

MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

June 1, 1982

The Honorable Benjamin L. Cardin
 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 1305.

This bill amends Sec. 10-309 of the Courts and Judicial Proceedings Article to provide that evidence a of chemical analysis is not admissible in a prosecution for driving while intoxicated or under the influence, "if obtained contrary to...[the] provisions" of Subtitle 3 of Title 10 of the Courts Article, but is not inadmissible for other violations.

Senate Bill 383, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me on May 3, 1982, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 1305.

Sincerely,
 Harry Hughes
 Governor

Read and ordered journalized.

House Bill No. 1305

AN ACT concerning

~~Homicide-By-Intoxicated-Driver-of-Motor-Vehiele---Evidence
 of-Chemical-Test-for-Alcohol~~
Chemical Test for Alcohol - Evidence

~~FOR--the--purpose--of--clarifying--that--a--chemical--test--of--a
 person's--breath--or--blood--may--be--administered--to--a
 person--who--is--prosecuted--for--committing--homicide--in--a
 certain--manner--while--intoxicated,---providing---that
 evidence--of--the--chemical--test--is--admissible--in--the
 prosecution--of--the--person--even--in--the--absence--of
 compliance--with--a--certain--provision--concerning--the
 person's--right--to--select--the--type--of--chemical--test
 administered,--under--certain--circumstances,--providing
 for--certain--consent--to--the--taking--of--a--chemical--test
 under--certain--circumstances,--and--clarifying--language-~~