

May 26, 2006

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed Senate Bill 346 - *Environment - Newspapers - Recycled Content Percentage Requirement*.

This bill alters the method of calculating the recycled content percentage requirements for newspapers distributed in the State; and alters the method of calculating the newsprint recycling incentive fee.

House Bill 1238, 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 346.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.
Governor