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SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY—TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2016

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator Pearce in the Chair.

Reverend Carl Gauck offered the following prayer:

"You will surely wear yourself out, both you and these people with you. For the task is too heavy for you; you cannot do it alone." (Exodus 18:18)

Merciful God, You have given us much to do and we are grateful for the work but recognizing our limitations we are thankful for our staff to help us with this burden and recognize all that they do for us. And we are mindful of our colleagues who share this time of serving with us. But we are most thankful for Your presence and help as You guide our efforts this day. In Your Holy Name we pray. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited.

A quorum being established, the Senate proceeded with its business.

The Journal of the previous day was read and approved.

Senator Kehoe announced photographers from KRCG-TV, The Missouri Times, and St. Louis Public Radio were given permission to take pictures in the Senate Chamber.

The following Senators were present during the day's proceedings:

Present—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey
Wallingford	Walsh	Wasson	Wieland—32			

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The Lieutenant Governor was present.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

The following messages were received from the House of Representatives through its Chief Clerk:

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and passed **HCS** for **SB 833**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 313.800, 313.817, 327.272, 381.022, and 381.058, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof nine new sections relating to financial transactions.

With House Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 833, Page 7, Section 327.272, Lines 49-54, by deleting all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"**5. Nothing in this section shall be construed to preclude the practice of title insurance business or the business of title insurance as provided in chapter 381, or to preclude the practice of law or law business as governed by the Missouri supreme court and as provided in chapter 484.**"; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 2

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 833, Page 1, Section A, Line 4, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"144.010. 1. The following words, terms, and phrases when used in sections 144.010 to 144.525 have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except when the context indicates a different meaning:

(1) "Admission" includes seats and tables, reserved or otherwise, and other similar accommodations and charges made therefor and amount paid for admission, exclusive of any admission tax imposed by the federal government or by sections 144.010 to 144.525;

(2) "Business" includes any activity engaged in by any person, or caused to be engaged in by him, with the object of gain, benefit or advantage, either direct or indirect, and the classification of which business is of such character as to be subject to the terms of sections 144.010 to 144.525. A person is "engaging in business" in this state for purposes of sections 144.010 to 144.525 if such person "engages in business in this state" or "maintains a place of business in this state" under section 144.605. The isolated or occasional sale of tangible personal property, service, substance, or thing, by a person not engaged in such business, does not constitute engaging in business within the meaning of sections 144.010 to 144.525 unless the total amount of the gross receipts from such sales, exclusive of receipts from the sale of tangible personal property by persons which property is sold in the course of the partial or complete liquidation of a household, farm or nonbusiness enterprise, exceeds three thousand dollars in any calendar year. The provisions of this subdivision shall not be construed to make any sale of property which is exempt from sales tax or use tax on June 1, 1977, subject to that tax thereafter;

(3) "Captive wildlife", includes but is not limited to exotic partridges, gray partridge, northern bobwhite quail, ring-necked pheasant, captive waterfowl, captive white-tailed deer, captive elk, and captive furbearers held under permit issued by the Missouri department of conservation for hunting purposes. The provisions of this subdivision shall not apply to sales tax on a harvested animal;

(4) "Gross receipts", except as provided in section 144.012, means the total amount of the sale price of the sales at retail including any services other than charges incident to the extension of credit that are a part of such sales made by the businesses herein referred to, capable of being valued in money, whether received in money or otherwise; except that, the term "gross receipts" shall not include the sale price of property returned by customers when the full sale price thereof is refunded either in cash or by credit. In determining any tax due under sections 144.010 to 144.525 on the gross receipts, charges incident to the extension of credit shall be specifically exempted. For the purposes of sections 144.010 to 144.525 the total amount of the sale price above mentioned shall be deemed to be the amount received. It shall also include the lease or rental consideration where the right to continuous possession or use of any article of tangible personal property is granted under a lease or contract and such transfer of possession would be taxable if outright sale were made and, in such cases, the same shall be taxable as if outright sale were made and considered as a sale of such article, and the tax shall be computed and paid by the lessee upon the rentals paid;

(5) "Livestock", cattle, calves, sheep, swine, ratite birds, including but not limited to, ostrich and emu, aquatic products as [defined] **described** in section 277.024, llamas, alpaca, buffalo, elk documented as obtained from a legal source and not from the wild, goats, horses, other equine, or rabbits raised in confinement for human consumption;

(6) "Motor vehicle leasing company" shall be a company obtaining a permit from the director of revenue to operate as a motor vehicle leasing company. Not all persons renting or leasing trailers or motor vehicles need to obtain such a permit; however, no person failing to obtain such a permit may avail itself of the optional tax provisions of subsection 5 of section 144.070, as hereinafter provided;

(7) "Person" includes any individual, firm, copartnership, joint adventure, association, corporation, municipal or private, and whether organized for profit or not, state, county, political subdivision, state department, commission, board, bureau or agency, except the state transportation department, estate, trust, business trust, receiver or trustee appointed by the state or federal court, syndicate, or any other group or combination acting as a unit, and the plural as well as the singular number;

(8) "Purchaser" means a person who purchases tangible personal property or to whom are rendered services, receipts from which are taxable under sections 144.010 to 144.525;

(9) "Research or experimentation activities" are the development of an experimental or pilot model, plant process, formula, invention or similar property, and the improvement of existing property of such type. Research or experimentation activities do not include activities such as ordinary testing or inspection of materials or products for quality control, efficiency surveys, advertising promotions or research in connection with literary, historical or similar projects;

(10) "Sale" or "sales" includes installment and credit sales, and the exchange of properties as well as the sale thereof for money, every closed transaction constituting a sale, and means any transfer, exchange or barter, conditional or otherwise, in any manner or by any means whatsoever, of tangible personal property for valuable consideration and the rendering, furnishing or selling for a valuable consideration any of the substances, things and services herein designated and defined as taxable under the terms of sections 144.010 to 144.525;

(11) "Sale at retail" means any transfer made by any person engaged in business as defined herein of the ownership of, or title to, tangible personal property to the purchaser, for use or consumption and not for resale in any form as tangible personal property, for a valuable consideration; except that, for the purposes

of sections 144.010 to 144.525 and the tax imposed thereby: (i) purchases of tangible personal property made by duly licensed physicians, dentists, optometrists and veterinarians and used in the practice of their professions shall be deemed to be purchases for use or consumption and not for resale; and (ii) the selling of computer printouts, computer output or microfilm or microfiche and computer-assisted photo compositions to a purchaser to enable the purchaser to obtain for his or her own use the desired information contained in such computer printouts, computer output on microfilm or microfiche and computer-assisted photo compositions shall be considered as the sale of a service and not as the sale of tangible personal property. Where necessary to conform to the context of sections 144.010 to 144.525 and the tax imposed thereby, the term "sale at retail" shall be construed to embrace:

(a) Sales of admission tickets[, cash admissions,] **and** charges and fees **for admission** to [or in places of amusement, entertainment and recreation, games and athletic events] **spectate or for the purpose of reselling to spectate sporting events, dance performances, theater performances, orchestra, concerts, and other performing arts productions and amounts paid for admission to racetracks, arcades, theme and amusement parks, water parks, circuses, carnivals, festivals, air shows, museums, marinas, motion picture theaters, go-karts, miniature golf, zip lines, individual stand-alone amusement rides, and other tourist excursions. Such sales shall not include the amount paid or fees paid to or in any place having an exemption under subdivision (20), (21), or (22) of subsection 2 of section 144.030** ;

(b) Sales of electricity, electrical current, water and gas, natural or artificial, to domestic, commercial or industrial consumers;

(c) Sales of local and long distance telecommunications service to telecommunications subscribers and to others through equipment of telecommunications subscribers for the transmission of messages and conversations, and the sale, rental or leasing of all equipment or services pertaining or incidental thereto;

(d) Sales of service for transmission of messages by telegraph companies;

(e) Sales or charges for all rooms, meals and drinks furnished at any hotel, motel, tavern, inn, restaurant, eating house, drugstore, dining car, tourist camp, tourist cabin, or other place in which rooms, meals or drinks are regularly served to the public;

(f) Sales of tickets by every person operating a railroad, sleeping car, dining car, express car, boat, airplane, and such buses and trucks as are licensed by the division of motor carrier and railroad safety of the department of economic development of Missouri, engaged in the transportation of persons for hire;

(12) "Seller" means a person selling or furnishing tangible personal property or rendering services, on the receipts from which a tax is imposed pursuant to section 144.020;

(13) The noun "tax" means either the tax payable by the purchaser of a commodity or service subject to tax, or the aggregate amount of taxes due from the vendor of such commodities or services during the period for which he or she is required to report his or her collections, as the context may require;

(14) "Telecommunications service", for the purpose of this chapter, the transmission of information by wire, radio, optical cable, coaxial cable, electronic impulses, or other similar means. As used in this definition, "information" means knowledge or intelligence represented by any form of writing, signs, signals, pictures, sounds, or any other symbols. Telecommunications service does not include the following if such services are separately stated on the customer's bill or on records of the seller maintained in the ordinary course of business:

(a) Access to the internet, access to interactive computer services or electronic publishing services, except the amount paid for the telecommunications service used to provide such access;

(b) Answering services and one-way paging services;

(c) Private mobile radio services which are not two-way commercial mobile radio services such as wireless telephone, personal communications services or enhanced specialized mobile radio services as defined pursuant to federal law; or

(d) Cable or satellite television or music services; and

(15) "Product which is intended to be sold ultimately for final use or consumption" means tangible personal property, or any service that is subject to state or local sales or use taxes, or any tax that is substantially equivalent thereto, in this state or any other state.

2. For purposes of the taxes imposed under sections 144.010 to 144.525, and any other provisions of law pertaining to sales or use taxes which incorporate the provisions of sections 144.010 to 144.525 by reference, the term "manufactured homes" shall have the same meaning given it in section 700.010.

3. Sections 144.010 to 144.525 may be known and quoted as the "Sales Tax Law".

144.018. 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, except as provided under subsection 2 or 3 of this section, when a purchase of tangible personal property or service subject to tax is made for the purpose of resale, such purchase shall be either exempt or excluded under this chapter if the subsequent sale is:

(1) Subject to a tax in this or any other state;

(2) For resale;

(3) Excluded from tax under this chapter;

(4) Subject to tax but exempt under this chapter; or

(5) Exempt from the sales tax laws of another state, if the subsequent sale is in such other state. The purchase of tangible personal property by a taxpayer shall not be deemed to be for resale if such property is used or consumed by the taxpayer in providing a service on which tax is not imposed by subsection 1 of section 144.020, except purchases made in fulfillment of any obligation under a defense contract with the United States government.

