- (iv) an officer who is in probationary status on initial entry into the law enforcement agency except if an allegation of brutality in the execution of the officer's duties is made; [or]
- (v) a Montgomery County fire and explosive investigator as defined in § 2–208.1 of the Criminal Procedure Article; OR
- (VI) AN ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY OR CITY OF ANNAPOLIS FIRE AND EXPLOSIVE INVESTIGATOR AS DEFINED IN \S 2–208.2 OF THE CRIMINAL PROCEDURE ARTICLE.

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- (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (e) (2) "Police officer" includes:
- (i) a member of the Field Enforcement Division of the Comptroller's Office;
 - (ii) the State Fire Marshal or a deputy State fire marshal;
- (iii) an investigator of the Internal Investigative Unit of the Department; [and]
- (iv) a Montgomery County fire and explosive investigator as defined in $\S 2-208.1$ of the Criminal Procedure Article; AND
- (V) AN ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY OR CITY OF ANNAPOLIS FIRE AND EXPLOSIVE INVESTIGATOR AS DEFINED IN \S 2–208.2 OF THE CRIMINAL PROCEDURE ARTICLE.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Maryland Police Training Commission shall certify as a police officer each Anne Arundel County or City of Annapolis fire and explosive investigator who meets the requirements of § 2–208.2 of the Criminal Procedure Article on October 1, 2005.
- SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2005.

May 26, 2005

The Honorable Michael E. Busch Speaker of the House State House Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed House Bill 230 – Horse Racing at Fair Hill – Cecil County Breeders' Fair, Inc. – Takeout.

This bill increases the takeout to 25% that the Cecil County Breeders' Fair, Inc., or its