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ISSUES THE MARYLAND CATHOLIC CONFERENCE IS FOLLOWING

Bill #	Bill Description	MCC Position
Hearings This Week-Senate		
SB 526	Labor and Employment - Regulation of Farm Labor Contractors and Foreign Labor Contractors	SUPPORT
SB 532	Higher Education - Financial Aid - In-State Students (The Jill Wrigley Memorial Scholarship Expansion Act)	SUPPORT
SB 546	Higher Education - Tuition Rates - Exemptions	SUPPORT
SB 550	Maryland Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) Program – Death of a Designated Beneficiary	SUPPORT
SB 670	Family Law - Marriage - Age Requirements	SUPPORT
SB 671	Hate Crimes - Threats and Penalties	SUPPORT
SB 862	Maryland No-Fault Birth Injury Fund	SUPPORT
SB 869	Criminal Procedure - Motion to Vacate Judgment - Human Trafficking	SUPPORT
SB 881	Criminal Law - Human Trafficking and Prostitution Offenses	SUPPORT
SB 1060	Nonpublic Elementary and Secondary Schools - Discrimination - Prohibition	OPPOSE
SB 1062	Weapon Crimes - Detachable Magazines and Regulated Firearms - Possession	SUPPORT
Budget – TEDCO	T50T01.03 – Maryland Stem Cell Research Fund	OPPOSE
Hearings This Week-House		
HB 113	Public Safety - Baltimore City Safe Streets Initiatives - Funding	SUPPORT
HB 420	Higher Education - Financial Aid - In-State Students (The Jill Wrigley Memorial Scholarship Expansion Act)	SUPPORT
HB 644	State Income Tax - Subtraction Modification - Elementary and Secondary Education Expenses	OPPOSE
HB 671	Sales and Use Tax - Tax-Free Period for Back-to-School Shopping - School Supplies	SUPPORT
HB 700	Criminal Law - Hate Crimes - Group Victim	SUPPORT
HB 748	Criminal Law – Homicide – Unborn Child (Laura and Reid’s Law)	SUPPORT
HB 782	Maryland Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) Program – Death of a Designated Beneficiary	SUPPORT
HB 1244	Workgroup on Establishing an Independent School Board for the Juvenile Services Education System	SUPPORT
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