

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the terms of the initial members of the Maryland Advisory Council for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing shall expire as follows:

- (1) five members in 2002;
- (2) five members in 2003; and
- (3) five six members in 2004.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2001.

May 17, 2001

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 433 - Local Government Tort Claims Act - Limits on Liability.

This emergency bill clarifies that the monetary limits on the liability of a local government under the Local Government Tort Claims Act apply to claims against local governments when named as defendants.

House Bill 942, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 433.

Sincerely,
Parris N. Glendening
Governor

Senate Bill No. 433

AN ACT concerning

Local Government Tort Claims Act - Limits on Liability

FOR the purpose of clarifying that the monetary limits on the liability of a local government under the Local Government Tort Claims Act apply to claims against local governments when named as defendants; clarifying that the monetary limits under the Local Government Tort Claims Act apply to tort judgments for which local governments are liable; stating the intent of the General Assembly; providing for the application of this Act; making this Act an emergency measure; and generally relating to the Local Government Tort Claims Act.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,