

May 17, 2007

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, today I have vetoed Senate Bill 102 - *State Agencies - StateStat*.

This bill establishes a StateStat accountability process to enhance the managing for results process in State government. The bill authorizes the Governor to require agencies to participate in the StateStat process and submit specified strategic plans and performance measurement reports to the Secretary of Budget and Management.

House Bill 137, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 102.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley  
Governor