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THE SENATE OF MARYLAND Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Senate Bill 1046 - Correctional Officers - Body-Worn Digital Recording Devices

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Dear Chairman Smith, Vice Chairman Waldstreicher, and Members of the Committee

I am writing to introduce Senate Bill 1046 – Correctional Officers – Body-Worn Digital Recording Devices. This bill authorizes the interception of certain oral communications by a correctional officer with a body-worn digital recording device under certain circumstances and subject to certain requirements. This bill will also require the Maryland Correctional Training Commission to develop and publish this policy by January 1, 2026.

Thank you all very much for your time.

Sincerely,

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Senator Mike McKay

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