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RE: House Bill 350, "Budget Bill (Fiscal Year 2026)"

Dear Governor Moore:

We have reviewed and hereby approve for constitutionality and legal sufficiency House Bill 350, "Budget Bill (Fiscal Year 2026)." Our review of the budget bill is limited to provisions of the bill that are subject to veto. Per Art. II, § 17 of the Maryland Constitution, the Governor's veto authority extends only to "items relating to the Executive Department that have been increased or added by the General Assembly."

Sincerely,

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