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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 427
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “Food Service Facilities -” and substitute “Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems –”; in the same line, strike “Defibrillator Program” and substitute “Defibrillators - Study”; strike beginning with “requiring” in line 4 down through “requirements;” in line 6; in lines 6 and 7, strike “the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene and”; in line 8, strike “jointly to adopt certain regulations” and substitute “to conduct a certain study regarding the location of automated external defibrillators; requiring the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems to compile certain information and provide a certain summary; requiring the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems to use certain data in conducting the study; requiring the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems to report its findings and recommendations to certain committees of the General Assembly on or before a certain date”; in the same line, strike “an” and substitute “a study regarding”; in line 9, strike “defibrillator program for food service facilities” and substitute “defibrillators”; and strike in their entirety lines 10 through 14, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 16, strike “the Laws of Maryland read as follows”.

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 17 on page 1 through line 15 on page 2, inclusive, and substitute:

“(a) The Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems shall:

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(1) in consultation with interested stakeholders, study and make recommendations regarding locations where automated external defibrillators could be most beneficial;

(2) compile information on the cost of automated external defibrillators, including the cost of installation;

(3) compile information on the cost of training individuals to use automated external defibrillators; and

(4) provide a summary of the immunity from liability provisions in State law regarding the use of automated external defibrillators.

(b) In conducting the study required under subsection (a) of this section, the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems shall use any relevant data that is available for calendar years 2015, 2016, and 2017.

(c) On or before December 1, 2017, the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems shall report its findings and recommendations to the Senate Finance Committee and the House Health and Government Operations Committee in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.”.

On page 2, in line 17, strike “October” and substitute “July”.