## 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 384 - *Licensed Real Estate Brokers* - *Branch Offices* – *Managers*.

This bill establishes requirements for a licensed real estate salesperson to qualify to be designated a branch office manager of a licensed real estate broker; and requires a licensed real estate salesperson seeking to qualify as a branch office manager to submit to the State Real Estate Commission a specified commitment at a specified time.

House Bill 715, 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 384.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr. Governor