



Written Neutral Testimony on

HB 2280, AEDs

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Mr. Chair and Members of the Committee,

KASB appears today as neutral on HB 2280.

We acknowledge the desirability of notifying emergency responders of the presence of AEDs in a school building or on a campus. Our concern is that we are not entirely sure if AEDs have the technological capability to be “registered.” As the bill is currently written, we fear our schools could be exposed to legal liability if the devices cannot be “registered” for some reason.

We respectfully ask that the language on page 8 (b) (line 12 of the bill) be changed from “shall” to “may.”

Thank you.

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