MIKE MCKAY Legislative District 1 Garrett, Allegany, and Washington Counties

Judicial Proceedings Committee

Executive Nominations Committee



James Senate Office Building 11 Bladen Street, Room 416 Annapolis, Maryland 21401 410-841-3565 · 301-858-3565 800-492-7122 Ext. 3565 Mike.McKay@senate.state.md.us

THE SENATE OF MARYLAND ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND 21401

Senate Bill 763 – Garrett County – Hotel Rental Tax – Alterations

January 19, 2025

Dear Chairman Guzzone, Vice Chair Rosapepe, and Members of the Committee,

I am writing to express my support for Senate Bill 763 – Garrett County – Hotel Rental Tax – Alterations. The bill's purpose is to allow Garrett County to levy a tax on different vacation rental units that are not just hotels. These will now include places such as houses, condominiums, apartments, or other dwellings. This will increase revenue for Garrett County during tourism.

I thank you and ask for a favorable report.

Sincerely,

Senator Mike McKay

Lefunch

Representing the Appalachia Region of Maryland Serving Garrett, Allegany, and Washington Counties