May 28, 1985

The Honorable Melvin A. Steinberg President of the Senate State House Annapolis, Maryland 21404

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 275.

This bill provides that a suspension or revocation of a driver's license or a refusal to issue or renew a driver's license because of epilepsy may not exceed 90 days unless the individual experiences a seizure within the 90 days.

House Bill 913, 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 275.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

Senate Bill No. 275

AN ACT concerning

Vehicle Laws - Driver's License - Suspension

FOR the purpose of providing that if the Motor Vehicle Administration suspends, revokes, or refuses to issue or renew a driver's license of an individual under certain circumstances because of the individual's epilepsy, the period of suspension, revocation, or refusal to issue or renew may not exceed a certain period of time; providing certain exceptions to the provisions of this Act; and generally relating to the suspension, revocation, or refusal to issue or renew a driver's license of an individual because of the individual's epilepsy.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Transportation Section 16-206(a)(2) Annotated Code of Maryland (1984 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)