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HB-6573

AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO DIAPER CHANGING TABLES
IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

As Amended by House "A" (LCO 7340)

House Calendar No.: 43

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 24 \$	FY 25 \$
Various State Agencies	Various - Potential Cost	Minimal	Minimal

Note: Various=Various

Municipal Impact:

Municipalities	Effect	FY 24 \$	FY 25 \$
Various Municipalities	Potential Cost	Minimal	Minimal

Explanation

The bill is estimated to result in a minimal cost to state and municipal construction and renovation projects from requiring baby changing stations be included in public buildings, effective with the next revision of the State Building Code. The cost per baby changing station is estimated to be between \$300 to \$1,500 with potential additional costs associated with adjusting the existing construction to incorporate a changing station. There are already other provisions within state and federal law requiring baby changing stations to be built in single-user bathroom and within federal buildings.

House "A" changes the effective date of the underlying bill from January 1, 2024, to being included in the next revision to the State Building Code. This will result in a potential minimal cost to the state

and municipalities in FY 24 to the extent more projects are affected by the revision to the code.

House "A" also expands the buildings subject to the change in building code to include public buildings which has no fiscal impact to the state or municipalities.

The Out Years

The annualized ongoing fiscal impact identified above would continue into the future subject to inflation.