

HB 628 -- 911 GOOD SAMARITAN ACT

SPONSOR: Kirkton

This bill establishes the 911 Good Samaritan Act which gives a person immunity from criminal liability when he or she seeks medical assistance for an individual experiencing a drug-related overdose. The immunity will apply to possession of a controlled substance if the evidence was obtained as a result of the person's seeking medical assistance for an individual experiencing a drug-related overdose.

The bill gives an individual immunity from criminal liability when he or she experiences a drug-related overdose and is in need of medical assistance. The immunity will apply to possession of a controlled substance if the evidence was obtained as a result of the individual seeking medical assistance.