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Proposed Bill [doc]

Introducer(s):

REP. DONNA VEACH, 30th DIST.

Title: AN ACT AUTHORIZING HOSPITALS TO INSTALL DEVICES ON AN EXTERIOR WALL OF AN EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT TO FACILITATE THE VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF INFANTS TO EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT STAFF.

Statement of Purpose: To prevent infant abandonment and provide a safe and legal option for parents in crisis to voluntarily surrender an infant to emergency department staff.

Bill History:

01-24-2025 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Public Health Committee

Co-sponsor(s):

Rep. Ben McGorty, 122nd Dist.