May 24, 2019

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, I have vetoed Senate Bill 306 – State Retirement and Pension System – Maryland Pension Administration System – Member Contributions.

This bill requires participating employers in the State Retirement and Pension System to submit simultaneously member contributions and payroll data supporting the contributions. This bill also maintains and makes conforming changes to existing penalties for failure to provide timely payments or supporting payroll information to the system.

House Bill 63, 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 306.

Sincerely,

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr. Governor