

May 22, 2012

The Honorable Michael E. Busch
Speaker of the House
H-101 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 1213 – *Harford County Board of Education – Student Member*.

This bill provides that the student member of the Harford County Board of Education has specified rights and privileges and prohibits the student member from voting on or participating in specified matters. This bill also provides that specified provisions of law relating to the payment of specified expenses for members of the Harford County Board of Education do not apply to the student member of the Board.

Senate Bill 816, 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 1213.

Sincerely,

Governor