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SENATE BILL NO. 1187

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR PURGASON.

Read 1st time February 26, 2008, and ordered printed.

Read 2nd time February 27, 2008, and referred to the Committee on Financial and Governmental Organizations and Elections. Reported from the Committee March 13, 2008, with recommendation that the bill do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar. Taken up March 31, 2008. Read 3rd time and placed upon its final passage; bill passed.

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TERRY L. SPIELER. Secretary.

AN ACT

To repeal section 306.228, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the number of uniformed members of the Missouri state water patrol.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 306.228, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 306.228, to read as follows: $\mathbf{2}$

306.228. 1. The commissioner may appoint from within the membership not more than one assistant commissioner, two majors, nine captains, nine 2 lieutenants, and one director of radio, each of whom shall have the same 3 qualifications as the commissioner, and such additional force of sergeants, 4 $\mathbf{5}$ corporals and patrolmen[, so that the total number of members of the patrol shall not exceed ninety-nine officers and patrolmen] and such numbers of radio 6 personnel as the commissioner deems necessary. 7

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2. In case of a national emergency the commissioner may name additional 9 patrolmen and radio personnel in a number sufficient to replace, temporarily, patrolmen and radio personnel called into military services. 10

11 3. Applicants shall not be discriminated against because of race, creed, color, national origin, religion or sex. 12

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