SECTION 10. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1992.

May 26, 1992

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr. 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 222.

This bill would prohibit the disposal of sewage sludge in landfills in Charles County. I am vetoing this legislation at the request of the sponsor, who informs me that the issue is being resolved within Charles County. If clarifying legislation is required, he will introduce that during the 1993 Session of the General Assembly. For this reason, I have vetoed Senate Bill 222.

Sincerely, William Donald Schaefer Governor

Senate Bill No. 222

AN ACT concerning

<u>Charles County - Sewage Sludge - Notice to Purchasers of Real Property Prohibition on</u> Landfill Disposal

FOR the purpose of requiring a seller of real property to include a certain notice provision in the contract of sale if sewage sludge has been applied to the real property; granting a purchaser of real property the right, under certain circumstances, to recover damages when a seller violates the notice requirement; and generally relating to contracts for the sale of real property on which sewage sludge has been applied prohibiting the disposal of sewage sludge in a landfill in Charles County.

BY adding to

Article - Real Property Environment

Section 14 121 9-227.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1988 1987 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: