

purchase or condemnation, or any other legal means, of land or property, or any rights therein, within or without the City of Baltimore (subject to local government approval for land outside of Baltimore City); constructing and erecting on said land or property or on any land or property now or hereafter owned by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore new buildings, structures and facilities and in any other manner improving and developing said land or property; the establishment and development of sites for landfills and the establishment and development of transfer stations; the acquisition or installation of equipment needed for or in connection with any or all of the forementioned buildings, structures or facilities or other things, and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection with or pertaining to any or all of the matters or things hereinbefore mentioned; provided, however, that no part of such proceeds shall be used to pay costs not directly related to and required for the stated purposes, it being the intent of this provision to limit the use of such proceeds to capital expenditures and to prohibit their use for current expenses of the City; provided further, that no part of the said proceeds shall be used for capital improvements to the facility known as the Reedbird Avenue Incinerator; and provided further, that nothing contained in Section 3(b) of this Act shall be construed to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to acquire any land or property, or any rights therein, located outside the boundary lines of Baltimore City without the approval of the governing body of the political subdivision in which the land is located; and authorizing the submission of an ordinance or ordinances for the purpose stated to the legal voters of Baltimore City; and providing generally for the issuance and sale of the certificates of indebtedness.

May 17, 1976.

Honorable John Hanson Briscoe  
Speaker of the House of Delegates  
State House  
Annapolis, Maryland 21404

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17, of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed House Bill 1770.

This bill authorizes Baltimore City to issue bonds in an amount not exceeding sixteen million dollars to improve incinerator No. 4 and to construct a related