

before September 30, 2002 shall be effective beginning with the January 1, 2002 date of finality for assessments for the property tax year beginning July 1, 2002.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, for a country club that as of January 1, 2002 was subject to an existing agreement with the Department of Assessments and Taxation under § 8-213 of the Tax - Property Article, the provisions of § 8-213(c)(1) ~~and (d)(1)~~ of the Tax - Property Article as enacted under Section 1 of this Act shall be effective beginning with the January 1, 2002 date of finality for assessments for the property tax year beginning July 1, 2002.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2002.

May 16, 2002

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 810 - Task Force to Study the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation.

This bill establishes an 18-member Task Force to Study the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation, describes its composition and duties and requires the task force to meet at least once a month.

Senate Bill 544, 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 810.

Sincerely,  
Parris N. Glendening  
Governor

### House Bill No. 810

AN ACT concerning

### Task Force to Study the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation

FOR the purpose of establishing a Task Force to Study the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation; specifying the membership and duties of the Task Force; setting goals to be sought in appointing the members of the Task Force; providing for a chairman, compensation for members, and meetings of the Task Force; requiring certain units to staff the Task Force; requiring a certain report by a certain date; providing for the termination of this Act; and generally