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Bill Alter Sworn In As Missouri's 22nd District Senator

JEFFERSON CITY – Bill Alter, R-High Ridge, took the oath of office as senator of Missouri's 22nd District shortly after the Senate convened today at 3 p.m.

Alter, who has lived in Jefferson County for 33 years, plans to fulfill the needs of his constituents by focusing on their conservative, common-sense values.

"Today marks the official beginning of serving those who elected me," Alter said. "I vow to put the people first and make progress for not only our district, but the whole state of Missouri."

Alter is a former state representative who served in the House from 1989-1990 and 1993-2000. His legislative history, law enforcement background and experience as a small business owner have prepared him for this new leadership position.

Senate President Pro Tem Michael Gibbons hosted a welcome reception in his capitol office prior to the swearing-in ceremony.

"I shall always remember and appreciate the hard work and collective efforts of my friends, family and supporters that got me where I am today," Alter said. "As I represent my district in the upper chamber, I promise to listen, serve and be the voice for the people I am fortunate enough to represent."

Alter now represents northern Jefferson County and will be completing a term vacated earlier this year that expires in 2007. He is able to serve two additional four-year terms.

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An electronic copy (“jpeg” format) of this photo showing Sen. Bill Alter taking the oath of office can be obtained by calling Senate Communications at: (573) 751-3824.