

ST. MARY'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT
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Senate Bill 197
Correctional Facilities – Individuals Subject to
Immigration Detainer – Homeland Security Notification

Hearing: January 30, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.

SUPPORT

January 28, 2020

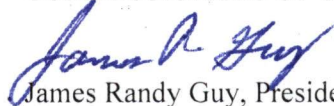
The Honorable William C. Smith, Jr., Chairman
Judicial Proceedings Committee
2 East, Miller Senate Office Building
11 Bladen Street
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Chairman Smith:

The Commissioners of St. Mary's County SUPPORT Senate Bill 197 – Correctional Facilities – Individuals Subject to Immigration Detainer – Homeland Security Notification which is being heard on January 30, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. in the Judicial Proceedings Committee.

This bill would require us to notify Homeland Security 72 hours in advance if the individual has an immigration detainer and therefore, we SUPPORT the introduction of this legislation and believe this legislation would benefit the citizens of St. Mary's County. We look forward to working with you on this and other initiatives throughout the session.

Sincerely,
COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY


James Randy Guy, President

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Cc: Senator Jack Bailey
Delegate Matthew Morgan
Delegate Gerald Clark
Delegate Brian Crosby
Commissioner Eric Colvin
Commissioner Michael Hewitt
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