

SB0426\_Crossfiled Bill\_RichardKaplowitz\_FAV

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**TESTIMONY ON CROSS-FILED BILL SB#0426- POSITION: FAVORABLE**

**Public Information Act - Divorce Records**

**TO:** Chair Wells, Vice Chair Kerr, and members of the Government, Labor and Elections 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 of cross-filed bill SB#0426, **Public Information Act - Divorce Records**

I submitted testimony on the cross-filed bill version heard in your chamber. That was bill HB0403 without amendments which passed the House 135-0. This is the crossover bill from the other chamber SB0426. I urge you to support this bill which passed the Senate without amendments by the vote of 44-0. Please reconcile these bills if necessary and pass them in both chambers after a favorable vote in your committee.

**I respectfully urge this committee to return a favorable report on cross-filed bill SB#0426.**