May 12, 2015

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 90 – *Guardianship of Disabled Persons and Revocation of Advance Directives*.

This bill authorizes a court to appoint a guardian of the person of a disabled person for a limited period of time under specified circumstances; specifies that specified rights, duties, and powers that a court may order include the duty to file a specified report; and authorizes a declarant to waive specified rights when making an advance directive.

House Bill 293, 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 90.

Sincerely,

Governor Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.