

~~[(2)](II)~~ that the child continue to be placed outside the home and that the present placement plan is appropriate to the child's needs;

~~[(3)](III)~~ that the child continue to be placed outside the home, but that the present placement plan is inappropriate to the child's needs; or

~~[(4)](IV)~~ that proceedings be initiated to terminate the rights of the parent as to the child so that the child may be eligible for adoption.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1998.

May 21, 1998

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 113.

This bill provides that the State budget must include the necessary appropriations to pay for the transportation of homicide victims from the autopsy/examination site to a location within the State specified by the victim's family.

Senate Bill 742, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on April 28, 1998, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 113.

Sincerely,
Parris N. Glendening
Governor

House Bill No. 113

AN ACT concerning

Victims of Homicide - Transportation Expenses - State Budget

FOR the purpose of providing that the State budget shall provide the necessary expenses to transport a victim of homicide from the site of the autopsy or examination to a location in the State specified by ~~the victim's family~~ certain persons under certain circumstances; exempting certain suspects from the provisions of this Act *the victim's family*; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to the transportation of victims of homicide.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article - Health - General
Section 5-305(g)