

The inevitable consequence of Bill SB 516 Cannabis Reform on Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Health and Happiness. - Copia

Good day US Rep KWEISI MFUME and accompanying representatives and delegates.

After 27 years of my brothers and sisters in Baltimore being criminalized and persecuted for wanting pain and anxiety relief in a cold, harsh city, I, Ian Alexander Swain of Sound Mind, did not expect to be writing in protest about a progressive cannabis reform. I definitely didn't expect to be forced back into the status of an illegal medical cannabis user. As a individual dealing with a frustrating form of epilepsy that has at times left me without voluntary motor function, the ability to fully express my bladder, involuntary essential tremors, palsy, and left me lame in my legs for more than a year. Cannabis is a significant part of my wellness plan and the medical cannabis pay for wellness scheme was already a disgusting hurdle for patients in my honest opinion. As a resident of Baltimore and life long native, you, my representatives, have failed me. You have failed my fellow residents and you have failed yourselves, defeating the chance of ever being able to say, "I did right by my constituents, I helped Baltimore inch towards a more peaceful, healthy space."

"I can be proud of myself. "

Signed,

Ian Alexander Swain

21214 Resident

CBD, CBG, CBN, CBC, and a number of other crucial cannabinoids and NECESSARY for my health and wellness that would be made illegal for me to have simple, adult restricted access too.

Attached are lab reports for products that are crucial to my right to the pursuit of happiness and within that the right to pursue my best wellness plan.

I expect a tax in some way, I expect strict regulations, I didn't expect a health risk being reintroduced.

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