

May 26, 2006

The Honorable Michael E. Busch  
Speaker of the House  
State House  
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed House Bill 467 - *Wicomico County - Orphans' Court Judges – Salary*.

This bill increases the salaries of the judges of the Orphans' Court for Wicomico County; and provides that the Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent judges of the Orphans' Court for Wicomico County.

Senate Bill 608, 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 467.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.  
Governor