Affirmative: 0

Negative: 132

(See Roll Call No. 30)

The Speaker announced the veto was sustained.

MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

May 31, 1983

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 920.

This bill defines an "emergency medical technician -paramedic", provides reciprocity to similarly trained individuals in an adjoining state, and, subject to rules and regulations of the State Board of Medical Examiners and the Commission on Medical Discipline, authorizes an emergency medical technician-paramedic to perform four types of emergency services without a license.

Senate Bill 403, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 10, 1983, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 920.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

Read and ordered journalized.

House Bill No. 920

AN ACT concerning

Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedics

FOR the purpose of allowing the State Board of Medical Examiners and the Commission on Medical Discipline of Maryland to adopt rules and regulations to permit emergency medical technician-paramedics to perform certain acts without a license to practice medicine under certain conditions; and generally relating to the power of the State Board of Medical Examiners and the Commission on Medical Discipline of Maryland to exempt certain persons from the license requirements of the Maryland Medical Practice Act.