

Senate File 248 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the regulation of tanning facilities.

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 136D.3A Minors' use of tanning
2 devices prohibited.

3 A tanning facility shall not allow a person under eighteen
4 years of age to use a tanning device.

5 Sec. 2. Section 136D.4, subsection 1, paragraphs a and b,
6 Code 2013, are amended to read as follows:

7 a. A warning sign in a conspicuous location without
8 obstruction and readily visible to persons entering the
9 establishment. The signs shall comply with rules adopted by
10 the department.

11 b. A warning sign for each tanning device, in a conspicuous
12 location without obstruction and readily visible to a person
13 preparing to use the device. The sign shall comply with rules
14 adopted by the department.

15 Sec. 3. Section 136D.4, subsection 2, Code 2013, is amended
16 to read as follows:

17 2. A tanning facility shall provide each customer prior to
18 use of a tanning device with a written warning statement that
19 complies with rules adopted by the department.

20 EXPLANATION

21 This bill relates to tanning facilities and creates new Code
22 section 136D.3A prohibiting a tanning facility from allowing
23 individuals under 18 years of age to use a tanning device. The
24 bill also provides that warning signs be free from obstruction
25 and that a written warning statement be provided to each
26 customer prior to use of a tanning device.

27 A tanning facility that violates a provision of Code chapter
28 136D is subject to a civil penalty and injunctive relief.