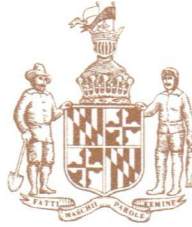


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**RE: Senate Bill 495 – Reckless and Negligent Driving – Death of Another – Must-Appear Violation (Sherry’s and Ryan’s Law)**

Dear Committee Members:

I request your support for SB 495. The purpose of this bill is to require a person who was driving recklessly and negligently, causing the death of another, to appear in court. This allows the victim’s family to see who killed their family member. It also makes the driver face the victim’s family and feel the impact of their actions. The driver whose actions caused someone to lose their life should not be able to simply pay a fine and move on with their lives when they have destroyed the lives of others.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Bob Cassilly', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

Senator Bob Cassilly