2. For purposes of subdivision (2) of subsection 1 of section 144.020, a place of amusement, entertainment or recreation, including games or athletic events, shall remit tax on the amount paid for admissions or seating accommodations[, or fees paid] to[, or in] such place of amusement, entertainment or recreation. Any subsequent sale of such admissions or seating accommodations shall not be subject to tax if the initial sale was an arms length transaction for fair market value with an unaffiliated entity. If the sale of such admissions or seating accommodations is exempt or excluded from payment of sales and use taxes, the provisions of this subsection shall not require the place of amusement, entertainment, or recreation to remit tax on that sale. **Such sales under subdivision (2) of subsection 1 of section 144.020 shall include sales of admission tickets and charges and fees for admission to spectate or for the purpose of reselling to spectate sporting events, dance performances, theater performances, orchestra, concerts and other performing arts productions and amounts paid for admission to racetracks, arcades, theme and amusement parks, water parks, circuses, carnivals, festivals, air shows, museums, marinas, motion**

picture theaters, go-karts, miniature golf, zip lines, individual stand-alone amusement rides, and other tourist excursions. Such sales shall not include the amount paid or fees paid to or in any place having an exemption under subdivision (20), (21), or (22) of subsection 2 of section 144.030.

3. For purposes of subdivision (6) of subsection 1 of section 144.020, a hotel, motel, tavern, inn, restaurant, eating house, drugstore, dining car, tourist cabin, tourist camp, or other place in which rooms, meals, or drinks are regularly served to the public shall remit tax on the amount of sales or charges for all rooms, meals, and drinks furnished at such hotel, motel, tavern, inn, restaurant, eating house, drugstore, dining car, tourist cabin, tourist camp, or other place in which rooms, meals, or drinks are regularly served to the public. Any subsequent sale of such rooms, meals, or drinks shall not be subject to tax if the initial sale was an arms length transaction for fair market value with an unaffiliated entity. If the sale of such rooms, meals, or drinks is exempt or excluded from payment of sales and use taxes, the provisions of this subsection shall not require the hotel, motel, tavern, inn, restaurant, eating house, drugstore, dining car, tourist cabin, tourist camp, or other place in which rooms, meals, or drinks are regularly served to the public to remit tax on that sale.

4. The provisions of this section are intended to reject and abrogate earlier case law interpretations of the state's sales and use tax law with regard to sales for resale as extended in Music City Centre Management, LLC v. Director of Revenue, 295 S.W.3d 465, (Mo. 2009) and ICC Management, Inc. v. Director of Revenue, 290 S.W.3d 699, (Mo. 2009). The provisions of this section are intended to clarify the exemption or exclusion of purchases for resale from sales and use taxes as originally enacted in this chapter.

144.020. 1. A tax is hereby levied and imposed for the privilege of titling new and used motor vehicles, trailers, boats, and outboard motors purchased or acquired for use on the highways or waters of this state which are required to be titled under the laws of the state of Missouri and, except as provided in subdivision (9) of this subsection, upon all sellers for the privilege of engaging in the business of selling tangible personal property or rendering taxable service at retail in this state. The rate of tax shall be as follows:

(1) Upon every retail sale in this state of tangible personal property, excluding motor vehicles, trailers, motorcycles, mopeds, motortricycles, boats and outboard motors required to be titled under the laws of the state of Missouri and subject to tax under subdivision (9) of this subsection, a tax equivalent to four percent of the purchase price paid or charged, or in case such sale involves the exchange of property, a tax equivalent to four percent of the consideration paid or charged, including the fair market value of the property exchanged at the time and place of the exchange, except as otherwise provided in section 144.025;

(2) A tax equivalent to four percent of the amount paid for admission **tickets** and [seating accommodations, or] **charges and** fees [paid] to[, or in any place of amusement, entertainment or recreation, games and athletic events] **spectate or for the purpose of reselling to spectate sporting events, dance performances, theater performances, orchestra, concerts and other performing arts productions and amounts paid for admission to racetracks, arcades, theme and amusement parks, water parks, circuses, carnivals, festivals, air shows, museums, marinas, motion picture theaters, go-karts, miniature golf, zip lines, individual stand-alone amusement rides, and other tourist excursions. Such sales shall not include the amount paid or fees paid to or in any place having an exemption under subdivision (20), (21), or (22) of subsection 2 of section 144.030;**

(3) A tax equivalent to four percent of the basic rate paid or charged on all sales of electricity or electrical current, water and gas, natural or artificial, to domestic, commercial or industrial consumers;

(4) A tax equivalent to four percent on the basic rate paid or charged on all sales of local and long

distance telecommunications service to telecommunications subscribers and to others through equipment of telecommunications subscribers for the transmission of messages and conversations and upon the sale, rental or leasing of all equipment or services pertaining or incidental thereto; except that, the payment made by telecommunications subscribers or others, pursuant to section 144.060, and any amounts paid for access to the internet or interactive computer services shall not be considered as amounts paid for telecommunications services;

(5) A tax equivalent to four percent of the basic rate paid or charged for all sales of services for transmission of messages of telegraph companies;

(6) A tax equivalent to four percent on the amount of sales or charges for all rooms, meals and drinks furnished at any hotel, motel, tavern, inn, restaurant, eating house, drugstore, dining car, tourist cabin, tourist camp or other place in which rooms, meals or drinks are regularly served to the public. The tax imposed under this subdivision shall not apply to any automatic mandatory gratuity for a large group imposed by a restaurant when such gratuity is reported as employee tip income and the restaurant withholds income tax under section 143.191 on such gratuity;

(7) A tax equivalent to four percent of the amount paid or charged for intrastate tickets by every person operating a railroad, sleeping car, dining car, express car, boat, airplane and such buses and trucks as are licensed by the division of motor carrier and railroad safety of the department of economic development of Missouri, engaged in the transportation of persons for hire;

(8) A tax equivalent to four percent of the amount paid or charged for rental or lease of tangible personal property, provided that if the lessor or renter of any tangible personal property had previously purchased the property under the conditions of sale at retail or leased or rented the property and the tax was paid at the time of purchase, lease or rental, the lessor, sublessor, renter or subrenter shall not apply or collect the tax on the subsequent lease, sublease, rental or subrental receipts from that property. The purchase, rental or lease of motor vehicles, trailers, motorcycles, mopeds, motortricycles, boats, and outboard motors shall be taxed and the tax paid as provided in this section and section 144.070. In no event shall the rental or lease of boats and outboard motors be considered a sale, charge, or fee to, for**,** or in places of amusement, entertainment or recreation nor shall any such rental or lease be subject to any tax imposed to, for, or in such places of amusement, entertainment or recreation. Rental and leased boats or outboard motors shall be taxed under the provisions of the sales tax laws as provided under such laws for motor vehicles and trailers. Tangible personal property which is exempt from the sales or use tax under section 144.030 upon a sale thereof is likewise exempt from the sales or use tax upon the lease or rental thereof;

(9) A tax equivalent to four percent of the purchase price, as defined in section 144.070, of new and used motor vehicles, trailers, boats, and outboard motors purchased or acquired for use on the highways or waters of this state which are required to be registered under the laws of the state of Missouri. This tax is imposed on the person titling such property, and shall be paid according to the procedures in section 144.440.

2. All tickets sold which are sold under the provisions of sections 144.010 to 144.525 which are subject to the sales tax shall have printed, stamped or otherwise endorsed thereon, the words "This ticket is subject to a sales tax."."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 3

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 833, Page 7, Section 327.272, Line 54, by

inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**376.998 1. 1. As used in this section:**

(1) "Excepted benefit plan" shall mean a policy or certificate of insurance extending the following coverages or any combination thereof:

(a) Coverage under short-term major medical policies;

(b) Coverage only for accident (including accidental death and dismemberment) insurance;

(c) Coverage only for disability income insurance;

(d) Credit-only insurance;

(e) Other similar insurance coverage under which benefits for medical care are supplemental to other insurance benefits;

(f) Coverage only for a specified disease or illness; or

(g) Hospital indemnity or other fixed indemnity insurance;

(2) "Health benefit plan" and "health care services", "health carrier" and "health care provider" shall have the same meaning as under section 376.1350.

(3) "Health insurance mandate" shall mean a requirement under state law for a health carrier to offer or provide coverage for:

(a) A treatment by a particular type of health care provider;

(b) A certain treatment or service including procedures, medical equipment or drugs that are used in connection with a treatment or service; or

(c) Screening, diagnosis, or treatment of a particular disease or condition.

(4) "Notice" shall mean a requirement under Missouri law to disclose information regarding the availability of certain benefits or services under a health benefit plan.

2. Excepted benefit plans shall be exempt from any health insurance mandate enacted on or after August 28, 2016, unless the statute enacting such mandate expressly declares that it is applicable to excepted benefit plans as defined in this section.

3. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law to the contrary, the director may, by bulletin, exempt a type of excepted benefit plan from notice or disclosure requirements required by statute for specific services that by custom, are not covered by the particular type of excepted benefit plans being exempted.

4. This section shall apply to an excepted benefit plan to the extent the excepted benefit plan does not materially change coverage to provide for the reimbursement of health care services which extend beyond the types of health care services customarily provided by the specific type of excepted benefit plan or where the combination of coverages and benefits would otherwise meet the definition of a health benefit plan."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 4

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 833, Page 1, Section A, Line 4, by inserting immediately after said line the following:

"**313.303. 1. The lottery commission, the state lottery or any employee of the state lottery, or any organization with whom the state has contracted to operate the state lottery or any of that organization's employees shall not publish the name, address, or any other identifying information of any person who wins the state lottery unless such person has provided written consent to have such information published.**

2. For purposes of this section, "publish" means to issue information or material in printed or electronic form for distribution or sale to the public."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 6

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 833, Page 1, Section A, Line 4, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"110.010. 1. The public funds of every county, township, city, town, village, school district of every character, road district, sewer district, fire protection district, **ambulance district,** water supply district, drainage or levee district, state hospital, state schools for the mentally deficient, Missouri School for the Deaf, Missouri School for the Blind, Missouri Training School for Boys, training school for girls, Missouri Veterans' Home, Missouri State Chest Hospital, state university, Missouri state teachers' colleges, Lincoln University, which are deposited in any banking institution acting as a legal depositary of the funds under the statutes of Missouri requiring the letting and deposit of the same and the furnishing of security therefor, shall be secured by the deposit of securities of the character prescribed by section 30.270 for the security of funds deposited by the state treasurer.

2. The securities shall, at the option of the depositary banking institution, be delivered either to the fiscal officer or the governing body of the municipal corporation or other depositor of the funds, or by depositing the securities with another banking institution or safe depositary as trustee satisfactory to both parties to the depositary agreement. The trustee may be a bank owned or controlled by the same bank holding company as the depositary banking institution.

3. The rights and duties of the several parties to the depositary contract shall be the same as those of the state and the depositary banking institution respectively under section 30.270. If a depositary banking institution deposits the bonds or securities with a trustee as above provided, and the municipal corporation or other depositor of funds gives notice in writing to the trustee that there has been a breach of the depositary contract and makes demand in writing on the trustee for the securities, or any part thereof, then the trustee shall forthwith surrender to the municipal corporation or other depositor of funds a sufficient amount of the securities to fully protect the depositor from loss and the trustee shall thereby be discharged of all further responsibility in respect to the securities so surrendered."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and passed **HCS** for **SB 997**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 167.223, 173.005, and 173.234, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof ten new sections relating to higher education, with an emergency clause for certain sections.

With House Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 997, Page 15, Section 173.2520, Line 13, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"178.780. 1. Tax supported community colleges formed prior to October 13, 1961, and those formed under the provisions of sections 178.770 to 178.890 shall be under the supervision of the coordinating board for higher education.

