

7. The committee recommends that procedures be established for the promulgation of emergency regulations, with reasonable time limitations on committee review and on the effectiveness of those regulations to prevent agency circumvention of the legislative review process.

8. The committee recommends that the review committee meet often enough to provide adequate review of proposed regulations which agencies file.

9. The committee recommends that legislative bill drafting and counseling agencies adopt specific guidelines to assure that all bills granting rulemaking authority to administrative agencies be reviewed before introduction to assure that (1) legislative intent is clearly spelled out in the bill, and (2) adequate standards are included to guide agencies in rule promulgation pursuant to the bill.

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House Bill No. 636 - Tax Credits - Local Property Taxes

AN ACT concerning

Tax Credits - Local Property Taxes

FOR the purpose of clarifying the manner of calculating the property tax credit authorized for the 1978 and 1979 taxable years as a result of increased assessed value of residential property and specifying the amount of tax credit resulting from the calculations; and providing an exception for certain local governments; and making this Act an emergency measure.

May 29, 1978

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 636.

This bill clarifies the manner of calculating the 15% property tax credit authorized for the 1978 and 1979 taxable years and specifies an amount of tax credit.

Senate Bill 543, which was enacted by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 2, 1978, extends this tax credit for an additional taxable year and, in doing so, accomplishes the purpose of House Bill 636.