



General Assembly

January Session, 2019

**Committee Bill No. 6530**

LCO No. 5702



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:  
(PH)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRESENCE OF AUTOMATED EXTERNAL  
DEFIBRILLATORS IN ALL STATE-OWNED OR LEASED BUILDINGS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General  
Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2019*) On and after January 1, 2020,  
2 (1) each state-owned or leased building shall provide and maintain in a  
3 central location of the building at least one automatic external  
4 defibrillator, as defined in section 19a-175 of the general statutes, and  
5 (2) at least one person employed at such state-owned or leased  
6 building shall be (A) trained in the use of an automatic external  
7 defibrillator in accordance with the standards set forth by the  
8 American Red Cross or American Heart Association, or similar  
9 standards set forth by another organization approved by the  
10 Department of Public Health, and (B) present at such state-owned or  
11 leased building during normal business hours.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following  
sections:

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| Section 1 | <i>July 1, 2019</i> | New section |
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**PH** Joint Favorable

**APP**      *Joint Favorable*