

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 476 – *Eastern Shore Code Home Rule Counties - Hotel Rental Tax Return - Filing Deadline*.

This bill alters the date by which a hotel in a code county in the Eastern Shore class must complete and file a hotel rental tax return; makes specified clarifying changes; and generally relates to a hotel rental tax return.

House Bill 593, 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 476.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.
Governor