

(C) FOR FISCAL YEAR 1987, AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, THE EMPLOYER SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTIONS PAID BY THE STATE FOR ANY ELIGIBLE POSITION IN A COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM MAY NOT EXCEED 7.15 PERCENT OF THAT PART OF THE SALARY PAID WHICH IS INCLUDED WITHIN THE SOCIAL SECURITY WAGE BASE AS DEFINED IN FEDERAL LAW.

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(a) To be eligible for its State share of the minimum program, a county government shall levy an annual tax sufficient to provide an amount for library purposes equal to:

(1) The wealth of the county; times

(2) A uniform percentage, rounded to the [third] FIFTH decimal place equal to:

(i) 60 percent of the total minimum program for current and capital expenses to be shared for all counties; divided by

(ii) The total wealth of all the counties.

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

May 27, 1986

The Honorable Benjamin L. Cardin
Speaker of the House of Delegates
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21404

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 525.

This bill delays the July 1, 1986 sunset date which would end State aid for local bus systems in Montgomery and Prince George's Counties. Under the bill, the program will terminate July 1, 1988.

Senate Bill 123, 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 House Bill 525.

Sincerely,
Harry Hughes
Governor