

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding Article 28, § 2-102 of the Code, the terms of all the commissioners of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission appointed from Prince George's County serving on June 14, 2003, or their successors selected to fill a vacancy, shall terminate on June 15, 2003. The terms of the commissioners appointed from Prince George's County whose term of office begins on June 15, 2003, shall terminate on January 31, 2007, or until their successors are appointed and qualify. Beginning with the term of office of the commissioners appointed in 2007, the appointment of the commissioners shall conform to the provisions of Article 28, § 2-102 of the Code as enacted by this Act.

SECTION ~~2~~ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect ~~October~~ June 1, 2003.

May 22, 2003

The Honorable Michael E. Busch  
Speaker of the House  
State House  
Annapolis MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed House Bill 868 – Juvenile Law – Prohibition Against Possession of Portable Pagers on School Property – Repeal.

This bill repeals a prohibition against the possession of portable pagers on public school property.

Senate Bill 466, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 868.

Sincerely,  
Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.  
Governor

**House Bill No. 868**

AN ACT concerning

**Juvenile Law – Prohibition Against Possession of Portable Pagers on School Property – Repeal**

FOR the purpose of repealing a prohibition against the possession of portable pagers on public school property; and declaring the intent of the General Assembly.

BY repealing  
Article – Education  
Section 26-104