WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEFER, Governor

This bill is being vetoed because ${\tt HB}$ 230 accomplishes the intent, plus more.

House Bill 230, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 27, 1988, allows the local governments to grant a credit against a portion of real property that is improved after July 1, 1988, provided the property is owned by a business with 25 or more employees and the property is improved to establish a day care center. SB 693 is only applicable to Harford County. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 693.

Sincerely, William Donald Schaefer Governor

Senate Bill No. 693

AN ACT concerning

Harford County - Day Care - Property Tax Credit

FOR the purpose of authorizing the governing body of Harford County to grant a property tax credit for centain real property on-which-an-employer-provides used for certain child care services; and generally relating to the authorization of a property tax credit for centain real property used to provide certain child care services.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Tax - Property Section 9-314(a)(1) Annotated Code of Maryland (1986 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)

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

Article - Tax - Property

9 - 314.

- (a) (1) The governing body of Harford County may grant, by law, a property tax credit under this section against the county property tax imposed on:
 - (i) real property that is: