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Maryland Senate
11 Bladen St.
Annapolis, MD. 21401

In Support of SB 488: Sales and Use Tax Exemption – Medical Devices

Members of the Maryland Senate’s Budget and Taxation Committee.

We are an organization of military and non-military families with over 1400 members and fully support exempting medical supplies listed within SB 488 from sales tax.

This bill would be a huge help to families that need the most help during these extremely trying times. Especially those that suffer from chronic health conditions that these devices that aid patients monitor at home as part of their health maintenance plans. That extra money can make a positive impact on many of Maryland’s families, their ability to build their savings, or to afford necessities like medications and therapies.

So many families and elderly are still hurting financially from the past 2 years of health and economic hardships, we all can use a helping hand during these trying times. We hope that the MGA will also work on other constructive ways of supporting working families and elderly populations moving forward. This one is many steps needed to support our varied communities of PAC members.

The future of Maryland’s economy lies with its families that we need to be supporting now and into the future. Let’s support them now when they need it the most.

Please support Senate Bill 488 and return a favorable report. Thank you for your time, and for considering our testimony today.

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