Sponsor(s): Representatives Edwards, O'Brien, Schual-Berke, Kastama, Kagi, Cody, Ruderman, Edmonds, Lovick, Stensen, Wolfe, Rockefeller and Keiser

Brief Description: Prohibiting the sale of tobacco in publicly owned buildings or vessels.

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Declares that tobacco products may not be sold or distributed in those portions of buildings or vessels that are publicly owned or leased.

Provides that a violation of this act is grounds for the termination or nonrenewal of a contract for occupancy or rental of any area of any publicly owned or leased building or vessel.

Does not apply to correctional institutions. However, the secretary of corrections or a local correctional institution authority may prohibit sales and distributions of tobacco products if the prohibition applies equally to employees and inmates.

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