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Research Analysis

The policy committee recommendation for HB 2379 creates the "Doran Act of 2025," which requires each health spa to have at least one automated external defibrillator on the premises. The defibrillator must be placed in the location that best provides accessibility at all times. If the health spa is unstaffed, it must have a telephone for 9-1-1 telephone access and a sign indicating the location of and how to use the automated external defibrillator as well as instruction on CPR. No cause of action against a health spa or its employees may arise in connection with this unless the health spa failed to purchase such device or acted with gross negligence in the use of such device. If a health spa doesn't comply, any contract for health spa services will be voidable at the option of the buyer.

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Fiscal Analysis

The policy recommendation to HB 2379 creates the Doran Act of 2025, which requires at least one automated external defibrillator to be on health spa premises. This measure is not anticipated to have a direct fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.