

This bill is an absolute disgrace. Bill HB 1171 reflects the Eugenicist ideals of the disgraced Margaret Sanger. With Maryland being the first Catholic area in the country, I cannot make clear how angering and disappointing this bill is to all Catholics and probably many non-Catholics alike. Statutory rape and age of consent laws will be abolished at worst and made ineffective at best. Not being able to sue an adult for having sex with a minor, prepubescent or not, is irreprehensible. Having the gall to put this under "reproductive rights" not only says who's pushing this thinks their constituents are dumb, but that whoever is pushing this doesn't care what they think. Allowing abortion in this country is an abominable evil on this country's reputation worse than slavery but encouraging minors by taking power away from the parents is straight from Hell, and the same goes for allowing genital mutilation and confirming people in a mental illness called gender dysphoria. Making taxpayers pay for these changes and foot the bill to such evils is a violation against God and against every man and woman who object to such things, and even those who don't. When the people who drafted this bill eventually ask why the American people have become so volatile towards lawmakers, they will only have the depravity of themselves to look upon. People will realize that once a nation does not defend the unborn anymore, that it has no point in being a nation. Maryland will eventually, if those who made this and support it do not repent, face absolute chastisement from God in one way or another. God will not be mocked, and anyone who hurts the unborn or born children would be better off having a millstone hung around his neck than to even be indifferent to such tragedies going on in Maryland and other states in the country.