Delores G. Kelley, Chair Brian J. Feldman, Vice Chair 3 East Miller Senate Office Building Annapolis, MD 21401 SB 521 Supporting

Dear Chair Kelley, Vice Chair Feldman, and Members of the Finance Committee,

The university and school fees should be deducted from the GA salary. Having it as added salary is hundreds or thousands of dollars in additional taxable income that must go right back to the university. Also, having half GAs only get half tuition waivers is rare amongst universities and should be changed.

Sincerely,

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