

and new construction, provided that no funds may be expended until the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services completes a capital facilities plan and the Budget Committees review that plan and release the funds. THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS IN THIS APPROPRIATION NOT ENCUMBERED FOR THE PURPOSES IDENTIFIED ABOVE AS OF JUNE 1, 1988 SHALL BE USED TO PROVIDE A PORTION OF THE FUNDS TO DESIGN, CONSTRUCT, AND EQUIP A 192-CELL MEDIUM SECURITY HOUSING UNIT AT ROXBURY CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION (WASHINGTON COUNTY)..... 400,000

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the General Assembly declares that it is the public policy of this State to manage State general obligation bond debt in a manner that will maintain Maryland's triple-A bond rating. The General Assembly further declares that legislative oversight, control and review of all forms of State obligations is essential to maintenance of the State's existing bond rating and protection of the fiscal integrity of the State.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1988.

Approved May 27, 1988.

Senate Bill No. 271 - Governor's Line Item Veto Message

May 27, 1988

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
 President of the Senate
 State House
 Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17, and Article III, Section 52(8) of the Maryland Constitution, I have today expressly disapproved and vetoed the following item in Senate Bill 271, the General Construction Loan of 1988:

- Item (K)(1)(c) appearing on page 15 of the enrolled bill, entitled:

"(c) Design and prepare detailed plans and specifications for the Plant Sciences building.....800,000"

I will subsequently sign Senate Bill 271, which is approved except for this item.