

Greetings Mr./Madam Chair, members of the Committee, I'm Kathrin Volochenko of the **Nonpartisan League**

I request that this committee bring **HB 1137** to the floor with a "**Do Pass**" recommendation.

As a person who uses mobility-impaired placards, in one of my vehicles I do have difficulty hanging the placard on the rearview mirror post mount as there are cables for the electronics that make it difficult to do so. So there I am struggling to get the flexible vinyl placard hook aligned just right so that it will actually go around the cables and hang in place.

Also sometimes I do have difficulty reaching up to perform this task. And I'm reasonably fit, so I can just well imagine how a person who isn't as tall or is not as fit, must struggle to hang this placard in just the proper spot just so that they won't be issued a non-compliance ("annoyance") citation when just placing it on top of the dashboard in plain view would accomplish the same objective.

In conclusion, adding those five words as quoted below changes everything for a person who has had much difficulty complying with the current law.

"6. A certificate issued under this section must be hung from the rearview mirror or placed on the dashboard."

Thank you for your time and attention.