

May 15, 2014

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
H-107 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 224 – *State Prosecutor and Deputy State Prosecutor – Witness Immunity– Compulsory Testimony*.

The bill alters the definition of “prosecutor” to include the State Prosecutor or Deputy State Prosecutor under provisions of law related to compulsory witness testimony and witness immunity under specified circumstances.

House Bill 364, 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 224.

Sincerely,

Governor Martin O’Malley