

(c) If a parking authority was created before July 1, 1984, a county may ratify the authority and all acts and contracts of the authority which were in accord with the authority's charter and the law by filing the authority's charter with the departments listed in subsection (a) of this section.

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

May 18, 2000

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 725 - Baltimore City - Local Government Tort Claims Act - Lexington Market, Incorporated.

This bill provides that Lexington Market, Incorporated in Baltimore City meets the definition of local government for the purposes of the Local Government Tort Claims Act. Lexington Market and its employees may not raise as a defense a specified statutory limitation on the liability of an agent of an association or organization.

Senate Bill 715, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me today, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 725.

Sincerely,
Parris N. Glendening
Governor

House Bill No. 725

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore City - Local Government Tort Claims Act - Nonprofit Corporations Operating Municipal Market Facilities Lexington Market, Inc.

FOR the purpose of providing that ~~a nonprofit corporation authorized to operate a municipal market facility~~ Lexington Market, Inc., in Baltimore City, meets the definition of local government for the purposes of the Local Government Tort Claims Act; providing that Lexington Market, Inc., in Baltimore City, may not raise a certain defense; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to the Local Government Tort Claims Act and nonprofit corporations authorized to operate municipal market facilities Lexington Market, Inc., in Baltimore City.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,