

May 23, 1996

The Honorable Casper R. Taylor, Jr.
Speaker of the House
State House
Annapolis MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 100.

This bill expands the law enforcement authority of certain employees of the Investigative Services Unit of the Comptroller's Office to include laws pertaining to the motor fuel tax, the motor carrier tax, motor fuel and lubricants, and transient vendors.

Senate Bill 726, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on this date, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 100.

Sincerely,
Parris N. Glendening
Governor

House Bill No. 100

AN ACT concerning

Comptroller -- Law Enforcement Authority

FOR the purpose of expanding the police authority of certain authorized employees of the Investigative Services Unit of the Comptroller's Office to include enforcing motor fuel tax, motor carrier tax, motor fuel and lubricants, and transient vendor laws; repealing certain provisions relating to the scope and powers of the Investigative Services Unit; and generally relating to the law enforcement powers of the Comptroller.

BY repealing

Article - Business Regulation
Section 10-206
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1992 Volume and 1995 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Tax - General
Section 2-107
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1988 Volume and 1995 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: