

This bill modifies the Charter of Baltimore City to authorize the Mayor and City Council to pledge certain assets and revenues and enter into certain agreements concerning revenue bonds issued by the City.

Senate Bill 858, which was enacted by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 31, 1974, accomplishes the same purposes as House Bill 1491.

Therefore, it is unnecessary for me to sign House Bill 1491.

Sincerely,  
/s/ Marvin Mandel  
Governor

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House Bill No. 1493 - Dental Services in Hospitals

AN ACT concerning

Hospitals and Related Institutions - Dental Services

FOR the purpose of providing that no license may be issued or re-issued by the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene to a hospital or related institution unless the hospital or related institution can sufficiently demonstrate to the Secretary that it can make arrangements, when necessary, for certain emergency dental care services for its patients.

May 31, 1974.

Honorable John Hanson Briscoe  
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 1493.

This bill prohibits the issuance of a license to a hospital or a related institution unless it demonstrates to the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene an ability to provide certain emergency dental care.

The Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene has urged that I veto House Bill 1493 because of the undue hardships such a requirement would impose on the smaller