

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 319.

This bill exempts the leased farming implements of a farmer from State, county, and certain municipal corporation personal property valuation and taxation.

House Bill 117, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on April 9, 1985, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 319.

Sincerely,  
Harry Hughes  
Governor

Senate Bill No. 319

AN ACT concerning

Personal Property Tax - Exemption - Leased Farming Implements

FOR the purpose of exempting the leased farming implements of a farmer from State, county, and certain municipal corporation personal property valuation and taxation; providing for the retroactive application and effect of this Act; providing for the effective date of this Act; and generally relating to the personal property taxation of farming implements.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 81 - Revenue and Taxes  
Section 9A(a)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 81 - Revenue and Taxes  
Section 9A(i)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)