SECTION 2. 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the provisions of § 2-108(d)(8)(ii)7 of the Public Utility Companies Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, shall apply to and be construed to affect Commission personnel in positions in existence on or after July 1, 1999.

SECTION 2. 3. 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1999.

May 27, 1999

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr. President of the Senate State House Annapolis MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 175.

This bill increases the payment calculation for State aid to municipalities for police protection based on the number of full-time sworn police officers employed by a municipality from \$1,200 to \$1,800 for each sworn officer.

House Bill 679, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 13, 1999, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 175.

Sincerely, Parris N. Glendening Governor

## Senate Bill 175

AN ACT concerning

## State Aid for Police Protection - Supplemental Grant Municipal Sworn Officer Allocation

FOR the purpose of altering the per capita amount of a certain supplemental grant by the State to counties and Baltimore City for police protection; altering the calculation of a certain payment by the State each fiscal year to certain municipalities based on the number of sworn police officers employed by the municipality; declaring the intent of the General Assembly; and generally relating to State allocation of money to counties, Baltimore City, and municipalities for police protection.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
Article 88B – Department of State Police
Section 66(a)(1) and (2) and (b)(5)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1998 Replacement Volume)