

Support for HB1076

To: House Ways and Means Committee

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Please support HB1076, a bill to improve procedures to get blind K-12 students their textbooks.

I attend Centennial High School, and I am a senior. This year, I took Statistics. As you know, today is February 21, and from September to now, I did not receive a textbook. I assume the the county did not want to pay for the transcription of it into braille. Instead, the vision program is putting the textbook online for me. Much of the time, chapters come out late. The scanner makes mistakes, especially regarding formulas. If the publisher of a textbook purchased in Maryland gave an electronic copy, as the bill requires, I would get my textbook without errors, and on time.

Please vote in favor of this bill, so that we can get a textbook without mistakes and in time to do the required work.