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Request to override veto of Bill No. 517 and Act No. 978

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MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE:

On April 17, 1950 I vetoed S. Bill No. 517 and Act. No. 978, which repealed a code section relating to the purchase of sprinkler systems by State Institutions.

This Act was vetoed at the request of the Secretary of the Sinking Fund Commission, who advised me that the authority contained in the code section was needed to complete pending negotiations to install sprinkler systems in some of our State Institutions.

I am now informed that there is another code section which gives this same authority, and the Secretary of the Sinking Fund Commission concurs in this view.

Therefore, I respectfully request that my veto be overridden in order that this duplication in our code can be removed, pursuant to the intentions of the authors of this act.

April 25, 1950