

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 1352.

This bill authorizes the governing body of a code home rule county to impose a transfer tax on instruments of writing, sets a limit on the tax imposed, and provides for exemptions from the transfer tax.

Senate Bill 616, 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 1352.

Sincerely,  
William Donald Schaefer  
Governor

House Bill No. 1352

AN ACT concerning

Code Counties - Transfer Tax

FOR the purpose of authorizing the governing body of a code home rule county to impose a transfer tax on certain instruments of writing; setting a certain limit on the tax that may be imposed; providing for certain exemptions from the transfer tax; providing for the construction of this Act; and generally relating to the authority of a code home rule county to impose a transfer tax.

BY adding to

Article - Tax - Property  
Section 13-402.1  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1986 Volume and 1987 Supplement)

Preamble