May 22, 2012

The Honorable Michael E. Busch Speaker of the House H–101 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 1006 – *Baltimore County* – *Public School Employees* – *Collective Bargaining Units*.

This bill alters the definition of "public school employee" as it relates to collective bargaining units of employees in Baltimore County. The bill also establishes a collective bargaining unit for administrative and supervisory certificated employees and provides that one of the three units for noncertificated employees be for supervisory employees.

Senate Bill 853, 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 1006.

Sincerely,

Governor