

Chapter 204 of the Acts of 2003, as amended by Chapter 432 of the Acts of 2004

Section 13(3)

(i) \$15,200,000 for the following projects initially approved by the Senate:

(AO) Melvin J. Berman Hebrew Academy Auditorium. Provide a grant equal to the lesser of (i) \$150,000 or (ii) the amount of the matching fund provided, to the Board of Directors of the Melvin J. Berman Hebrew Academy, Inc. for the construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, and capital equipping of the Melvin J. Berman Hebrew Academy Auditorium, located in Rockville (Montgomery County). NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 13(5) OF THIS ACT, THE MATCHING FUND MAY CONSIST OF FUNDS EXPENDED PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ACT, BUT AFTER JUNE 1, 1998 150,000

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 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 1283 – *Public Records – Trade Secrets and Confidential Information – Public Institutions of Higher Education*.

This bill authorizes a custodian to deny inspection of a part of a public record that contains information disclosing or relating to a trade secret, confidential commercial information, or confidential financial information owned in whole or in part by a public institution of higher education if the information is part of specified activities.

Senate Bill 487, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 1283.

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

House Bill No. 1283

AN ACT concerning