In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 432.

This bill would provide that a person convicted of fleeing or eluding is subject to enhanced penalties if the violation results in bodily injury or death to another person.

House Bill 1106, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 11, 1993, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 432.

Sincerely, William Donald Schaefer Governor

Senate Bill No. 432

AN ACT concerning

Reckless Endangerment Motor Vehicles <u>Vehicle Laws - Eluding a Police Officer - Penalties</u>

FOR the purpose of making a prohibition against recklessly engaging in certain conduct applicable to conduct involving the use of a motor vehicle to flee from or altering penalties for convictions for certain offenses of a person attempting to elude a police officer; and generally relating to motor vehicles and penalties for reckless endangerment that result in bodily injury or death of another person; and generally relating to penalties for certain offenses of attempting to elude a police officer.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 Crimes and Punishments

Section 120

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1992 Replacement Volume and 1992 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 21-904

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1992 Replacement Volume)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Transportation

Section 27-101(h)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1992 Replacement Volume)

BY adding to

Article - Transportation