

The President announced the veto was sustained by roll call as follows:

Affirmative

Senators—

Mr. President, Anderson, Bertorelli, Brubaker, Byron, Connolly, Conroy, Curran, Emanuel, Finney, Hart, Hodges, Hoyer, Hughes (H.), Lapidés, Lee, Nock, Snyder, Staszak, Staten, Stone, Welcome. Total—22

Negative

Senators—

Bailey, Bertier, Bishop, Clark, Cook, Dean, Friedler, Gore, Hall, Mitchell, Pine, Smelser, Steffey, Steinberg, Wineland. Total—15

Passed

Senators—

Azrael, Malkus, Mitchell and McGuirk. Total—4

May 7, 1968.

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

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Section 17 of Article II of the Maryland Constitution, I have vetoed today Senate Bill 560 and am returning it to you.

This bill would require the approval of four members of the board rather than three in order for an applicant to be granted a certificate of competency and be registered as a practical plumber. It also provides for Senate confirmation of appointments to the Board of Commissioners of Practical Plumbing. The Board of Commissioners of Practical Plumbing has expressed its disapproval of the bill and has indicated that the present method of selection will produce the most qualified members. I am in agreement with them, and I therefore am compelled to veto this measure.

Sincerely,

/s/ Spiro T. Agnew,

Governor.

Which was read.

Senate Bill No. 560—Plumbing

An Act to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 329 of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Health," subtitle "Plumbing," and to add new Section 333A to said Article, title, and subtitle, to follow immediately after Section 333 thereof, relating generally to plumbing work and the licensing thereof, appointment of members of the State Board of Commissioners of Practical Plumbing, officers and procedures of the State Board of Commissioners of Practical Plumbing, providing for a maintenance master plumber's license, requiring such a license for the performance of plumbing repair, service, or maintenance work, relating to fees charged by the Board and the issuance of licenses on a reciprocal basis.

The President put the question, Shall the bill pass notwithstanding the objections of the Executive?