## WILLIAM DONALD SCHAEFER, Governor

May 27, 1988

The Honorable R. Clayton Mitchell, Jr. Speaker of the House of Delegates State House Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 1318.

This bill provides a two year extension of Chapter 652 of the Acts of 1987 which authorizes judges in jurisdictions that have applied for financial assistance for the construction or enlargement of their detention centers to commit persons sentenced to more than six months and less than one year to the State correctional system until the facility is ready for use.

Senate Bill 790, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 17, 1988, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 1318.

Sincerely, William Donald Schaefer Governor

House Bill No. 1318

AN ACT concerning

Public Safety and Corrections - Local Detention Centers

FOR the purpose of repealing the termination of a certain Act and generally relating to the sentencing of prisoners to the Division of Correction under certain circumstances.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Chapter 652 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1987