

Committee on Public Health
Bill Summary

Bill No. H2379/S1498
Title: *An Act relative to tobacco harm-reduction*
Sponsor: Representative Daniel Cahill/Senator John Cronin
Committee: Public Health
Hearing Date: July 14, 2025
Similar Matters: S1498
Prior History: Refile of H2141 of 23-24; Referred to Public Health;
Accompanied a study order.
Reporting Deadline: September 12, 2025

Current Law:

- **M.G.L. C. 270, §28(b)** prohibits the sale and distribution of any flavored tobacco product in retail establishments, online, or through any other means to consumers. Creates an exception for sale or distribution by a smoking bar of flavored tobacco products for on-site consumption.

Summary:

Amends M.G.L. C. 270 §28(b) by allowing smoking bars to sell and distribute any tobacco product that receives an order from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration under U.S.C. Ch. 387j or 387k (g).