- (I) ALL OF CAROLINE COUNTY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY, INCORPORATED'S REAL PROPERTY HOLDINGS IN CAROLINE COUNTY; AND
- (II) ALL TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING CAROLINE COUNTY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY, INCORPORATED'S REAL PROPERTY HOLDINGS IN CAROLINE COUNTY.
- (3) THE GOVERNING BODY OF CAROLINE COUNTY MAY PROVIDE, BY LAW, FOR:

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2000.

May 18, 2000

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 647 – Local Boards of Election – Employee Compensation.

This bill transfers the authority for setting the compensation rates of local election board employees who are not covered by their county merit system from the Department of Budget and Management to the State Board of Elections.

House Bill 881, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 11, 2000, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 647.

Sincerely, Parris N. Glendening Governor

## Senate Bill No. 647

## AN ACT concerning

## Local Boards of Election - Employee Compensation

FOR the purpose of requiring the State Board of Elections, upon the recommendation of the State Administrator of Elections, to determine the fixed rate of