

More important, however, is the unfortunate fact that such changes must be made in order to continue a particular program or to remain eligible for federal assistance. In some cases, particularly where the change is required by court decision, the State has no alternative but to make it.

These considerations leave me no choice but to veto House Bill 1457. However, because I am in sympathy with its basic purpose, I am referring the bill to the Legislative Council in the hope that, through additional study, some method can be found to accomplish the goals of the bill without unduly interfering with the required flexibility in State programs.

Sincerely,

/s/ MARVIN MANDEL,
Governor.

House Bill No. 1465—Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 7-606(a) of Article 66 $\frac{1}{2}$ of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume), title "Vehicle Laws," subtitle "Financial Responsibility and Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund," subheading "Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund Law," to provide that upon a notice of no-coverage by an insurance company, a person has thirty days to file a claim with the Board, and to generally relate thereto.

May 31, 1972.

Honorable Thomas Hunter Lowe
Speaker of the House of Delegates
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21404

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17, of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 1465.

This bill amends the Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund law to add a procedural requirement for bringing an action against the Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund Board in the case of a notice of non-coverage by an insurer.

House Bill 444, which was enacted by the General Assembly and signed by me April 26, 1972, repealed the entire Unsatisfied Claim and Judgment Fund law. Because of the inconsistency between the two bills, and because the enactment of House Bill 444 renders House Bill 1465 unnecessary, I have decided to veto House Bill 1465.

Sincerely,

/s/ MARVIN MANDEL,
Governor.