Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

## House Bill No. 980

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AN ACT concerning

Creation of a State Debt - Nursing Home Loan

FOR the purpose of authorizing the creation of a State Debt in the amount of \$1,000,000, the proceeds to be used for certain State grants to certain public and other nonprofit nursing homes for the construction and equipping of these nursing homes; and providing generally for the issue and sale of bonds evidencing the loan.

May 27, 1980

Honorable Benjamin L. Cardin 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 980.

This bill authorizes the creation of a State debt to be used for State grants to public and nonprofit nursing homes for the construction and equipping of these type facilities.

Senate Bill 528, which was enacted by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 27, 1980 accomplishes the same purpose.

Therefore it is unnecessary for me to sign  $\,$  House  $\,$  Bill 980.

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Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor