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 355 – Baltimore City – Housing Authority of Baltimore City – Subsidiary Entities.

This bill provides that a not-for-profit entity shall be deemed controlled by the Housing Authority of Baltimore City under specified circumstances; and alters the applicability of specified tax exemption provisions for property of a subsidiary entity of a Baltimore Housing Authority entity.

House Bill 543, 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 355.

Sincerely,

Governor Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.