This bill modifies the State aid for police protection formula and requires the Superintendent of the Maryland State Police to monitor and enforce the local maintenance of effort requirements contained in the formula.

House Bill 460, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 21, 1985, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 265.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

Senate Bill No. 265

AN ACT concerning

Police Protection Aid --Minimum-Grant

- FOR--the--purpose--of--eliminating-a-requirement-that-the-minimum grant-of-State-aid-for-police-protection--to--a--subdivision with--certain--reductions-in-population-estimates-be-reduced by-a-percentage-of-certain-increases--in--the--subdivision's wealth--base;-and-generally-relating-to-the-minimum-grant-of State-aid-for-police-protection-
- FOR the purpose of establishing a minimum payment of State aid for police protection to certain subdivisions based on a certain grant year; requiring subdivisions and qualifying municipalities to maintain a certain level of funding support for police protection; and generally relating to State aid for police protection.
- BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 15A - Budget and Fiscal Planning Section 37(b)(3) 36 and 37(b)(7)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1981 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)

## BY adding to

Article 15A - Budget and Fiscal Planning Section 38A Annotated Code of Maryland (1981 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: