

UNFAVORABLE SB0094

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Dear Lawmakers

Please find unfavorable for SB0094. The issue of suicide is being wrongfully agendized. Statistics are available which detail the largest categories of suicides in America and Maryland. Though I requested this be handled in the Senate, it was not.

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Dear Senator,

Please add the following person to the list of those included on the Committee created by your bill SB0094.

Though the text mentions veterans, in fact, the highest level of suicide is by young boys

"63% of youth suicides are from fatherless homes (US Dept. Of Health/Census) – 5 times the average" (<https://thefatherlessgeneration.wordpress.com/statistics/>)

and divorced men.

Conclusions: Marital status, especially divorce, has strong net effect on mortality from suicide, but only among men.

<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/linking-suicide-to-marital-status/>)

These segments are heterosexual & must be represented in the bill.

Thanks for your attention.

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