

May 17, 2007

The Honorable Michael E. Busch
Speaker of the House
State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed House Bill 1133 - *Delmarva Advisory Council - Repeal*.

This bill repeals the provisions of law establishing Maryland's membership on the Delmarva Advisory Council. It eliminates the representative of the Delmarva Advisory Council from the membership of the Executive Board of the Rural Maryland Council. It also requires the Department of Legislative Services to notify the appropriate officials in Delaware and Virginia of the dissolution of the Delmarva Advisory Council.

Senate Bill 777, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 1133.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley
Governor