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**HEARING DATE:** March 30, 2023

**BILL:** SB0722

**TITLE:** State Department of Assessments and Taxation – Mandatory Retirement Age – Repeal

**SDAT POSITION:** SUPPORT

The State Department of Assessments and Taxation (SDAT) strongly supports SB0722. This Departmental legislative proposal would permit the Department to retain talent regardless of the employee's age. The Department views this legislation as paramount to its mission of retaining a diverse field of employees, and believes that employees should not be terminated simply because of their age.

For these reasons, SDAT strongly urges a favorable vote on SB0722.