May 27, 2016

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, I have vetoed House Bill 335 – Income Tax Subtraction Modification – College Savings Plans – Contributions.

This bill provides a subtraction modification under the Maryland income tax for contributions made by specified individuals to specified college savings accounts subject to specified limitations, defines specified terms, and applies the Act to all taxable years beginning after December 31, 2015.

Senate Bill 374, 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 335.

Sincerely,

Governor Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.