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Annapolis, Maryland 21404

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 605.

This bill allows the Director of Administration for Anne Arundel County to request the Criminal Records Central Repository of the Maryland State Police to investigate any prospective employee.

House Bill 800, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on April 29, 1986, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 605.

Sincerely, Harry Hughes Governor

Senate Bill No. 605

AN ACT concerning

Anne Arundel County - Employment - Background Investigations

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Director of Administration of Anne Arundel County to request criminal history record information investigations of certain employees; requiring payment of certain fees for background investigations; and generally relating to employee background investigations in Anne Arundel County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments
Section 754A
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1982 Replacement Volume and 1985 Supplement)

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

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

754A.

(a) (1) The County Administrator of Howard County may request the criminal records central repository of the Maryland State Police to investigate any prospective employee of Howard County through the appropriate federal, State, and local criminal history record information system.