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-{-\$10,000-}---\$250,000 for a subsequent offense, or by imprisonment for not more than 1 year for a first offense, or more than 3 years for a subsequent offense, or by both fine and imprisonment.

(e) (±) Any article produced in violation of this section and any equipment, or components used in the production thereof, shall be subject to forfeiture and destruction by the appropriate law enforcement agency.

(2)--IF--A--PERSON-IS-CONVICTED-OF-ANY-VIOLATION-UNDER THIS-SECTION,-THE-COURT-IN-ITS-JUDGMENT-OF-CONVICTION-SHALL-ORDER THE-FORFEITURE--AND--DESTRUCTION--OR--OTHER--DISPOSITION--OF--ALL INFRINGING--ARTICLES--AND--OF-ANY-EQUIPMENT-OR-COMPONENTS-USED-OR INTENDED-TO-BE-USED-IN-THE-PRODUCTION-OF-THE-ARTICLES:

(F) THIS SECTION SHALL NEITHER ENLARGE NOR DIMINISH THE RIGHTS OF PARTIES IN PRIVATE LITIGATION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1989.

May 25, 1989

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 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 674.

This bill requires the Department of the Environment to hold a public hearing before issuing, amending, or renewing a permit to install, materially alter, or materially extend a structure used for storage or distribution of any type of sewage sludge.

House Bill 1458, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 25, 1989, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 674.

Sincerely, William Donald Schaefer Governor