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LD 2129

Dear committee, I am in favor of LD2129. Can you imagine the pain that assault victims feel when they go through a traumatic ordeal? Then, after they go to the hospital (where they likely spend many hours) they later discover that somewhere between the hospital and the police station, their forensic kit (including legal testimony) was somehow misplaced... without that kit, they can't get justice. Can you image how they feel then? This is a true experience for too many people and causes further trauma by the very institutions which were created to keep them safe. One kit lost is one too many. There needs to be an accountability and tracking law for forensic assault kits! Please fix this. By supporting this bill, you can make it better for victims who seek help and ensure that their kits remain in a just, safe, and trusted way. Thank you for making this better. With Liberty and Justice for all.