

July 30, 2003

To the Honorable Members of the  
Illinois Senate  
93<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 9(b) of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby veto -  
Senate Bill 496, entitled "AN ACT in relation to taxes." I recognize and appreciate the hard  
work of all the sponsors in passing this legislation. However, Senate Bill 496 contains  
identical language as Public Act 93-0188, effective July 11, 2003.

For this reason, I hereby veto and return Senate Bill 496.

Sincerely,

ROD R. BLAGOJEVICH  
Governor