

May 22, 2012

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.  
President of the Senate  
H-107 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 274 – *State Board of Pharmacy – Sunset Extension and Revisions*.

This bill continues the State Board of Pharmacy in accordance with the provisions of the Maryland Program Evaluation Act by extending to July 1, 2023, the termination provisions relating to the statutory and regulatory authority of the Board. The bill also repeals specified provisions requiring physician–pharmacist agreements to be approved by the State Board of Physicians and the State Board of Pharmacy and repeals a provision requiring fees related to therapy management to be established in regulations.

House Bill 283, 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 274.

Sincerely,

Governor