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**Testimony for HB 199**  
Health and Government Operations Committee

Good afternoon Madame Chair, Madame Vice – Chair, and esteemed members of the committee.

I am Delegate C.T Wilson and it's a privilege to be here to present:

**House Bill 199: Maryland State Sport – Lacrosse.**

**Bill Overview:**

Altering the State sport of Maryland from jousting to lacrosse; and repealing lacrosse as the State team sport of Maryland.

**Bill Outline:**

1. Changing our State's official sport from Jousting to Lacrosse.
2. Removing the designation of State team sport.

**Conclusion:** In conclusion, this bill aims to remove redundancy from the Code and change the current state sport of jousting to lacrosse. This legislation generally relates to the official sport of Maryland if passed, lacrosse will be the official state sport effective October 1, 2021.

**Thank you** for your time and I request a favorable report for **HB 199**. I am open to any questions or concerns that you may have regarding this bill.