

May 17, 2007

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 455 - *Maryland Consolidated Capital Bond Loan of 2005 - Talbot County - Frederick Douglass Memorial*.

This bill amends the Maryland Consolidated Capital Bond Loan of 2005 to extend the deadline by which the Frederick Douglass Memorial Action Coalition may present evidence to the Board of Public Works that a matching fund will be provided and alters the matching fund requirement.

House Bill 105, 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 455.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley
Governor