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Judicial Proceedings Committee 2 East Miller Senate Office Building Annapolis, Maryland 21401

RE: SUPPORT SB 0147, Street Racing and Exhibition Driving

Dear Chair William Smith:

May it be known the mission of the Randallstown NAACP is to secure equal rights in order to eliminate race-based discrimination and ensure the health and wellbeing of all persons in Baltimore County and the State of Maryland. The Randallstown NAACP members have stated Public Safety, Education and the Economy/ taxes as the top three issues.

Illegal car races are invading American streets from Woodlawn to Owings Mills, with shocking video emerging of huge crowds gathered to watch highly dangerous driving.

The consequences can be deadly and can terrorize neighborhoods. Despite this growing problem, there's only a patchwork of laws and strategies to reign in street racing in Maryland.

The Randallstown Branch of the NAACP urges a favorable report from the committee on SB 0147.

yours,

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