

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 565 - *State Board of Dental Examiners - Various Licensing and Regulatory Requirements*.

This bill alters the qualifications for a teacher's license to practice dentistry or dental hygiene to include part-time faculty members at specified colleges and universities; establishes qualifications for a limited license to practice dentistry; and alters the waiver requirements for specified applicants for a limited license to practice dentistry to repeal a requirement that the applicant pass specified tests given by the State Board of Dental Examiners.

House Bill 714, 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 565.

Very truly yours,

Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr.
Governor