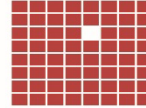




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RE: **SUPPORT** – House Bill 180 – *Interstate Medical Licensure Compact – Sunset Extension and Reporting*

On behalf of the Maryland State Medical Society (MedChi) and the Maryland Chapter of the American College of Emergency Physicians (MDACEP), we submit this letter of **support** for House Bill 180.

House Bill 180 simply extends Maryland’s participation in the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact (Compact) from September 30, 2022 until September 30, 2027. The Compact is an important tool for physicians to more easily become licensed in multiple states. Currently, 29 states are members of the Compact, having all joined since its inception in 2017.

MedChi and MDACEP request that the Committee give House Bill 180 a favorable report.

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