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Sen. Cauthorn Receives Perfect Rating in Missouri Chamber of Commerce Voting Study

Cauthorn Votes 100% for Missouri Jobs and Employers

JEFFERSON CITY, MO - Senator John Cauthorn received a 100% rating from the Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry's 2005 Legislative Vote Record. Cauthorn was one of ten state senators to receive a perfect rating.

"Having a pro-jobs, pro-growth voting record is important to representing my district and bringing jobs to the region," said Cauthorn. "I am proud to receive a 100% rating from the Chamber because it reaffirms my commitment to supporting policies that grow business and create jobs in our state."

According to the Missouri Chamber, votes were selected by the most critical business votes of the session. These votes were weighted based on importance to Missouri employers, and a rating was established.

Key Senate vote topics considered were: workers compensation reform, unemployment insurance reform, Missouri Quality Jobs Act, sales tax holiday, civil justice reform, and business personal property valuation.

"The 2005 legislative session was historic in terms of keeping jobs in our state, creating a jobs friendly environment, lowering insurance rates for consumers, and ending frivolous lawsuits," said Cauthorn. "Because of these accomplishments we will see more jobs, better access to healthcare, and an improved climate for businesses to operate."

According to the Missouri Chamber website, the organization is "states largest and most influential business association representing more than 3,000 employers who provide more than 425,000 jobs for Missourians."

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