2. The coordinating board for higher education shall:

(1) Establish the role of the two-year college in the state;

(2) Set up a survey form to be used for local surveys of need and potential for two-year colleges; provide supervision in the conducting of surveys; require that the results of the studies be used in reviewing applications for approval; and establish and use the survey results to set up priorities;

(3) Require that the initiative to establish two-year colleges come from the area to be served;

(4) Administer the state financial support program;

(5) Supervise the community college districts formed under the provisions of sections 178.770 to 178.890 and the community colleges now in existence and formed prior to October 13, 1961;

(6) Formulate and put into effect uniform policies as to budgeting, record keeping, and student accounting;

(7) Establish uniform minimum entrance requirements and uniform curricular offerings for all community colleges;

(8) Make a continuing study of community college education in the state; **[**and**]**

(9) Be responsible for the accreditation of each community college under its supervision. Accreditation shall be conducted annually or as often as deemed advisable and made in a manner consistent with rules and regulations established and applied uniformly to all community colleges in the state. Standards for accreditation of community colleges shall be formulated with due consideration given to curriculum offerings and entrance requirements of the University of Missouri**; and**

(10) Establish a standard core curriculum and a common course numbering equivalency matrix for lower-division courses to be used at community colleges and other public institutions of higher education to facilitate student transfers as provided under sections 178.785 to 178.789 .

178.785. The provisions of sections 178.785 to 178.789 shall be known and may be cited as the "Higher Education Core Curriculum Transfer Act". For purposes of sections 178.785 to 178.789, the

following terms mean:

(1) "Coordinating board", the coordinating board for higher education established in section 173.005;

(2) "Core curriculum", the basic competencies to be met, which shall include communicating, higher-order thinking, managing information, valuing, and includes the knowledge areas of social and behavioral sciences, humanities and fine arts, mathematics, and life and physical sciences;

(3) "Faculty member", a person who is employed full-time by a community college or other public institution of higher education as a member of the faculty whose primary duties include teaching, research, academic service, or administration;

(4) "Native student", a student whose initial college enrollment was at an institution of higher education and who has not transferred to any other institution since that initial enrollment and who has completed no more than eleven credit hours at any other institution of higher education.

178.786. 1. The coordinating board for higher education, with the assistance of an advisory committee composed of representatives from each public community college in this state and each public four-year institution of higher education, shall develop a recommended lower division core curriculum of forty-two semester credit hours, including a statement of the content, component areas, and objectives of the core curriculum. A majority of the members of the advisory committee shall be faculty members of a community college or a public four-year institution of higher education.

2. The coordinating board shall approve a common course numbering equivalency matrix for the forty-two credit hour block at all institutions of higher education in the state to facilitate the transfer of those courses among institutions of higher education by promoting consistency in course designation and course identification. Each community college and four-year institution of higher education shall include in its course listings the applicable course numbers from the common course numbering equivalency matrix approved by the coordinating board under this subsection.

3. The coordinating board shall complete the requirements of subsections 1 and 2 of this section prior to January 1, 2018, for implementation of the core curriculum transfer recommendations for the 2018-19 academic year for all public institutions of higher education.

178.787. 1. Each community college, as defined in section 163.191, and public four-year institution of higher education shall adopt the forty-two credit hour block, including specific courses comprising the curriculum, based on the core curriculum recommendations made by the coordinating board for higher education under subsections 1 and 2 of section 178.786, for implementation beginning in the 2018-19 academic year.

2. If a student successfully completes the forty-two credit core curriculum at a community college or other public institution of higher education, that block of courses may be transferred to any other public institution of higher education in this state and shall be substituted for the receiving institution's core curriculum. A student shall receive academic credit for each of the courses transferred and shall not be required to take additional core curriculum courses at the receiving institution.

3. A student who transfers from one public institution of higher education to another public

institution of higher education in the state without completing the core curriculum of the sending institution shall receive academic credit from the receiving institution for each of the courses that the student has successfully completed in the core curriculum of the sending institution. Following receipt of credit for these courses, the student may be required to satisfy further course requirements in the core curriculum of the receiving institution.

178.788. 1. The coordinating board for higher education, in consultation with the advisory board established in section 178.786, shall develop criteria to evaluate the transfer practices of each public institution of higher education in this state and shall evaluate the transfer practices of each institution based on this criteria.

2. The coordinating board shall develop procedures to be followed by institutions of higher education in resolving disputes concerning the transfer of course credit and by the commissioner of higher education in making a final determination concerning transfer of course credit if a transfer is in dispute.

3. Each institution of higher education shall publish in its course catalogs and on its official website the procedures adopted by the board under subsections 1 and 2 of this section.

4. If an institution of higher education does not accept course credit earned by a student at another public institution of higher education, that institution shall give written notice to the student and the other institution that the transfer of the course credit is denied. The two institutions and the student shall attempt to resolve the transfer of the course credit in accordance with rules promulgated by the coordinating board. If the transfer dispute is not resolved to the satisfaction of the student or the institution at which the credit was earned within forty-five days after the date the student received written notice of the denial, the institution that denies the transfer of the course credit shall notify the commissioner of higher education of its denial and the reasons for the denial.

5. The commissioner of higher education or his or her designee shall make the final determination about a dispute concerning the transfer of course credit and give written notice of the determination as to the involved student and institutions.

6. The coordinating board shall collect data on the types of transfer disputes that are reported and the disposition of each case that is considered by the commissioner of higher education or the commissioner's designee.

7. The provisions of sections 178.785 to 178.789 shall not apply to native students who are not seeking to transfer credits nor affect the authority of an institution of higher education to adopt its own admission standards or its own grading policies.

8. Students enrolled in professional programs shall complete the appropriate core curriculum that is required for accreditation or licensure.

178.789. The coordinating board for higher education may promulgate all necessary rules and regulations for the administration of sections 178.785 to 178.789. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to

disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void.

Section 1. 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if the spouse of any full-time employee of a public institution of higher education incurs out-of-state travel costs that are paid for or reimbursed by such institution then such employee shall be required to file a quarterly travel report with the Missouri ethics commission listing the date or dates, location, purpose, and the full cost of any out-of-state travel made by such employee's spouse. Such costs shall include, but not be limited to, any transportation costs, lodging costs, and meal expenses that are paid for or reimbursed by the public institution. The commission shall publish travel reports in an electronic format on the commission's website and shall enable the reports to be easily searched by name, employee position, and institutional affiliation. The commission shall enable the electronic filing of reports.

2. In addition to the quarterly reports required under subsection 1 of this section, any spouse of a full-time employee of a public institution of higher education whose travels were funded by such public institution under the provisions of subsection 1 of this section during the one-year period immediately before the effective date of this section shall, no later than six months after the effective date of this section, file an additional travel report with the commission covering travel expenditures during that one-year period. This travel report shall be identical in content to the quarterly travel reports required under subsection 1 of this section. "; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 2

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 997, Page 1, Section A, Line 3, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"103.003. As used in sections 103.003 to 103.175, the following terms mean:

(1) "Actuarial reserves", the necessary funding required to pay all the medical expenses for services provided to members of the plan but for which the claims have not yet been received by the claims administrator;

(2) "Actuary", a member of the American Academy of Actuaries or who is an enrolled actuary under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974;

(3) "Agency", a state-sponsored institution of higher learning, political subdivision or governmental entity or instrumentality;

(4) "Alternative delivery health care program", a plan of covered benefits that pays medical expenses through an alternate mechanism rather than on a fee-for-service basis. This includes, but is not limited to, health maintenance organizations and preferred provider organizations, all of which shall include chiropractic physicians licensed under chapter 331, in the provider networks or organizations;

(5) "Board", the board of trustees of the Missouri consolidated health care plan;

(6) "Claims administrator", an agency contracted to process medical claims submitted from providers or members of the plan and their dependents;

(7) "Coordination of benefits", to work with another group-sponsored health care plan which also covers a member of the plan to ensure that both plans pay their appropriate amount of the health care expenses incurred by the member;

(8) "Covered benefits", a schedule of covered services, including chiropractic services, which are payable under the plan;

(9) "Employee", any person employed full time by the state or a participating member agency, or a person eligible for coverage by a state-sponsored retirement system or a retirement system sponsored by a participating member agency of the plan;

(10) "Evidence of good health", medical information supplied by a potential member of the plan that is reviewed to determine the financial risk the person represents to the plan and the corresponding determination of whether or not he or she should be accepted into the plan;

(11) "Health care plan", any group medical benefit plan providing coverage on an expense-incurred basis, any HMO, any group service or indemnity contract issued by a health plan of any type or description;

(12) "Medical benefits coverages" shall include services provided by chiropractic physicians as well as physicians licensed under chapter 334;

(13) "Medical expenses", costs for services performed by a provider and covered under the plan;

(14) "Missouri consolidated health care plan benefit fund account", the benefit trust fund account containing all payroll deductions, payments, and income from all sources for the plan;

(15) "Officer", an elected official of the state of Missouri;

(16) **"Participating higher education entity", a state-sponsored institution of higher learning;**

(17) "Participating member agency", a [state-sponsored institution of higher learning,] political subdivision or governmental entity that has elected to join the plan and has been accepted by the board;

[(17)] **(18)** "Plan year", a twelve-month period designated by the board which is used to calculate the annual rate categories and the appropriate coverage;

[(18)] **(19)** "Provider", a physician, hospital, pharmacist, psychologist, chiropractic physician or other licensed practitioner who or which provides health care services within the respective scope of practice of such practitioner pursuant to state law and regulation;

[(19)] **(20)** "Retiree", a person who is not an employee and is receiving or is entitled to receive an annuity benefit from a state-sponsored retirement system or a retirement system of a participating member agency of the plan or becomes eligible for retirement benefits because of service with a participating member agency.

103.079. **1.** The health care programs sponsored by the departments of transportation and conservation shall become a part of this plan only upon request to and acceptance by the board of trustees by the highways and transportation commission or the conservation commission and any such transfer into this plan shall be deemed reviewable by such department every three years. Such department may withdraw from the plan upon approval by such department's commission and by providing the board a minimum of six months' notice prior to the end of the then current plan year and termination of coverage will become

effective at the end of the then current plan year. For any of the foregoing state agencies choosing to participate, the plan shall not assume responsibility for any liabilities incurred by the agency or its eligible employees, retirees, or dependents prior to its effective date.

2. Any participating higher education entity may, by its own election, become part of this plan. The board of trustees shall accept the participating higher education entity. The board of trustees may request the participating higher education entity pay a first year adjustment if the population being brought into the plan is actuarially substantial and materially different than the current population in the state plan. Once a participating higher education entity comes into the plan, it may not leave the plan for a period of five years. Such participating higher education entity may withdraw from the plan upon approval by such participating higher education entity governing board and by providing the board a minimum of six month's notice prior to the end of the then current plan year and termination of coverage will become effective at the end of the then current plan year. For any of the foregoing participating higher education entities choosing to participate, the plan shall not assume responsibility for any liabilities incurred by the participating higher education entity or its eligible employees, retirees, or dependents prior to its effective date."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 3

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 997, Page 10, Section 173.234, Line 93, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"173.1101. The financial assistance program established under sections 173.1101 to 173.1107 shall be hereafter known as the "Access Missouri Financial Assistance Program". The coordinating board and all approved private**, [**and**]** public**, and virtual** institutions in this state shall refer to the financial assistance program established under sections 173.1101 to 173.1107 as the access Missouri student financial assistance program in their scholarship literature, provided that no institution shall be required to revise or amend any such literature to comply with this section prior to the date such literature would otherwise be revised, amended, reprinted or replaced in the ordinary course of such institution's business.

