



HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

TESTIMONY

Submitted by

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SB 50 – Higher Education – Returned Peace Corps Volunteers

Position: Support

The Maryland Association of Community Colleges representing Maryland's 16 community colleges offers our support to SB 50 that waives the out-of-state tuition for returning Peace Corps volunteers who are nonresidents of Maryland but are currently domiciled in the State.

We want to thank the sponsor for incorporating those students receiving the waiver in the formulas that determine state aid for community colleges and thereby addresses our concerns with the legislation that was introduced last Session.