Veto No. 1980-9

HB 2158

December 19, 1980

To the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

I hereby publicly proclaim and file with the Secretary of the Commonwealth, my disapproval of House Bill 2158, Printer's No. 2745, entitled "An act making an appropriation to the Hugh Moore Park Commission of Northampton County."

The Canal Museum is certainly a worthwhile project and has played an important role in preserving part of Pennsylvania's historic past. However, it is heretofore an unfunded nonpreferred appropriation. In an era of fiscal restraint, I believe it is unwise to begin funding any additional nonpreferred appropriation.

DICK THORNBURGH