

increasing, the burden on students and their parents is cnerous enough without removing from budgetary control the imposition of new or increased fees. And the concomitant lack of control over disbursements from these reserve accounts is hardly consistent with the desire and objective to maintain control over all State spending.

For these reasons, I have vetoed House Bill 148.

Sincerely,
Marvin Mandel
Governor

House Bill No. 149 - Rescue Squads - False Alarms

AN ACT concerning

False Alarms - Ambulances

FOR the purpose of prohibiting the making of a false call for an ambulance or rescue squad and removing obsolete language.

May 26, 1977

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 149.

This bill prohibits the making of a false call for an ambulance or rescue squad by means of a telephone or by any other means.

Senate Bill 82, which was enacted by the General Assembly and signed by Lieutenant Governor Elair Lee III in his capacity as Acting Governor on April 29, 1977, accomplishes the same purpose.

Therefore, it is unnecessary for me to sign House Bill 149.

Sincerely,