

THE DEPARTMENT OF FISCAL SERVICES SHALL SERVE AS STAFF FOR THE SPENDING AFFORDABILITY COMMITTEE. AGENCIES IN THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE COMMITTEE AND FURNISH INFORMATION TO THE COMMITTEE AND ITS STAFF AS REQUESTED.

115.

BY JUNE 1 OF EACH YEAR, THE DEPARTMENT OF FISCAL SERVICES SHALL REPORT TO THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE BUDGET AS ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONFORMED TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SPENDING AFFORDABILITY COMMITTEE.

116.

BY JUNE 1 OF EACH YEAR, THE LEGISLATIVE POLICY COMMITTEE SHALL SELECT AGENCIES OR PROGRAMS THAT THE COMMITTEE BELIEVES SHOULD BE SUBJECT TO LEGISLATIVE REVIEW AND ASSIGN THE ITEMS SELECTED TO THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES FOR REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS DURING THAT LEGISLATIVE INTERIM.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1982.

June 1, 1982

The 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 1783.

This bill requires the Legislative Policy Committee to appoint and coordinate a Spending Affordability Committee whose goal is to limit the growth of State spending to a level that does not exceed the growth in personal income.

Senate Bill 1089, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on June 1, 1982 accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 1783.

Sincerely,
Harry Hughes
Governor
