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Article 26A - Criminal Injuries Compensation Act

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(c) "Crime" shall mean an act committed by any person in the State of Maryland which would constitute a crime as defined in Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967-Replacement Velume) or at common law, provided, however, that no act involving the operation of a BOAT OR motor vehicle which results in injury shall constitute a crime for the purpose of this article unless the injuries were intentionally inflicted through the use of a BOAT OR MOTOR vehicle.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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May 31, 1983

The Honorable Melvin A. Steinberg President of the Senate State House Annapolis, Maryland 21404

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 799.

This bill alters the administrative penalties assessed by the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene for violation of certain regulatory requirements relating to controlled hazardous substances and water pollution control.

House Bill 527, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 31, 1983, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 799.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

Senate Bill No. 799