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TESTIMONY ON CROSSOVER BILL SB0923- POSITION: FAVORABLE WITH ITS AMENDMENTS

County Boards of Education - Antibias Training for Members - Requirement (County Board Member Antibias Training Act)

TO: Chair Atterbeary, Vice Chair Wilkins, and members of the Ways and Means Committee **FROM**: Richard Keith Kaplowitz

My name is Richard Keith Kaplowitz. I am a resident of District 3, Frederick County. I am submitting this testimony in support with its amendments of crossover bill SB0293, County Boards of Education - Antibias Training for Members - Requirement (County Board Member Antibias Training Act)

This bill is the cross-filed bill HB0324 passed 2/24/25 and referred to your committee. The SB0293 bill passed the Senate on 2/14/25. HB0324 passed the House with its amendments and your committee also passed SB0293 with its amendments. Please pass the cross-filed bill and send it to the floor of the Senate for joint passage.

I submitted testimony on both bills and there are no differences between the versions passed.

I respectfully urge this committee to return a favorable report with its amendments on cross over bill SB0293.