



February 21, 2018

The Honorable Dereck E. Davis  
Economic Matters Committee  
Room 231, House Office Building  
Annapolis, MD 21401

**RE: HB 1421** – Labor and Employment – Maryland Healthy Working Families Act – Seasonal Worker Revisions – **Support**

Dear Delegate Davis:

While the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce strongly opposes the Healthy Working Families Act, it does support repealing the provision to cover “seasonal” employees. Considering the record keeping and data tracking provisions required in this law, it seems non-sensical to apply it to employees who will not be employed long enough to actually use the leave, or even to earn any meaningful amount of leave.

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce, a business advocacy organization of over 600 members, supports this bill and therefore requests that you give it a favorable report.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mike McMullin'.

Mike McMullin  
President  
Carroll County Chamber of Commerce

CC: Delegate Haven Shoemaker  
Senator Justin Ready