

Honorable Senators

I strongly oppose SB1165.

It is morally wrong to deliberately spread any disease to another person!

How inhumane!

It is especially worse to spread HIV, which could be fatal or require extensive medication to keep from dying.

Why would anyone even propose such a bill?

Just because the number of trials and convictions are almost zero, this crime should remain on the books just in case someone should decide to do so.

Hopefully, the listed punishment would be a deterrent.

Some rural jurisdictions in Maryland have few if any murders.

If there should be several consecutive years without a murder, we should celebrate, but not remove the law against it.

Please vote against SB1165.

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