President of the Senate State House Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed Senate Bill 572 - State Personnel - Collective Bargaining - Use of Employee Information.

This bill requires the University System of Maryland system institutions, Morgan State University, St. Mary's College of Maryland, and Baltimore City Community College to provide specified employee information to exclusive bargaining representatives. The bill authorizes employees to give a notice to an employer that the employee does not want their information released to the exclusive representative.

House Bill 971, 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 572.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley Governor

Senate Bill 572

AN ACT concerning

State Personnel - Collective Bargaining - Use of Employee Information

FOR the purpose of requiring that certain information be delivered to certain exclusive representatives in electronic form; providing that a certain fee may not exceed a certain amount; requiring the University System of Maryland system institutions, Morgan State University, St. Mary's College of Maryland, and Baltimore City Community College to provide certain information to certain exclusive representatives under certain circumstances; requiring certain employers to give certain notice to certain employees at a certain time; authorizing certain employees to give a certain notice to an employer that the employee does not want the employer to provide certain information to an exclusive representative; requiring that certain notices remain in effect until further notice; prohibiting certain exclusive representatives from releasing certain information; providing a certain exception; prohibiting a certain exclusive representative from using