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(i) the activities of the State government that are intended to promote the social and economic development of Asian-Pacific Americans; and

(ii) any other matter that affects the rights and interests of Asian-Pacific Americans and the communities in which they live;

(2) as authorized by the Governor:

(i) provide help to Asian-Pacific Americans and the communities in which they live;

(ii) represent the Governor in any matter that relates to Asian-Pacific Americans or generally to the promotion of equality among the people of the State; and

(iii) perform any other responsibility that the Governor assigns; and

(3) assist and advise the Governor and executive agencies concerning public and private programs or efforts to assist or develop Asian-Pacific American businesses.

(d) The Governor is requested to report to the Legislative Policy Committee of the General Assembly on the establishment of an Office of Asian-Pacific American Affairs prior to the beginning of the 1992 Regular Session.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1991.

May 24, 1991

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 495.

This bill would provide amnesty for unregistered family day care providers and require the Secretary of Human Resources to adopt guidelines for implementation of the amnesty program.

House Bill 582, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 14, 1991, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 495.

Sincerely,
William Donald Schaefer
Governor