

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 473 - *Kent County - State's Attorney – Salary*.

This bill increases the salary of the State's Attorney for Kent County to 80 percent of the salary of a judge of the District Court of Maryland; and provides that the Act does not apply to the salary or compensation of the incumbent State's Attorney for Kent County.

House Bill 370, 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 473.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.  
Governor