173.1102. **1.** As used in sections 173.1101 to 173.1107, unless the context requires otherwise, the following terms mean:

(1) "Academic year", the period from July first of any year through June thirtieth of the following year;

(2) "Approved private institution", a nonprofit institution, dedicated to educational purposes, located in Missouri which:

(a) Is operated privately under the control of an independent board and not directly controlled or administered by any public agency or political subdivision;

(b) Provides a postsecondary course of instruction at least six months in length leading to or directly creditable toward a certificate or degree;

(c) Meets the standards for accreditation as determined by either the Higher Learning Commission or by other accrediting bodies recognized by the United States Department of Education or by utilizing accreditation standards applicable to nondegree-granting institutions as established by the coordinating board for higher education;

(d) Does not discriminate in the hiring of administrators, faculty and staff or in the admission of students on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin and is in compliance with the Federal Civil Rights Acts of 1964 and 1968 and executive orders issued pursuant thereto. Sex discrimination as used herein shall not apply to admission practices of institutions offering the enrollment limited to one sex;

(e) Permits faculty members to select textbooks without influence or pressure by any religious or sectarian source;

(3) "Approved public institution", an educational institution located in Missouri which:

(a) Is directly controlled or administered by a public agency or political subdivision;

(b) Receives appropriations directly or indirectly from the general assembly for operating expenses;

(c) Provides a postsecondary course of instruction at least six months in length leading to or directly creditable toward a degree or certificate;

(d) Meets the standards for accreditation as determined by either the Higher Learning Commission, or if a public community college created under the provisions of sections 178.370 to 178.400 meets the standards established by the coordinating board for higher education for such public community colleges, or by other accrediting bodies recognized by the United States Department of Education or by utilizing accreditation standards applicable to the institution as established by the coordinating board for higher education;

(e) Does not discriminate in the hiring of administrators, faculty and staff or in the admission of students on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin and is otherwise in compliance with the Federal Civil Rights Acts of 1964 and 1968 and executive orders issued pursuant thereto;

(f) Permits faculty members to select textbooks without influence or pressure by any religious or sectarian source;

(4) **"Approved virtual institution", an educational institution that meets all of the following requirements:**

(a) Is recognized as a qualifying institution by gubernatorial executive order issued prior to August 28, 2016, and through a memorandum of understanding between the state of Missouri and the approved virtual institution;

(b) Is organized as a nonprofit institution;

(c) Is accredited by a regional accrediting agency recognized by the United States Department of Education;

(d) Has established and continuously maintains a physical campus or location of operation within the state of Missouri;

(e) Maintains at least twenty-five full-time Missouri employees, at least one-half of which shall be faculty or administrators engaged in Missouri operations;

(f) Enrolls at least one thousand Missouri residents as degree or certificate seeking students; and

(g) Maintains a governing body or advisory board based in Missouri with oversight of Missouri

operations.

(5) "Coordinating board", the coordinating board for higher education;

[(5)**] (6)** "Expected family contribution", the amount of money a student and family should pay toward the cost of postsecondary education as calculated by the United States Department of Education and reported on the student aid report or the institutional student information record;

[(6)**] (7)** "Financial assistance", an amount of money paid by the state of Missouri to a qualified applicant under sections 173.1101 to 173.1107;

[(7)**] (8)** "Full-time student", an individual who is enrolled in and is carrying a sufficient number of credit hours or their equivalent at an approved private**, [**or**]** public**, or virtual** institution to secure the degree or certificate toward which he or she is working in no more than the number of semesters or their equivalent normally required by that institution in the program in which the individual is enrolled. This definition shall be construed as the successor to subdivision (7) of section 173.205 for purposes of eligibility requirements of other financial assistance programs that refer to section 173.205.

2. The failure of an approved virtual institution to continuously maintain all of the requirements in subdivision (4) of subsection 1 of this section shall preclude such institution's students or applicants from being eligible for assistance under sections 173.1104 and 173.1105.

173.1104. 1. An applicant shall be eligible for initial or renewed financial assistance only if, at the time of application and throughout the period during which the applicant is receiving such assistance, the applicant:

(1) Is a citizen or a permanent resident of the United States;

(2) Is a resident of the state of Missouri, as determined by reference to standards promulgated by the coordinating board;

(3) Is enrolled, or has been accepted for enrollment, as a full-time undergraduate student in an approved private**, [**or**]** public**, or virtual** institution; and

(4) Is not enrolled or does not intend to use the award to enroll in a course of study leading to a degree in theology or divinity.

2. If an applicant is found guilty of or pleads guilty to any criminal offense during the period of time in which the applicant is receiving financial assistance, such applicant shall not be eligible for renewal of such assistance, provided such offense would disqualify the applicant from receiving federal student aid under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended.

3. Financial assistance shall be allotted for one academic year, but a recipient shall be eligible for renewed assistance until he or she has obtained a baccalaureate degree, provided such financial assistance shall not exceed a total of ten semesters or fifteen quarters or their equivalent. Standards of eligibility for renewed assistance shall be the same as for an initial award of financial assistance, except that for renewal, an applicant shall demonstrate a grade-point average of two and five-tenths on a four-point scale, or the equivalent on another scale. This subsection shall be construed as the successor to section 173.215 for purposes of eligibility requirements of other financial assistance programs that refer to section 173.215.

173.1105. 1. An applicant who is an undergraduate postsecondary student at an approved private**, [**or**]**

public**, or virtual** institution and who meets the other eligibility criteria shall be eligible for financial assistance, with a minimum and maximum award amount as follows:

(1) For academic years 2010-11, 2011-12, 2012-13, and 2013-14:

(a) One thousand dollars maximum and three hundred dollars minimum for students attending institutions classified as part of the public two-year sector;

(b) Two thousand one hundred fifty dollars maximum and one thousand dollars minimum for students attending institutions classified as part of the public four-year sector, including State Technical College of Missouri; and

(c) Four thousand six hundred dollars maximum and two thousand dollars minimum for students attending approved private institutions;

(2) For the 2014-15 academic year and subsequent years:

(a) One thousand three hundred dollars maximum and three hundred dollars minimum for students attending institutions classified as part of the public two-year sector; and

(b) Two thousand eight hundred fifty dollars maximum and one thousand five hundred dollars minimum for students attending institutions classified as part of the public four-year sector, including State Technical College of Missouri**[**, or**];** approved private institutions**; or approved virtual institutions** .

2. All students with an expected family contribution of twelve thousand dollars or less shall receive at least the minimum award amount for his or her institution. Maximum award amounts for an eligible student with an expected family contribution above seven thousand dollars shall be reduced by ten percent of the maximum expected family contribution for his or her increment group. Any award amount shall be reduced by the amount of a student's payment from the A+ schools program or any successor program to it. For purposes of this subsection, the term "increment group" shall mean a group organized by expected family contribution in five hundred dollar increments into which all eligible students shall be placed.

3. If appropriated funds are insufficient to fund the program as described, the maximum award shall be reduced across all sectors by the percentage of the shortfall. If appropriated funds exceed the amount necessary to fund the program, the additional funds shall be used to increase the number of recipients by raising the cutoff for the expected family contribution rather than by increasing the size of the award.

4. Every three years, beginning with academic year 2009-10, the award amount may be adjusted to increase no more than the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), 1982-1984 = 100, not seasonally adjusted, as defined and officially recorded by the United States Department of Labor, or its successor agency, for the previous academic year. The coordinating board shall prepare a report prior to the legislative session for use of the general assembly and the governor in determining budget requests which shall include the amount of funds necessary to maintain full funding of the program based on the baseline established for the program upon the effective date of sections 173.1101 to 173.1107. Any increase in the award amount shall not become effective unless an increase in the amount of money appropriated to the program necessary to cover the increase in award amount is passed by the general assembly.

173.1107. A recipient of financial assistance may transfer from one approved public **[**or**],** private**, or virtual** institution to another without losing eligibility for assistance under sections 173.1101 to 173.1107, but the coordinating board shall make any necessary adjustments in the amount of the award. If a recipient

of financial assistance at any time is entitled to a refund of any tuition, fees, or other charges under the rules and regulations of the institution in which he or she is enrolled, the institution shall pay the portion of the refund which may be attributed to the state grant to the coordinating board. The coordinating board will use these refunds to make additional awards under the provisions of sections 173.1101 to 173.1107."; and

Further amend said bill, Pages 410, Section C, Line 6, by deleting all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section D. Because of the importance of providing financial aid for Missouri high school graduates, section 160.545 of section A of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare, peace, and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the meaning of the constitution, and section 160.545 of section A of this act shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 4

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 997, Page 2, Section 167.223, Line 15, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"172.030. **1.** The board of curators of the University of the state of Missouri shall hereafter consist of nine members, who shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the senate; provided, that at least one but no more than two shall be appointed upon said board from each congressional district, and no person shall be appointed a curator who shall not be a citizen of the United States, and who shall not have been a resident of the state of Missouri two years next prior to his appointment. Not more than five curators shall belong to any one political party. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, nothing in this section relating to a change in the composition and configuration of congressional districts in this state shall prohibit a member who is serving a term on August 28, 2011, from completing his or her term.

2. The provisions of this subsection shall apply to all appointments made to the board on or after January 1, 2017, notwithstanding any other provision of law. No person shall be appointed to the board who is of the same profession or occupation as any two persons already serving on the board. For concurrent appointments, appointments shall be made to ensure that no more than two persons of the same occupation or profession are serving on the board at any one time."; and

Further amend said bill, Page 15, Section 173.2520, Line 13, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**174.058. 1. The provisions of this section shall apply to all appointments made to the board of governors of Missouri Western State University, University of Central Missouri, Truman State University, Missouri State University, and Missouri Southern State University; the board of regents of Southeast Missouri State University, Northwest Missouri State University, and Harris-Stowe State University; and the board of curators of Lincoln University on or after January 1, 2017, notwithstanding any other provision of law.**

2. No person shall be appointed to the board who is of the same profession or occupation as any two persons already serving on the board. For concurrent appointments, appointments shall be made

to ensure that no more than two persons of the same occupation or profession are serving on the board at any one time."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 5

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 997, Page 10, Section 173.234, Line 93, by inserting after all of said line and section the following:

"173.1004. **1.** The coordinating board shall promulgate rules and regulations to ensure that each approved public higher education institution shall post on its website the names of all faculty, including adjunct, part-time, and full-time faculty, who are given full or partial teaching assignments along with web links or other means of providing information about their academic credentials and, where feasible, instructor ratings by students. In addition, public institutions of higher education shall post course schedules on their websites that include the name of the instructor assigned to each course and, if applicable, each section of a course, as well as identifying those instructors who are teaching assistants, provided that the institution may modify and update the identity of instructors as courses and sections are added or cancelled.

