



## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

# FISCAL NOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 351

PRINTERS NO. 2326

PRIME SPONSOR: Baker, L.

### COST / (SAVINGS)

| FUND         | FY 2011/12 | FY 2012/13 |
|--------------|------------|------------|
| General Fund | \$0        | \$0        |

**SUMMARY:** Senate Bill 351 amends the Judicial Code concerning good Samaritan civil immunity. It would take effect in 60 days.

**ANALYSIS:** This legislation expands good Samaritan civil immunity for use of automated external defibrillators (AEDs) to any person who in good faith acquires or maintains an AED.

The bill also amends section 8332. It changes the name of the section from “Nonmedical good Samaritan civil immunity” to “Emergency response provider and bystander good Samaritan civil immunity.” It then extends civil immunity to any person who, in good faith, renders emergency care, treatment, first aid or rescue at the scene of an emergency event or crime, or transports a person for medical care.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Enactment of this legislation will have no adverse impact on Commonwealth funds.

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*Estimates are calculated using the best information available. Actual costs and revenue impact incurred may vary from estimates.*