

House Bill No. 455—Calvert County Schools

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 8 of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Public Education," subtitle "Chapter 2. Formation of Boards," amending the laws concerning the County Board of Education of Calvert County in order to add certain provisions concerning the membership and qualifications of members of the Board, and specifying the manner in which this Act shall become effective.

May 4, 1965.

Honorable Marvin Mandel
Speaker of the House of Delegates
State House
Annapolis, Maryland

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17, of the Maryland Constitution, I am returning herewith House Bill 455, 1965 Session, which has been vetoed by me today.

The Bill would substantially alter the present law relating to appointments to the Board of Education of Calvert County by requiring that three of the five members of the Board be appointed as representative of the three election districts in the County and the other two members be appointed at large, as well as providing for certain requirements concerning the political affiliation of the appointees.

Although I am always reluctant to veto a local legislative measure, I have been requested to do so by one of the two members of the Calvert County Delegation in the House of Delegates and by several prominent citizens of that County who are interested in the County school system. They point out that this Bill constitutes a rather wide departure from the present requirements relating to the appointment of school board members and they strongly urge that the entire subject matter of the Bill deserves further study before its enactment into law.

In view of the foregoing, I have concluded to veto House Bill 455.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

(s) J. MILLARD TAWES,

Governor.

House Bill No. 458—Baltimore City Criminal Jurisdiction

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 109 (a) and 110 (a) of Article 26 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Supplement), title "Courts," subtitle "Municipal Court of Baltimore City," to increase the jurisdiction of said Court, to correct certain errors in numerical references to sections of the Code, and relating generally to the division of criminal jurisdiction in Balti-