2. Each approved public institution, as defined in section 173.1102, shall post on its public website the estimated cost for each degree program offered. Such estimated cost shall list any fees or other expenses required in addition to tuition. Such information shall be updated annually.

3. Each approved public institution, as defined in section 173.1102, shall provide the information described in subsection 2 of this section in printed materials or electronic or online materials to prospective students at the same time that it notifies prospective students of their acceptance into the institution. If no such notification of acceptance takes place, the institution shall provide such information in printed materials or electronic materials or online materials before the prospective student registers for any classes. Such information shall be updated annually."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Emergency clause adopted.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and passed **SB 627**, entitled:

An Act to amend chapter 173, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to suicide awareness and prevention.

With House Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, House Amendment No. 1 to House Amendment No. 4, House Amendment No. 4, as amended, House Amendment No. 5 and 6.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend Senate Bill No. 627, Page 1, In the Title, Lines 2-3, by deleting the phrase "suicide awareness and prevention" and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase "higher education"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 2, Section 173.1200, Line 41,by inserting immediately after all of said section and line the following:

"**173.1410. 1. Prior to September 1, 2017, each public institution of higher education within the state shall adopt a policy on student favoritism. The policy, which shall establish a procedure for addressing allegations of favoritism towards any given student, shall include, but not be limited to, the following:**

(1) A statement of the institution's commitment to a nondiscriminatory educational environment;

(2) A statement prohibiting unfair advantage to any student including, but not limited to, unfair preferential treatment in grading, class selection, class assignments, class attendance, or any kind of grade inflation or course work requirement modification aimed solely at qualifying a student for participation in an extracurricular activity or sport;

(3) Specific provisions discouraging or prohibiting relationships or environments that encourage favoritism;

(4) A method for reporting an allegation of favoritism that allows allegations to be brought by any individual or any group; and

(5) A method for resolving allegations of favoritism including determinations as to appropriate consequences for confirmed acts of favoritism.

2. Upon implementation of a policy required under subsection 1 of this section, an institution shall uniformly and consistently apply such policy, make it easily accessible, and train campus leaders on the policy.

3. The department of higher education may promulgate all necessary rules and regulations for the administration of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void. "; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 2

Amend Senate Bill No. 627, Page 1, In the Title, Lines 2 and 3, by deleting the words "suicide awareness and prevention" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "student safety at public institutions of higher education"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 2, Section 173.1200, Line 41, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**173.2050. 1. The governing board of each public institution of higher education in this state shall engage in discussions with law enforcement agencies with jurisdiction over the premises of an institution to develop and enter into a memorandum of understanding concerning sexual assault,**

domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking, as defined in the federal Higher Education Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. Section 1092(f), involving students both on and off campus.

2. The memorandum of understanding shall contain detailed policies and protocols regarding sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking involving a student that comport with best practices and current professional practices. At a minimum, the memorandum shall set out procedural requirements for the reporting of an offense, protocol for establishing who has jurisdiction over an offense, and criteria for determining when an offense is to be reported to law enforcement.

3. The department of public safety in cooperation with the department of higher education shall promulgate rules and regulations to facilitate the implementation of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void. "; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 3

Amend Senate Bill No. 627, Page 1, Section A, Line 2, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**170.047. 1. In the 2017-18 school year and subsequent years, any licensed educator may annually complete up to two hours of training or professional development in youth suicide awareness and prevention as part of the professional development hours required for state board of education certification.**

2. The department of elementary and secondary education shall develop guidelines suitable for training or professional development in youth suicide awareness and prevention. The department shall develop materials that may be used for such training or professional development.

3. For purposes of this section, the term "licensed educator" means any teacher with a certificate of license to teach issued by the state board of education or any other educator or administrator required to maintain a professional license issued by the state board of education.

4. The department of elementary and secondary education may promulgate rules and regulations to implement this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void.

170.048. 1. By July 1, 2018, each district shall adopt a policy for youth suicide awareness and

prevention, including the training and education of district employees.

2. Each district's policy shall address, but need not be limited to, the following:

(1) Strategies that can help identify students who are at possible risk of suicide;

(2) Strategies and protocols for helping students at possible risk of suicide; and

(3) Protocols for responding to a suicide death.

3. By July 1, 2017, the department of elementary and secondary education shall develop a model policy that districts may adopt. When developing the model policy, the department shall cooperate, consult with, and seek input from organizations that have expertise in youth suicide awareness and prevention. By July 1, 2021, and at least every three years thereafter, the department shall request information and seek feedback from districts on their experience with the policy for youth suicide awareness and prevention. The department shall review this information and may use it to change the department's model policy. The department shall post any information on its website that it has received from districts that it deems relevant. The department shall not post any confidential information or any information that personally identifies any student or school employee."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO
HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 4

Amend House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 627, Page 2, Section 173.1200, Line 41, by deleting all of said line and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"**enforcement officers and employees or other persons, except when criminal, civil, or administrative action is initiated regarding unsafe, potentially harmful, dangerous, violent, or criminal activities, or the threat of such activities.** "; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 4

Amend Senate Bill No. 627, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3, by deleting the words "awareness and prevention"; and

Further amend said bill and page, Section A, Line 2, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**9.154. 1. August 28, 2016, and thereafter the date designated by the show-me compassionate medical education research project committee established in section 191.596, shall be designated as "Show-Me Compassionate Medical Education Day" in Missouri. The citizens of the state of Missouri are encouraged to participate in appropriate activities and events to increase awareness regarding medical education, medical student well-being, and measures that have been shown to be effective, are currently being evaluated for effectiveness, and are being proposed for effectiveness in positively impacting medical student well-being and education.**

2. The director of the department of mental health shall notify the revisor of statutes of the date selected by the show-me compassionate medical education research project committee for the show-

me compassionate medical education day."; and

Further amend said bill, Page 2, Section 173.1200, Line 41, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**191.594. 1. Sections 191.594 to 191.596 shall be known and may be cited as the "Show-Me Compassionate Medical Education Act".**

2. No medical school in this state shall prohibit, discourage, or otherwise restrict a medical student organization or medical organization from undertaking or conducting a study of the prevalence of depression and suicide or other mental health issues among medical students. No medical school in this state shall penalize, discipline, or otherwise take any adverse action against a student or a medical student organization in connection with such student's or medical student organization's participation in, planning, or conducting a study of the prevalence of depression and suicide or other mental health issues among medical students.

3. For purposes of this section, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Medical organization" includes, but is not limited to, organizations such as the Missouri State Medical Association and the Missouri Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons;

(2) "Medical school", any allopathic or osteopathic school of medicine in this state;

(3) "Medical student organization" includes, but is not limited to, organizations such as the American Medical Student Association, the Student Osteopathic Medical Association, and any medical student section of a medical organization.

191.596. 1. Medical schools in this state may, in collaboration with the show-me compassionate medical education research project committee, conduct a single center or multicenter study or studies, which, if conducted, shall be known as the "Show-Me Compassionate Medical Education Research Project", in order to facilitate the collection of data and implement practices and protocols to minimize stress and reduce the risk of depression and suicide for medical students in this state.

2. There is hereby established the "Show-Me Compassionate Medical Education Research Project Committee", which shall consist of representatives from each of the medical schools in this state and the director of the department of mental health, or the director's designee. The committee shall:

(1) Conduct an initial meeting on August 28, 2016, to organize, and meet as necessary thereafter to implement any research project conducted; and

(2) Set the date for the show-me compassionate medical education day designated under section 9.154. The date selected shall be for 2017 and every year thereafter.

3. Any single center or multicenter study undertaken by the committee or its member schools may include, but need not be limited to, the following:

(1) Development of study protocols designed to identify the root causes that contribute to the risk of depression and suicide for medical students;

(2) Examination of the culture and academic program of medical schools that may contribute to the risk of depression and suicide for medical students;

(3) Collection of any relevant additional data including, but not limited to, consultation and collaboration with mental health professionals and mental health resources in the communities where medical schools are located;

(4) Collaboration between the medical schools in this state in order to share information and to identify and make recommendations under subdivision (5) of this subsection; and

(5) Based on the data and findings under subdivisions (1) to (3) of this subsection:

(a) Identification of the best practices to be implemented at each medical school designed to address the root causes and changes in medical school culture in order to minimize stress and reduce the risk of depression and suicide for medical students;

(b) Recommendation of any statutory or regulatory changes regarding licensure of medical professionals and recommendation of any changes to common practices associated with medical training or medical practice that the committee believes will accomplish the goals set out in this section.

4. The committee shall prepare an annual report that shall include any information under subdivision (5) of subsection 3 of this section and any measures reported by any medical school as a result of the findings under this section. The report shall be made available annually on each medical school's website and to the Missouri general assembly.

610.100. 1. As used in sections 610.100 to 610.150, the following words and phrases shall mean:

(1) "Arrest", an actual restraint of the person of the defendant, or by his or her submission to the custody of the officer, under authority of a warrant or otherwise for a criminal violation which results in the issuance of a summons or the person being booked;

(2) "Arrest report", a record of a law enforcement agency of an arrest and of any detention or confinement incident thereto together with the charge therefor;

(3) "Inactive", an investigation in which no further action will be taken by a law enforcement agency or officer for any of the following reasons:

(a) A decision by the law enforcement agency not to pursue the case;

(b) Expiration of the time to file criminal charges pursuant to the applicable statute of limitations, or ten years after the commission of the offense; whichever date earliest occurs;

(c) Finality of the convictions of all persons convicted on the basis of the information contained in the investigative report, by exhaustion of or expiration of all rights of appeal of such persons;

(4) "Incident report", a record of a law enforcement agency consisting of the date, time, specific location, name of the victim and immediate facts and circumstances surrounding the initial report of a crime or incident, including any logs of reported crimes, accidents and complaints maintained by that agency;

(5) "Investigative report", a record, other than an arrest or incident report, prepared by personnel of a law enforcement agency, inquiring into a crime or suspected crime, either in response to an incident report or in response to evidence developed by law enforcement officers in the course of their duties.

2. Each law enforcement agency of this state, of any county, and of any municipality shall maintain

records of all incidents reported to the agency, investigations and arrests made by such law enforcement agency. All incident reports and arrest reports shall be open records. Notwithstanding any other provision of law other than the provisions of subsections **[**4, 5 and 6**] 5, 6, and 7** of this section or section 320.083, investigative reports of all law enforcement agencies are closed records until the investigation becomes inactive. If any person is arrested and not charged with an offense against the law within thirty days of the person's arrest, the arrest report shall thereafter be a closed record except that the disposition portion of the record may be accessed and except as provided in section 610.120.

3. Except as provided in subsections **[**4, 5, 6 and 7**] 5, 6, 7, and 8** of this section, if any portion of a record or document of a law enforcement officer or agency, other than an arrest report, which would otherwise be open, contains information that is reasonably likely to pose a clear and present danger to the safety of any victim, witness, undercover officer, or other person; or jeopardize a criminal investigation, including records which would disclose the identity of a source wishing to remain confidential or a suspect not in custody; or which would disclose techniques, procedures or guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, that portion of the record shall be closed and shall be redacted from any record made available pursuant to this chapter.

