May 15, 2014

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 298 – *Alcoholic Beverages – Montgomery County – Beer Festivals*.

The bill authorizes Montgomery County to conduct a beer festival, on not more than 4 weekends each year, under the supervision of the Montgomery County Department of Liquor Control.

House Bill 136, 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 298.

Sincerely,

Governor Martin O'Malley