May 15, 2014

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 406 – *Allegany County*, *Garrett County*, and *Washington County* – *Sunday Hunting*.

The bill authorizes the Department of Natural Resources to allow a person in Allegany County, Garrett County, or Washington County to hunt any game bird or game mammal, except migratory game birds and wetland game birds, on a Sunday on specified public and private land during the open season for game bird or game mammal.

Senate Bill 472, 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 406.

Sincerely,

Governor Martin O'Malley