4. **(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section or law to the contrary, any portion of a record or document of a law enforcement officer or agency, or public institution of higher education, involving a suicide or attempted suicide shall be a closed record for thirty days after the suicide or attempted suicide.**

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1 of this section, if a suicide occurred, such records shall be released prior to thirty days to any relative of the individual within the second degree of consanguinity or affinity upon request.

(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1 of this section, in the case of an attempted suicide, such records shall be released to the individual who attempted to commit suicide at the individual's request or upon the request of the individual's parent or guardian if the individual is a minor, or the individual's spouse or relative within the second degree of consanguinity or affinity if the individual is incapacitated.

(4) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1 of this section, in the case of suicide or attempted suicide, such records may be released for the following purposes:

(a) Criminal, civil, administrative, or other legal proceedings;

(b) Law enforcement investigative or other purposes;

(c) To any covered entity, as defined in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, as amended, that is providing or may provide services to any individual or his or her relative within the second degree of consanguinity or affinity; or

(d) If the release of such information is immediately necessary for the preservation of the health and safety of any individual or for public health and welfare.

5. Any person, including a family member of such person within the first degree of consanguinity if such person is deceased or incompetent, attorney for a person, or insurer of a person involved in any incident or whose property is involved in an incident, may obtain any records closed pursuant to this section

or section 610.150 for purposes of investigation of any civil claim or defense, as provided by this subsection. Any individual, his or her family member within the first degree of consanguinity if such individual is deceased or incompetent, his or her attorney or insurer, involved in an incident or whose property is involved in an incident, upon written request, may obtain a complete unaltered and unedited incident report concerning the incident, and may obtain access to other records closed by a law enforcement agency pursuant to this section. Within thirty days of such request, the agency shall provide the requested material or file a motion pursuant to this subsection with the circuit court having jurisdiction over the law enforcement agency stating that the safety of the victim, witness or other individual cannot be reasonably ensured, or that a criminal investigation is likely to be jeopardized. If, based on such motion, the court finds for the law enforcement agency, the court shall either order the record closed or order such portion of the record that should be closed to be redacted from any record made available pursuant to this subsection.

[5.**] 6.** Any person may bring an action pursuant to this section in the circuit court having jurisdiction to authorize disclosure of the information contained in an investigative report of any law enforcement agency, which would otherwise be closed pursuant to this section. The court may order that all or part of the information contained in an investigative report be released to the person bringing the action. In making the determination as to whether information contained in an investigative report shall be disclosed, the court shall consider whether the benefit to the person bringing the action or to the public outweighs any harm to the public, to the law enforcement agency or any of its officers, or to any person identified in the investigative report in regard to the need for law enforcement agencies to effectively investigate and prosecute criminal activity. The investigative report in question may be examined by the court in camera. The court may find that the party seeking disclosure of the investigative report shall bear the reasonable and necessary costs and attorneys' fees of both parties, unless the court finds that the decision of the law enforcement agency not to open the investigative report was substantially unjustified under all relevant circumstances, and in that event, the court may assess such reasonable and necessary costs and attorneys' fees to the law enforcement agency.

[6.**] 7.** Any person may apply pursuant to this subsection to the circuit court having jurisdiction for an order requiring a law enforcement agency to open incident reports and arrest reports being unlawfully closed pursuant to this section. If the court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that the law enforcement officer or agency has knowingly violated this section, the officer or agency shall be subject to a civil penalty in an amount up to one thousand dollars. If the court finds that there is a knowing violation of this section, the court may order payment by such officer or agency of all costs and attorneys' fees, as provided by section 610.027. If the court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that the law enforcement officer or agency has purposely violated this section, the officer or agency shall be subject to a civil penalty in an amount up to five thousand dollars and the court shall order payment by such officer or agency of all costs and attorney fees, as provided in section 610.027. The court shall determine the amount of the penalty by taking into account the size of the jurisdiction, the seriousness of the offense, and whether the law enforcement officer or agency has violated this section previously.

[7.**] 8.** The victim of an offense as provided in chapter 566 may request that his or her identity be kept confidential until a charge relating to such incident is filed.

610.200. **1. Except as provided in subsection 2 of this section,** all law enforcement agencies that maintain a daily log or record that lists suspected crimes, accidents, or complaints shall make available the following information for inspection and copying by the public:

(1) The time, substance, and location of all complaints or requests for assistance received by the agency;

(2) The time and nature of the agency's response to all complaints or requests for assistance; and

(3) If the incident involves an alleged crime or infraction:

(a) The time, date, and location of occurrence;

(b) The name and age of any victim, unless the victim is a victim of a crime under chapter 566;

(c) The factual circumstances surrounding the incident; and

(d) A general description of any injuries, property or weapons involved.

2. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, no law enforcement agency or public institution of higher education shall release any portion of a record or document of a law enforcement officer or agency involving a suicide or attempted suicide unless such release complies with the requirements of subsection 4 of section 610.100.

Section B. Because immediate action is necessary to ensure the well-being of medical students in this state, the enactment of sections 9.154, 191.594, and 191.596 of section A of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare, peace, and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the meaning of the constitution, and the enactment of sections 9.154, 191.594, and 191.596 of section A of this act shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 5

Amend Senate Bill No. 627, Page 1, In the Title, Lines 2-3, by deleting the words "suicide awareness and prevention" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "health care"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 2, Section 173.1200, Line 41, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"209.150. 1. Every person with a visual, aural or other disability including diabetes, as **disability is** defined in section 213.010, shall have the same rights afforded to a person with no such disability to the full and free use of the streets, highways, sidewalks, walkways, public buildings, public facilities, and other public places.

2. Every person with a visual, aural or other disability including diabetes, as **disability is** defined in section 213.010, is entitled to full and equal accommodations, advantages, facilities, and privileges of all common carriers, airplanes, motor vehicles, railroad trains, motor buses, taxis, streetcars, boats or any other public conveyances or modes of transportation, hotels, lodging places, places of public accommodation, amusement or resort, and other places to which the general public is invited, subject only to the conditions and limitations established by law and applicable alike to all persons.

3. Every person with a visual, aural or other disability including diabetes, as **disability is** defined in section 213.010, shall have the right to be accompanied by a guide dog, hearing dog, or service dog, **as defined in section 209.200,** which is especially trained for the purpose, in any of the places listed in

subsection 2 of this section without being required to pay an extra charge for the guide dog, hearing dog or service dog; provided that such person shall be liable for any damage done to the premises or facilities by such dog.

4. As used in sections 209.150 to 209.190, the term "service dog" [means any dog specifically trained to assist a person with a physical or mental disability by performing necessary tasks or doing work which the person cannot perform. Such tasks shall include, but not be limited to, pulling a wheelchair, retrieving items, carrying supplies, and search and rescue of an individual with a disability] **shall be as defined in section 209.200**.

209.200. As used in sections [209.200] **209.150** to 209.204, not to exceed the provisions of the Americans With Disabilities Act, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Disability", as defined in section 213.010 including diabetes;

(2) "Service dog", a dog that is being or has been specially trained to do work or perform tasks which benefit a particular person with a disability. Service dog includes but is not limited to:

(a) "Guide dog", a dog that is being or has been specially trained to assist a particular blind or visually impaired person;

(b) "Hearing dog", a dog that is being or has been specially trained to assist a particular deaf or hearing-impaired person;

(c) "Medical alert or [respond] **response** dog", a dog that is being or has been trained to alert a person with a disability that a particular medical event is about to occur or to respond to a medical event that has occurred;

(d) **"Mental health service dog" or "psychiatric service dog", a dog individually trained for its owner who is diagnosed with a psychiatric disability, medical condition, or developmental disability recognized in the most recently published Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM) to perform tasks that mitigate or assist with difficulties including, but not limited to, alerting or responding to episodes such as panic attacks and anxiety, and performing other tasks directly related to the owner's psychiatric disability, medical condition, or developmental disability including, but not limited to, autism spectrum disorder, epilepsy, major depressive disorder, bipolar disorder, Alzheimer's disease, dementia, post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), anxiety disorder, obsessive compulsive disorder, schizophrenia, and other mental illnesses and invisible disabilities;**

(e) "Mobility dog", a dog that is being or has been specially trained to assist a person with a disability caused by physical impairments;

[(e)] **(f)** "Professional therapy dog", a dog which is selected, trained, and tested to provide specific physical therapeutic functions, under the direction and control of a qualified handler who works with the dog as a team as a part of the handler's occupation or profession. Such dogs, with their handlers, perform such functions in institutional settings, community-based group settings, or when providing services to specific persons who have disabilities. Professional therapy dogs do not include dogs, certified or not, which are used by volunteers in visitation therapy;

[(f)] **(g)** "Search and rescue dog", a dog that is being or has been trained to search for or prevent a person with a mental disability, including but not limited to verbal and nonverbal autism, from becoming

lost;

(3) "Service dog team", a team consisting of a trained service dog, a disabled person or child, and a person who is an adult and who has been trained to handle the service dog."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 6

Amend Senate Bill No. 627, Page 1, Section A, Line 2, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"160.400. 1. A charter school is an independent public school.

2. Except as further provided in subsection 4 of this section, charter schools may be operated only:

(1) In a metropolitan school district;

(2) In an urban school district containing most or all of a city with a population greater than three hundred fifty thousand inhabitants;

(3) In a school district that has been [declared] **classified as** unaccredited **by the state board of education**;

(4) In a school district that has been classified as provisionally accredited by the state board of education and has received scores on its annual performance report consistent with a classification of provisionally accredited or unaccredited for three consecutive school years beginning with the 2012-13 accreditation year under the following conditions:

(a) The eligibility for charter schools of any school district whose provisional accreditation is based in whole or in part on financial stress as defined in sections 161.520 to 161.529, or on financial hardship as defined by rule of the state board of education, shall be decided by a vote of the state board of education during the third consecutive school year after the designation of provisional accreditation; and

(b) The sponsor is limited to the local school board or a sponsor who has met the standards of accountability and performance as determined by the department based on sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349 and properly promulgated rules of the department; or

(5) In a school district that has been accredited without provisions, sponsored only by the local school board; provided that no board with a current year enrollment of one thousand five hundred fifty students or greater shall permit more than thirty-five percent of its student enrollment to enroll in charter schools sponsored by the local board under the authority of this subdivision, except that this restriction shall not apply to any school district that subsequently becomes eligible under subdivision (3) or (4) of this subsection or to any district accredited without provisions that sponsors charter schools prior to having a current year student enrollment of one thousand five hundred fifty students or greater.

3. Except as further provided in subsection 4 of this section, the following entities are eligible to sponsor charter schools:

(1) The school board of the district in any district which is sponsoring a charter school as of August 27, 2012, as permitted under subdivision (1) or (2) of subsection 2 of this section, the special administrative board of a metropolitan school district during any time in which powers granted to the district's board of

education are vested in a special administrative board, or if the state board of education appoints a special administrative board to retain the authority granted to the board of education of an urban school district containing most or all of a city with a population greater than three hundred fifty thousand inhabitants, the special administrative board of such school district;

(2) A public four-year college or university with an approved teacher education program that meets regional or national standards of accreditation;

(3) A community college, the service area of which encompasses some portion of the district;

(4) Any private four-year college or university with an enrollment of at least one thousand students, with its primary campus in Missouri, and with an approved teacher preparation program;

(5) Any two-year private vocational or technical school designated as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, [which is a member of the North Central Association] and accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, with its primary campus in Missouri; [or]

(6) The Missouri charter public school commission created in section 160.425.

