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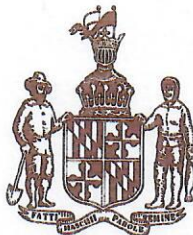
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**THE SENATE OF MARYLAND**  
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The Honorable William C. Smith, Jr.  
Judicial Proceedings Committee  
2 East Miller Senate Office Building

RE: Senate Bill 877 – Queen Anne's County- Circuit Court Judgeships

Dear Chairman and Members of the Committee,

Senate Bill 877 is a local bill that would increase the number of resident judges of the Circuit Court for Queen Anne's County from one to two judges

Senate Bill 877 is supported by the Queen Anne's County Commissioners and the Queen Anne's County Delegation.

I ask for your favorable consideration of Senate Bill 877.