

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 936 - *Nonprofit Health Service Plans - Boards of Directors - Term Limits and Compensation*.

This bill makes certain changes to the term limits and compensation of nonprofit health service plan board members. It extends the term limit to a maximum of three full terms (or nine years) and specifies that a Compensation Committee of the board shall develop guidelines for reasonable compensation.

House Bill 487, 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 936.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley  
Governor