4. Changes in a school district's accreditation status that affect charter schools shall be addressed as follows, except for the districts described in subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection 2 of this section:

(1) As a district transitions from unaccredited to provisionally accredited, the district shall continue to fall under the requirements for an unaccredited district until it achieves three consecutive full school years of provisional accreditation;

(2) As a district transitions from provisionally accredited to full accreditation, the district shall continue to fall under the requirements for a provisionally accredited district until it achieves three consecutive full school years of full accreditation;

(3) In any school district classified as unaccredited or provisionally accredited where a charter school is operating and is sponsored by an entity other than the local school board, when the school district becomes classified as accredited without provisions, a charter school may continue to be sponsored by the entity sponsoring it prior to the classification of accredited without provisions and shall not be limited to the local school board as a sponsor.

A charter school operating in a school district identified in subdivision (1) or (2) of subsection 2 of this section may be sponsored by any of the entities identified in subsection 3 of this section, irrespective of the accreditation classification of the district in which it is located. A charter school in a district described in this subsection whose charter provides for the addition of grade levels in subsequent years may continue to add levels until the planned expansion is complete to the extent of grade levels in comparable schools of the district in which the charter school is operated.

5. The mayor of a city not within a county may request a sponsor under subdivision (2), (3), (4), (5), or (6) of subsection 3 of this section to consider sponsoring a "workplace charter school", which is defined for purposes of sections 160.400 to 160.425 as a charter school with the ability to target prospective students whose parent or parents are employed in a business district, as defined in the charter, which is located in the city.

6. No sponsor shall receive from an applicant for a charter school any fee of any type for the

consideration of a charter, nor may a sponsor condition its consideration of a charter on the promise of future payment of any kind.

7. The charter school shall be organized as a Missouri nonprofit corporation incorporated pursuant to chapter 355. The charter provided for herein shall constitute a contract between the sponsor and the charter school.

8. As a nonprofit corporation incorporated pursuant to chapter 355, the charter school shall select the method for election of officers pursuant to section 355.326 based on the class of corporation selected. Meetings of the governing board of the charter school shall be subject to the provisions of sections 610.010 to 610.030.

9. A sponsor of a charter school, its agents and employees are not liable for any acts or omissions of a charter school that it sponsors, including acts or omissions relating to the charter submitted by the charter school, the operation of the charter school and the performance of the charter school.

10. A charter school may affiliate with a four-year college or university, including a private college or university, or a community college as otherwise specified in subsection 3 of this section when its charter is granted by a sponsor other than such college, university or community college. Affiliation status recognizes a relationship between the charter school and the college or university for purposes of teacher training and staff development, curriculum and assessment development, use of physical facilities owned by or rented on behalf of the college or university, and other similar purposes. A university, college or community college may not charge or accept a fee for affiliation status.

11. The expenses associated with sponsorship of charter schools shall be defrayed by the department of elementary and secondary education retaining one and five-tenths percent of the amount of state and local funding allocated to the charter school under section 160.415, not to exceed one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars, adjusted for inflation. The department of elementary and secondary education shall remit the retained funds for each charter school to the school's sponsor, provided the sponsor remains in good standing by fulfilling its sponsorship obligations under sections 160.400 to 160.425 and 167.349 with regard to each charter school it sponsors, including appropriate demonstration of the following:

(1) Expends no less than ninety percent of its charter school sponsorship funds in support of its charter school sponsorship program, or as a direct investment in the sponsored schools;

(2) Maintains a comprehensive application process that follows fair procedures and rigorous criteria and grants charters only to those developers who demonstrate strong capacity for establishing and operating a quality charter school;

(3) Negotiates contracts with charter schools that clearly articulate the rights and responsibilities of each party regarding school autonomy, expected outcomes, measures for evaluating success or failure, performance consequences **based on the annual performance report**, and other material terms;

(4) Conducts contract oversight that evaluates performance, monitors compliance, informs intervention and renewal decisions, and ensures autonomy provided under applicable law; and

(5) Designs and implements a transparent and rigorous process that uses comprehensive data to make merit-based renewal decisions.

12. Sponsors receiving funds under subsection 11 of this section shall be required to submit annual

reports to the joint committee on education demonstrating they are in compliance with subsection 17 of this section.

13. No university, college or community college shall grant a charter to a nonprofit corporation if an employee of the university, college or community college is a member of the corporation's board of directors.

14. No sponsor shall grant a charter under sections 160.400 to 160.425 and 167.349 without ensuring that a criminal background check and family care safety registry check are conducted for all members of the governing board of the charter schools or the incorporators of the charter school if initial directors are not named in the articles of incorporation, nor shall a sponsor renew a charter without ensuring a criminal background check and family care **safety** registry check are conducted for each member of the governing board of the charter school.

15. No member of the governing board of a charter school shall hold any office or employment from the board or the charter school while serving as a member, nor shall the member have any substantial interest, as defined in section 105.450, in any entity employed by or contracting with the board. No board member shall be an employee of a company that provides substantial services to the charter school. All members of the governing board of the charter school shall be considered decision-making public servants as defined in section 105.450 for the purposes of the financial disclosure requirements contained in sections 105.483, 105.485, 105.487, and 105.489.

16. A sponsor shall develop the policies and procedures for:

(1) The review of a charter school proposal including an application that provides sufficient information for rigorous evaluation of the proposed charter and provides clear documentation that the education program and academic program are aligned with the state standards and grade-level expectations, and provides clear documentation of effective governance and management structures, and a sustainable operational plan;

(2) The granting of a charter;

(3) The performance [framework] **contract** that the sponsor will use to evaluate the performance of charter schools**. Charter schools shall meet current state academic performance standards as well as other standards agreed upon by the sponsor and the charter school in the performance contract**;

(4) The sponsor's intervention, renewal, and revocation policies, including the conditions under which the charter sponsor may intervene in the operation of the charter school, along with actions and consequences that may ensue, and the conditions for renewal of the charter at the end of the term, consistent with subsections 8 and 9 of section 160.405;

(5) Additional criteria that the sponsor will use for ongoing oversight of the charter; and

(6) Procedures to be implemented if a charter school should close, consistent with the provisions of subdivision (15) of subsection 1 of section 160.405.

The department shall provide guidance to sponsors in developing such policies and procedures.

17. (1) A sponsor shall provide timely submission to the state board of education of all data necessary to demonstrate that the sponsor is in material compliance with all requirements of sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349. The state board of education shall ensure each sponsor is in compliance with all requirements under sections 160.400 to 160.425 and 167.349 for each charter school sponsored by any

sponsor. The state board shall notify each sponsor of the standards for sponsorship of charter schools, delineating both what is mandated by statute and what best practices dictate. The state board shall evaluate sponsors to determine compliance with these standards every three years. The evaluation shall include a sponsor's policies and procedures in the areas of charter application approval; required charter agreement terms and content; sponsor performance evaluation and compliance monitoring; and charter renewal, intervention, and revocation decisions. Nothing shall preclude the department from undertaking an evaluation at any time for cause.

(2) If the department determines that a sponsor is in material noncompliance with its sponsorship duties, the sponsor shall be notified and given reasonable time for remediation. If remediation does not address the compliance issues identified by the department, the commissioner of education shall conduct a public hearing and thereafter provide notice to the charter sponsor of corrective action that will be recommended to the state board of education. Corrective action by the department may include withholding the sponsor's funding and suspending the sponsor's authority to sponsor a school that it currently sponsors or to sponsor any additional school until the sponsor is reauthorized by the state board of education under section 160.403.

(3) The charter sponsor may, within thirty days of receipt of the notice of the commissioner's recommendation, provide a written statement and other documentation to show cause as to why that action should not be taken. Final determination of corrective action shall be determined by the state board of education based upon a review of the documentation submitted to the department and the charter sponsor.

(4) If the state board removes the authority to sponsor a currently operating charter school under any provision of law, the Missouri charter public school commission shall become the sponsor of the school.

18. If a sponsor notifies a charter school of closure under subsection 8 of section 160.405, the department of elementary and secondary education shall exercise its financial withholding authority under subsection 12 of section 160.415 to assure all obligations of the charter school shall be met. The state, charter sponsor, or resident district shall not be liable for any outstanding liability or obligations of the charter school.

160.403. 1. The department of elementary and secondary education shall establish an annual application and approval process for all entities eligible to sponsor charters as set forth in section 160.400 which are not sponsoring a charter school as of August 28, 2012**, except that the Missouri charter public school commission shall not be required to undergo the application and approval process**. No later than November 1, 2012, the department shall make available information and guidelines for all eligible sponsors concerning the opportunity to apply for sponsoring authority under this section.

2. The application process for sponsorship shall require each interested eligible sponsor**, except for the Missouri charter public school commission,** to submit an application by February first that includes the following:

(1) Written notification of intent to serve as a charter school sponsor in accordance with sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349;

(2) Evidence of the applicant sponsor's budget and personnel capacity;

(3) An outline of the request for proposal that the applicant sponsor would, if approved as a charter sponsor, issue to solicit charter school applicants consistent with sections 160.400 to 160.425 **and section 167.349**;

(4) The performance [framework] **contract** that the applicant sponsor would, if approved as a charter sponsor, use to [guide the establishment of a charter contract and for ongoing oversight and a description of how it would] evaluate the charter schools it sponsors; and

(5) The applicant sponsor's renewal, revocation, and nonrenewal processes consistent with section 160.405.

3. By April first of each year, the department shall decide whether to grant or deny a sponsoring authority to a sponsor applicant. This decision shall be made based on the applicant [charter's] **sponsor's** compliance with sections 160.400 to 160.425 **and section 167.349** and properly promulgated rules of the department.

4. Within thirty days of the department's decision, the department shall execute a renewable sponsoring contract with each entity it has approved as a sponsor. The term of each authorizing contract shall be six years and renewable. [No eligible sponsor which is not currently sponsoring a charter school as of August 28, 2012, shall commence charter sponsorship without approval from the state board of education and a sponsor contract with the state board of education in effect.]

