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(3) if the difference is a positive number, multiplying the difference by the applicable county or municipal corporation property tax rate for the current year.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1986.

May 27, 1986

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 30.

This bill requires the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to provide a written summary in layman's language that lists all effective methods of treating breast cancer along with the advantages and disadvantages of each method of treatment.

House Bill 1320, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 13, 1986, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 30.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

Senate Bill No. 30

AN ACT concerning

Physicians - Information on Breast Cancer

FOR the purpose of requiring a physician to inform-certain patients-of-certain-methods-of-treatment-available-for breast-cancer;-requiring-a-physician--to--obtain--the signatures-of-certain-persons-on-a-consent-form-before-a physician-operates-on-a-patient-for-a-tumor-of-the-breast; specifying-the-contents-of-the-consent-form;-providing-for certain-disciplinary-actions-that-may-be-taken-against-a physician-who-fails-to-inform-a-patient-of-certain-methods of-treatment-available-for-breast-cancer-and-who-fails-to-obtain-consent-from-a-patient-for-treatment-of-a-breast tumor;-and-generally-relating-to-the-treatment-and-informed