

(I) PROVIDES EVIDENCE TO THE DEPARTMENT THAT THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION WILL CREATE AN UNDUE FINANCIAL BURDEN ON THE FACILITY AND WILL REQUIRE THE FACILITY TO CEASE OPERATION; AND

(II) DISCLOSES TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE FACILITY THAT THE FACILITY DOES NOT HAVE AN EMERGENCY ELECTRICAL POWER GENERATOR THAT MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION.

(2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL EVALUATE SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION, A WAIVER GRANTED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION EACH YEAR MAY NOT EXCEED A PERIOD OF 3 YEARS.

(3) THE DEPARTMENT MAY EXTEND A WAIVER GRANTED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION FOR AN ADDITIONAL PERIOD OF 2 YEARS BEYOND THE PERIOD SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2009.

May 26, 2006

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed Senate Bill 386 – *Charles County – Salary of State's Attorney*.

This bill alters the mandated salary of the State's Attorney in Charles County to conform to the salary of a State circuit court judge; and provides that the Act does not apply to the State's Attorney for Charles County in office on October 1, 2006.

House Bill 611, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 386.

Very truly yours,
Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.
Governor

Senate Bill No. 386

AN ACT concerning

Charles County – Salary of State's Attorney

FOR the purpose of altering the mandated salary of the State's Attorney for Charles County to conform to the salary of a circuit court judge; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent State's Attorney