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Letter of Support

HB 242 - State Amusement Ride Safety Advisory Board - Sunset Extension

Dear Chair Wilson, Vice Chair Crosby, and members of the House Economic Matters Committee,

HB 242 is necessary to allow the State Advisory Board for Amusement Ride Safety to continue to operate beyond its current July 1, 2024, sunset date, extending it until July 1, 2034. The State Advisory Board for Amusement Ride Safety provides advice and consultation to the Commissioner on reasonable regulations to protect members of the public in their use of amusement attractions.

The Department respectfully requests a **favorable report** by the Committee on HB 242.

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