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- (3) UPON RECEIPT OF AN ORDER OF EXPUNGEMENT, THE DIRECTOR SHALL PURGE ANY DNA RECORD, DNA SAMPLE, OR OTHER IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION COVERED BY THE ORDER FROM THE STATEWIDE DNA DATA BASE SYSTEM AND THE STATEWIDE DNA REPOSITORY.
- (N) (1) A PERSON WHO, BY VIRTUE OF EMPLOYMENT OR OFFICIAL POSITION, HAS POSSESSION OF OR ACCESS TO INDIVIDUALLY IDENTIFIABLE DNA INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE STATEWIDE DNA DATA BASE SYSTEM OR STATEWIDE DNA REPOSITORY AND WHO WILLFULLY DISCLOSES THAT INFORMATION IN ANY MANNER TO ANY PERSON OR AGENCY NOT ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THAT INFORMATION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000 OR IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 3 YEARS OR BOTH.
- (2) A PERSON WHO, WITHOUT AUTHORIZATION, WILLFULLY OBTAINS INDIVIDUALLY IDENTIFIABLE DNA INFORMATION FROM THE STATEWIDE DNA DATA BASE SYSTEM OR REPOSITORY IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000 OR IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 3 YEARS OR BOTH.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That if any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason in a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or any other application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and for this purpose the provisions of this Act are declared severable.

SECTION 2. 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1. 1994.

May 26, 1994

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 302.

This bill would require the dissolution of the Maryland Higher Education Loan Corporation by June 30, 1996, and require the Board to enter into an agreement with an appropriate entity to ensure that Maryland students have access to guaranteed student loans.

House Bill 420, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 2, 1994, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 302.