

May 17, 2007

The Honorable Michael E. Busch
Speaker of the House
State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed House Bill 677 - *Harford County - Nuisance Abatement and Local Code Enforcement - Enforcement Authority*.

This bill authorizes the State's Attorney for Harford County to bring specified actions in the District Court for relief from specified nuisances within Harford County; and requires specified notices to the county code enforcement agency and to specified tenants and property owners before a nuisance abatement action may be brought.

Senate Bill 577, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 677.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley
Governor