

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 1186 – *Nonpublic Schools – Fire Drill Requirements – State Fire Prevention Code*.

This bill requires each nonpublic school in the State to (1) hold fire drills in accordance with the State Fire Prevention Code; (2) keep records of each fire drill; and (3) send a copy of the records to the State Board of Education.

Senate Bill 465, 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 1186.

Sincerely,

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.
Governor