Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 285.

This bill alters the membership of the Board of Trustees of the State Deferred Compensation Plan by providing that the Board members shall be appointed by the Governor and that at least two members shall have experience with deferred compensation plans.

House Bill 509, 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 Senate Bill 285.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

Senate Bill No. 285

AN ACT concerning

State Employees Deferred Compensation Plan

FOR the purpose of altering the membership of the board of trustees of the State Employees Deferred Compensation Plan; providing that certain members of the board of trustees shall have certain qualifications; and generally relating to the board of trustees of the State Employees Deferred Compensation Plan.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 73B - Pensions Section 67(b) Annotated Code of Maryland (1978 Replacement Volume and 1981 Supplement)

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

The roll call vote resulted as follows:

Affirmative: 0 Negative: 45

(See Roll Call No. 12)

The President announced the veto was sustained.

June 1, 1982

The Honorable James Clark, Jr.