

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 845.

This bill provides for the use of funding for group homes for developmentally disabled individuals.

Senate Bill 675, 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 845.

Sincerely,
Harry Hughes
Governor

Read and ordered journalized.

House Bill No. 845

AN ACT concerning

Autistic-Adults---Group-Homes---Funding
Group Homes - Developmentally Disabled Individuals

FOR the purpose of ~~requiring-the-Governor-to-include-in-the annual--budget--a--certain--amount--of--money--for--the operation--of--private--group--homes--for--autistic--adults--; prohibiting--funding--for--certain--group--homes--; defining--a certain--term--; providing--for--a--certain--definition--; and generally--relating--to--the--funding--of--certain--group homes--for--autistic--adults~~ providing for use of certain funding for certain group homes for certain developmentally disabled individuals.

BY adding to

Article - Health - General
Section 19-609
Annotated Code of Maryland
(As enacted by Chapter ____ (H.B. 200) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1982)

BY adding to

Article - Health - General
Section 7-2A-09
Annotated Code of Maryland
(As enacted by Chapters ____ (H.B. 200
and H.B. 1476) of the Acts of the General
Assembly of 1982)

The Speaker put the question: Shall the Bill pass, notwithstanding the objections of the Executive?