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MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

June 21, 1983

The Honorable Benjamin L. Cardin  
Speaker Maryland House of Delegates  
State House  
Annapolis, Maryland

Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House:

I send my congratulations and heartfelt thanks to you for your responsible and prompt action in redrafting and passing House Bill 1030, of the 1983 regular session of the General Assembly, a complex and extremely important piece of legislation.

The action you have taken today establishes Maryland as a leader in the nation in protecting investors from possible harm in hostile takeover attempts by preserving the rights of the smaller shareholders.

On this first day of summer, I especially thank those of you who interrupted vacations or incurred similar personal inconvenience to be here.

Best wishes to each of you in the days ahead, and I look forward to working closely with you again next January.

Sincerely,  
Harry Hughes  
Governor

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QUORUM CALL

The presiding officer announced a quorum call, resulting as follows:

Delegates -

Mr. Speaker, Parlett, Bell, Slade, Mitchell, Astle, Hagner, Jimeno, Kolodziejski, Leopold, Athey, Schmincke, Gary, Neall, Smith, Rymer, Linton, Sprague, LaMotte, Collins, Connelly, Weir, Arnick, DePazzo, Staab, Anderson, D., Bartenfelder, Burgess, Hughes, D., Kernan, Chamberlain, Kach, Sauerbrey, Alperstein, Hollinger, Levin, Masters, Morsberger, Murphy, N., Horne, Long, D., Colburn, Murray, Guns, Menes, Mooney, Palumbo, Devlin,