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**BILL NUMBER** SB0112

**BILL TITLE:** Election Law - False Ballot Drop Boxes -  
Criminal Penalty

**BILL CONTACT:** Senator Cheryl Kagan

**POSITION:** FAVORABLE

Honorable Chairman Paul Pinsky, Vice-Chairwoman Cheryl Kagan, and Members of the Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee:

Represent Maryland fully supports this criminal penalty for confusing and misleading voters by dropping their ballots into a fraudulent ballot drop box. This method was greatly used during the Presidential Election 2020 as the Coronavirus Pandemic ravaged the United States. Many voters were not comfortable standing in line as they feared they would contract the virus. It was popular, it was safe, and it went without massive fraud and irregularities. With that being said, the rule of law shall prevail. Anyone who deceives voters such as placing and labeling a fraudulent ballot drop box shall be punished.

Thank You,

Justin Gallardo, Volunteer

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