

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 1434 - *Income Tax - Extensions for Filing Returns*.

This bill increases to 7 months the period for which the Comptroller may under specified circumstances extend the time for a corporation to file an income tax return; and applies the Act to tax years after 2005.

Senate Bill 484, 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 1434.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.  
Governor