after Section 13 thereof, providing that certain disclosures and communications between a patient and a person licensed to practice medicine while acting in the capacity of a psychiatrist shall be privileged communications under certain circumstances and relating generally to the terms and conditions for this privilege.

May 4, 1965.

Honorable William S. James  
President of the Senate  
State House  
Annapolis, Maryland

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 170, 1965 session, and I am returning this bill along with my veto message.

This bill adds a new Section 13A to Article 35 of the Annotated Code of Maryland providing that certain disclosures and communications between a patient and a person licensed to practice medicine