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trespass law (former Article 27, § 577(a)(1)) are based on current law. The Committee felt that the Natural Resources Article was the more appropriate place for the license suspension provisions.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Committee Notes contained in this Act are not law.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1998.

May 21, 1998

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

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 406.

This bill creates a statutory exception to the common law rule against perpetuities for trusts which specify that the rule against perpetuities does not apply to the trust.

House Bill 495, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 21, 1998, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 406.

Sincerely, Parris N. Glendening Governor

## Senate Bill No. 406

## AN ACT concerning

## Estates and Trusts - Rule Against Perpetuities

FOR the purpose of exempting certain trusts from the common-law rule against perpetuities; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to the application of the common-law rule against perpetuities.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Estates and Trusts

Section 11-102

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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