May 26, 2017

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 914 – St. Mary's County – Metropolitan Commission – Authority to Borrow Money.

This bill requires the St. Mary's County Commissioners to review and approve any loan application before the St. Mary's County Metropolitan Commission submits that application to a lender.

Senate Bill 735, 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 914.

Sincerely,

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr. Governor