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Senate Bill 398 – Criminal Procedure – Automated Expungement

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

Senate Bill 398 repeals a certain law provision requiring the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services to expunge certain cases involving charges of possession of cannabis on or before a certain date. This bill will establish procedures for the automated expungement of certain cases outlined in the bill by the Department and the Judiciary.

I thank you for your time and I urge a favorable report.

Sincerely,

Senator Mike McKay

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