VETOES

Article - Health Occupations

16-101.

- (f) (1) "Practice podiatry" means to diagnose or surgically, medically, or mechanically treat any ailment of the human foot or ankle, or any ailment of the anatomical structures that attach to the human foot.
 - (2) "Practice podiatry" does not include:
- (i) [Triple arthrodesis, ankle fusions, or surgical] SURGICAL treatment of ACUTE ankle [trauma] FRACTURE; or
 - (ii) Administration of an anesthetic, other than a local anesthetic.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1997.

May 22, 1997

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 877.

This bill revises the Maryland Securities Act to conform to the National Securities Markets Improvement Act (NSMIA) of 1996.

Senate Bill 650, 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 877.

Sincerely,
Parris N. Glendening
Governor

House Bill No. 877

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Securities Act - Revision

FOR the purpose of revising the Maryland Securities Act to conform to the National Securities Markets Improvement Act of 1996; retaining the State's jurisdiction over certain securities; clarifying the authority of the Securities Commissioner to require the filing of certain documents; altering certain duties and powers of the Securities Commissioner regarding exemption of certain persons from certain registration and filing requirements, the filing of certain documents required for certain persons to