

May 19, 2011

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 279 – *Dorchester County – Tax Sales – Advertisement and Auctioneer Fees*.

This bill decreases, from 4 to 3, the number of times a specified notice is required to be published in Dorchester County in connection with specified tax sales of property and alters the auctioneer's fee in Dorchester County allowed as an expense relating to specified tax sales of property to be \$7.50 per property sold.

House Bill 270, 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 279.

Sincerely,

Governor