

May 16, 2007

To the Members of the General Assembly

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On May 16, 2007, the Honorable Martin O'Malley, Governor, vetoed the following pieces of legislation passed by the General Assembly; the reason for the vetoes are indicated:

SB 497 Senator Haines, et al

Policy PUBLIC SAFETY – DISPOSAL OF HANDGUNS OWNED BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY

Authorizing a law enforcement agency to dispose of a handgun owned by the agency by selling, exchanging, or transferring the handgun to a manufacturer; and defining “manufacturer”.
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HB 992 Delegate Anderson, et al

Policy CRIMINAL PROCEDURE – DRUG-RELATED OFFENSES – PAROLE ELIGIBILITY FOR SECOND OFFENDERS

Altering a specified provision concerning eligibility for parole by providing that a person convicted of a specified drug-related offense is not eligible for parole during a specified mandatory minimum sentence if the person has been convicted of a violation of a specified crime of violence arising out of the incident that resulted in the imposition of the mandatory minimum sentence.
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Sincerely,

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