

May 19, 2009

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 334 – *Talbot County – Alcoholic Beverages – Limited Wineries*.

Senate Bill 334 authorizes a holder of a Class 4 manufacturer's (limited winery) license in Talbot County to produce wine and pomace brandy at each warehouse for which the holder has been issued an individual storage permit. The bill also prohibits a holder from serving or selling wine and pomace brandy to the public at a warehouse.

House Bill 105, 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 334.

Sincerely,

Martin O'Malley
Governor