

May 24, 2019

The Honorable Adrienne A. Jones
Speaker of the House
H-101 State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Madam Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have vetoed House Bill 268 – *Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship Program – Alterations to the Award of Scholarship Funds*.

This bill clarifies that if a recipient is eligible for a local promise scholarship, a Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship award must be credited to the recipient's tuition before the award of the local promise scholarship.

Senate Bill 240, 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 268.

Sincerely,

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.
Governor