WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEFER, Governor

June 2, 1987

The Honorable R. Clayton Mitchell, Jr. 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 339.

This bill provides that the Board of Trustees of the State Retirement and Pension Systems needs to approve only certain types of Option 4 retirements.

Senate Bill 91, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on June 2, 1987, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 339.

Sincerely, William Donald Schaefer Governor

House Bill No. 339

AN ACT concerning

Pensions - Optional Benefits

FOR the purpose of providing an alternative Option 4. benefit allowance in the State employees' retirement and pension systems, the teachers' retirement and pension systems, and the State Police Retirement System so as to guarantee the payment of a certain amount of a member's accumulated contributions to certain persons.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 73B - Pensions Section 11(11)(a), 86(8)(a), 117(12)(a), and 145(12)(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (1983 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 88B - State Police Section 53(m) Annotated Code of Maryland (1985 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)