

Honorable Anne Healy, Chair
and members of The House Rules and Executive Nominations Committee
Maryland House of Delegates
Annapolis, MD

RE: HB 1031 General Assembly – Term Limits SUPPORT

Dear Chair Healy and Members of the Committee,

HB 1031 encourages a constant influx of new ideas into the legislation regarding the needs and concerns of Marylanders and how to address said needs and concerns.

HB 1031 would encourage those in political offices of the Senate and House to focus on doing the job they were elected to perform. Knowing that, after a short term in office, they must, once again, return to “regular citizenship”, they will be more motivated to act in ways positively effecting the lives of Marylanders.

HB 1031 would keep Senators and House Delegates in touch with the concerns, needs and desires of citizens. Career politicians tend to be out-of-touch with such. Enforcing term limits would go a long way to ensuring that the changing needs and concerns would be addressed.

HB 1031 could, possibly, reduce corruption and maintain the citizens’ faith of “the system”. With the already increased skepticism of election integrity, allowing for term limits reduces the possibility of abuse of power which stems from a prolonged amount of time in office.

Please vote for a Favorable Report for HB 1031 General Assembly – Term Limits.

Sincerely,

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