May 12, 2015

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 923 – Capital Grant Program for Local School Systems With Significant Enrollment Growth or Relocatable Classrooms.

This bill establishes the Capital Grant Program for Local School Systems With Significant Enrollment Growth or Relocatable Classrooms; requires the Interagency Committee on Public School Construction to implement and administer the Program; specifies requirements for grants awarded under the Program; and requires the Governor, beginning in fiscal year 2016, to provide \$20,000,000 in the State budget for the Program each fiscal year.

Senate Bill 490, 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 923.

Sincerely,

Governor Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.