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The Honorable Luke Clippinger, Chairman
and Members of the Judiciary Committee
Maryland House of Delegates
Annapolis, Maryland

RE: **HB0982** – Gun Felon Act – **FAVORABLE**

Dear Chairman Clippinger and Committee Members,

The 1,154 members of the Maryland Federation of Republican Women strongly support HB0982 to classify stealing a firearm as a felony.

This is common sense legislation. It will be a deterrent, especially to teenagers – to think twice before stealing a firearm.

Fewer guns → fewer crimes → fewer lives lost.

It is commendable that 47 bi-partisan Delegates are sponsoring this important legislation.

Please give **HB0982** a **FAVORABLE** report.

Sincerely,
Ella Ennis
Legislative Chairman