May 19, 2009

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, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 458 – State Treasurer – Local Government Units – Local Debt Policies.

Among other things, Senate Bill 458 requires a specified report of the financial officer of a political subdivision to be submitted to the State Treasurer and requires specified additional information to be included in the report.

House Bill 811, 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 458.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley Governor