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 918 – *Talbot County – Board of Elections – Membership*.

The bill requires the Talbot County Board of Elections to have five regular members and requires the members of the local board to be of specified political parties and that a vacancy on the local board be filled in a specified manner.

House Bill 991, 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 918.

Sincerely,

Governor Martin O'Malley