

Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$1,550,000), the proceeds derived from the sale of the certificates of indebtedness to be used for the acquisition, by purchase, condemnation or any other legal means, of land or property, or any rights therein, in the City of Baltimore, and for constructing and erecting on said land or property, or on any land or property now or hereafter owned by the Mayor and City ~~County~~ Council of Baltimore, buildings, structures, or facilities to be used by the Fire Department of Baltimore City for fire stations, and for the acquisition and installation of equipment for any and all existing facilities or new facilities authorized to be constructed or erected under the provisions hereof, and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection with or pertaining to any or all of the matters or things hereinbefore mentioned; authorizing said municipality to submit an ordinance or ordinances for said purpose to the legal voters of Baltimore City, and providing generally for the issuance and sale of said certificates of indebtedness.

May 29, 1978

Honorable Steny H. Hoyer
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21404

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 335.

This bill authorizes the creation of a Baltimore City debt of up to \$1,550,000 for the acquisition of and the construction and equipping of Fire Department facilities.

House Bill 527, which was enacted by the General Assembly and signed by me on April 11, 1978, accomplishes the same purpose.

Therefore it is unnecessary for me to sign Senate Bill 335.

Sincerely,
Blair Lee III
Acting Governor