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**Testimony to the House Judiciary Committee
In Support of HB2389
March 12, 2025**

Chair Humphries and Committee Members,

Our associations support HB2389 creating a statutory provision for the court to consider prior offenses of the listed sex crimes when setting the bond. Repeat offenders of these crimes pose a significant threat to public safety and are more likely to create a willingness to not appear for trial. The victims of these crimes are especially fearful when the offender is not incarcerated pending trial for these very serious crimes.

This is a commonsense bill. We urge you to move it forward favorably.

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