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## **CWA ENDORSES O'MALLEY-BROWN**

**Washington, DC (March 8, 2006)** – Today, the Communications Workers of America announced its endorsement of Martin O'Malley and Anthony Brown for Governor and Lt. Governor for the State of Maryland.

In announcing the endorsement, Pete Catucci, Vice President, CWA District 2 stated,

“We are very proud of our participation in the Maryland State & DC AFL-CIO endorsement process that resulted last week in the formal endorsement of Baltimore Mayor Martin O'Malley for Governor.”

“Mayor O'Malley has been a proven friend to the entire membership of CWA in the State of Maryland during his entire political career. Beginning with his time on the Baltimore City Council and continuing through his tenure as Mayor, we have enjoyed a mutually beneficial working relationship.”

“We look forward to helping in every way we can to elect Martin O'Malley as the next Governor of our great state.”

The CWA represents 15,000 members in the State of Maryland.

“I am proud to receive the endorsement of the Communication Workers of America,” said Martin O'Malley. “Their support and the support of working families throughout our state are essential to getting the Governor's office back on the side of working families.”

Last week, six months before the primary election, O'Malley and Brown received the overwhelming and early endorsement of the Maryland State and District of Columbia AFL-CIO, which has almost 300,000 members.

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