May 25, 2018

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, I have vetoed House Bill 1019 – Alternate Contributory Pension Selection – Former Members – Member Contributions.

This bill allows specified members of the Employees' Pension System (EPS) and Teachers' Pension System (TPS) to continue to receive interest on member contributions under specified circumstances.

Senate Bill 699, 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 1019.

Sincerely,

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr. Governor