160.405. 1. A person, group or organization seeking to establish a charter school shall submit the proposed charter, as provided in this section, to a sponsor. If the sponsor is not a school board, the applicant shall give a copy of its application to the school board of the district in which the charter school is to be located and to the state board of education, within five business days of the date the application is filed with the proposed sponsor. The school board may file objections with the proposed sponsor, and, if a charter is granted, the school board may file objections with the state board of education. The charter shall [be] **include** a legally binding performance contract that describes the obligations and responsibilities of the school and the sponsor as outlined in sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349 and shall [also include] **address the following**:

(1) A mission and vision statement for the charter school;

(2) A description of the charter school's organizational structure and bylaws of the governing body, which will be responsible for the policy, financial management, and operational decisions of the charter school, including the nature and extent of parental, professional educator, and community involvement in the governance and operation of the charter school;

(3) A financial plan for the first three years of operation of the charter school including provisions for annual audits;

(4) A description of the charter school's policy for securing personnel services, its personnel policies, personnel qualifications, and professional development plan;

(5) A description of the grades or ages of students being served;

(6) The school's calendar of operation, which shall include at least the equivalent of a full school term as defined in section 160.011;

(7) A description of the charter school's pupil performance standards and academic program performance standards, which shall meet the requirements of subdivision (6) of subsection 4 of this section. The charter school program shall be designed to enable each pupil to achieve such standards and shall contain a complete set of indicators, measures, metrics, and targets for academic program performance, including specific goals on graduation rates and standardized test performance and academic growth;

(8) A description of the charter school's educational program and curriculum;

(9) The term of the charter, which shall be five years and [shall] **may** be [renewable] **renewed**;

(10) Procedures, consistent with the Missouri financial accounting manual, for monitoring the financial accountability of the charter, which shall meet the requirements of subdivision (4) of subsection 4 of this section;

(11) Preopening requirements for applications that require that charter schools meet all health, safety, and other legal requirements prior to opening;

(12) A description of the charter school's policies on student discipline and student admission, which shall include a statement, where applicable, of the validity of attendance of students who do not reside in the district but who may be eligible to attend under the terms of judicial settlements and procedures that ensure admission of students with disabilities in a nondiscriminatory manner;

(13) A description of the charter school's grievance procedure for parents or guardians;

(14) A description of the agreement **and time frame for implementation** between the charter school and the sponsor as to when a sponsor shall intervene in a charter school, when a sponsor shall revoke a charter for failure to comply with subsection 8 of this section, and when a sponsor will not renew a charter under subsection 9 of this section;

(15) Procedures to be implemented if the charter school should close, as provided in subdivision (6) of subsection 16 of section 160.400 including:

(a) Orderly transition of student records to new schools and archival of student records;

(b) Archival of business operation and transfer or repository of personnel records;

(c) Submission of final financial reports;

(d) Resolution of any remaining financial obligations; [and]

(e) Disposition of the charter school's assets upon closure; **and**

(f) A notification plan to inform parents or guardians of students, the local school district, the retirement system in which the charter school's employees participate, and the state board of education within thirty days of the decision to close;

(16) A description of the special education and related services that shall be available to meet the needs of students with disabilities; and

(17) For all new or revised charters, procedures to be used upon closure of the charter school requiring that unobligated assets of the charter school be returned to the department of elementary and secondary education for their disposition, which upon receipt of such assets shall return them to the local school district in which the school was located, the state, or any other entity to which they would belong.

Charter schools operating on August 27, 2012, shall have until August 28, 2015, to meet the requirements of this subsection.

2. Proposed charters shall be subject to the following requirements:

(1) A charter shall be submitted to the sponsor, and follow the sponsor's policies and procedures for

review and granting of a charter approval, and be approved by the state board of education by [December first of the year] **January thirty-first** prior to **the school year of** the proposed opening date of the charter school;

(2) A charter may be approved when the sponsor determines that the requirements of this section are met, determines that the applicant is sufficiently qualified to operate a charter school, and that the proposed charter is consistent with the sponsor's charter sponsorship goals and capacity. The sponsor's decision of approval or denial shall be made within ninety days of the filing of the proposed charter;

(3) If the charter is denied, the proposed sponsor shall notify the applicant in writing as to the reasons for its denial and forward a copy to the state board of education within five business days following the denial;

(4) If a proposed charter is denied by a sponsor, the proposed charter may be submitted to the state board of education, along with the sponsor's written reasons for its denial. If the state board determines that the applicant meets the requirements of this section, that the applicant is sufficiently qualified to operate the charter school, and that granting a charter to the applicant would be likely to provide educational benefit to the children of the district, the state board may grant a charter and act as sponsor of the charter school. The state board shall review the proposed charter and make a determination of whether to deny or grant the proposed charter within sixty days of receipt of the proposed charter, provided that any charter to be considered by the state board of education under this subdivision shall be submitted no later than March first prior to the school year in which the charter school intends to begin operations. The state board of education shall notify the applicant in writing as the reasons for its denial, if applicable; and

(5) The sponsor of a charter school shall give priority to charter school applicants that propose a school oriented to high-risk students and to the reentry of dropouts into the school system. If a sponsor grants three or more charters, at least one-third of the charters granted by the sponsor shall be to schools that actively recruit dropouts or high-risk students as their student body and address the needs of dropouts or high-risk students through their proposed mission, curriculum, teaching methods, and services. For purposes of this subsection, a "high-risk" student is one who is at least one year behind in satisfactory completion of course work or obtaining high school credits for graduation, has dropped out of school, is at risk of dropping out of school, needs drug and alcohol treatment, has severe behavioral problems, has been suspended from school three or more times, has a history of severe truancy, is a pregnant or parenting teen, has been referred for enrollment by the judicial system, is exiting incarceration, is a refugee, is homeless or has been homeless sometime within the preceding six months, has been referred by an area school district for enrollment in an alternative program, or qualifies as high risk under department of elementary and secondary education guidelines. "Dropout" shall be defined through the guidelines of the school core data report. The provisions of this subsection do not apply to charters sponsored by the state board of education.

3. If a charter is approved by a sponsor, the charter application shall be submitted to the state board of education, along with a statement of finding **by the sponsor** that the application meets the requirements of sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349 and a monitoring plan under which the charter sponsor shall evaluate the academic performance**, including annual performance reports,** of students enrolled in the charter school. The state board of education [may, within sixty days, disapprove the granting of the charter] **shall approve or deny a charter application within sixty days of receipt of the application**. The state board of education may [disapprove] **deny** a charter on grounds that the application fails to meet the requirements of sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349 or that a charter sponsor previously failed to meet the statutory responsibilities of a charter sponsor. **Any denial of a charter application made by**

the state board of education shall be in writing and shall identify the specific failures of the application to meet the requirements of sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349, and the written denial shall be provided within ten business days to the sponsor.

4. A charter school shall, as provided in its charter:

(1) Be nonsectarian in its programs, admission policies, employment practices, and all other operations;

(2) Comply with laws and regulations of the state, county, or city relating to health, safety, and state minimum educational standards, as specified by the state board of education, including the requirements relating to student discipline under sections 160.261, 167.161, 167.164, and 167.171, notification of criminal conduct to law enforcement authorities under sections 167.115 to 167.117, academic assessment under section 160.518, transmittal of school records under section 167.020, the minimum [number of school days and hours] **amount of school time** required under section [160.041] **171.031**, and the employee criminal history background check and the family care safety registry check under section 168.133;

(3) Except as provided in sections 160.400 to 160.425 **and as specifically provided in other sections**, be exempt from all laws and rules relating to schools, governing boards and school districts;

(4) Be financially accountable, use practices consistent with the Missouri financial accounting manual, provide for an annual audit by a certified public accountant, publish audit reports and annual financial reports as provided in chapter 165, provided that the annual financial report may be published on the department of elementary and secondary education's internet website in addition to other publishing requirements, and provide liability insurance to indemnify the school, its board, staff and teachers against tort claims. A charter school that receives local educational agency status under subsection 6 of this section shall meet the requirements imposed by the Elementary and Secondary Education Act for audits of such agencies and comply with all federal audit requirements for charters with local [education] **educational** agency status. For purposes of an audit by petition under section 29.230, a charter school shall be treated as a political subdivision on the same terms and conditions as the school district in which it is located. For the purposes of securing such insurance, a charter school shall be eligible for the Missouri public entity risk management fund pursuant to section 537.700. A charter school that incurs debt shall include a repayment plan in its financial plan;

(5) Provide a comprehensive program of instruction for at least one grade or age group from [kindergarten] **early childhood** through grade twelve, [which may include early childhood education if funding for such programs is established by statute,] as specified in its charter;

(6) (a) Design a method to measure pupil progress toward the pupil academic standards adopted by the state board of education pursuant to section 160.514, establish baseline student performance in accordance with the performance contract during the first year of operation, collect student performance data as defined by the annual performance report throughout the duration of the charter to annually monitor student academic performance, and to the extent applicable based upon grade levels offered by the charter school, participate in the statewide system of assessments, comprised of the essential skills tests and the nationally standardized norm-referenced achievement tests, as designated by the state board pursuant to section 160.518, complete and distribute an annual report card as prescribed in section 160.522, which shall also include a statement that background checks have been completed on the charter school's board members, **and** report to its sponsor, the local school district, and the state board of education as to its teaching methods and any educational innovations and the results thereof**[**, and provide data required for the study of charter schools pursuant to subsection 4 of section 160.410**]**. No charter school shall be considered in the Missouri

school improvement program review of the district in which it is located for the resource or process standards of the program.

(b) For proposed [high risk] **high-risk** or alternative charter schools, sponsors shall approve performance measures based on mission, curriculum, teaching methods, and services. Sponsors shall also approve comprehensive academic and behavioral measures to determine whether students are meeting performance standards on a different time frame as specified in that school's charter. Student performance shall be assessed comprehensively to determine whether a [high risk] **high-risk** or alternative charter school has documented adequate student progress. Student performance shall be based on sponsor-approved comprehensive measures as well as standardized public school measures. Annual presentation of charter school report card data to the department of elementary and secondary education, the state board, and the public shall include comprehensive measures of student progress.

(c) Nothing in this subdivision shall be construed as permitting a charter school to be held to lower performance standards than other public schools within a district; however, the charter of a charter school may permit students to meet performance standards on a different time frame as specified in its charter. The performance standards for alternative and special purpose charter schools that target high-risk students as defined in subdivision (5) of subsection 2 of this section shall be based on measures defined in the school's performance contract with its sponsors;

(7) Comply with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations regarding students with disabilities, including sections 162.670 to 162.710, the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Section 1400) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. Section 794) or successor legislation;

(8) Provide along with any request for review by the state board of education the following:

(a) Documentation that the applicant has provided a copy of the application to the school board of the district in which the charter school is to be located, except in those circumstances where the school district is the sponsor of the charter school; and

(b) A statement outlining the reasons for approval or [disapproval] **denial** by the sponsor, specifically addressing the requirements of sections 160.400 to 160.425 and 167.349.

5. (1) Proposed or existing high-risk or alternative charter schools may include alternative arrangements for students to obtain credit for satisfying graduation requirements in the school's charter application and charter. Alternative arrangements may include, but not be limited to, credit for off-campus instruction, embedded credit, work experience through an internship arranged through the school, and independent studies. When the state board of education approves the charter, any such alternative arrangements shall be approved at such time.

(2) The department of elementary and secondary education shall conduct a study of any charter school granted alternative arrangements for students to obtain credit under this subsection after three years of operation to assess student performance, graduation rates, educational outcomes, and entry into the workforce or higher education.

6. The charter of a charter school may be amended at the request of the governing body of the charter school and on the approval of the sponsor. The sponsor and the governing board and staff of the charter school shall jointly review the school's performance, management and operations during the first year of operation and then every other year after the most recent review or at any point where the operation or

management of the charter school is changed or transferred to another entity, either public or private. The governing board of a charter school may amend the charter, if the sponsor approves such amendment, or the sponsor and the governing board may reach an agreement in writing to reflect the charter school's decision to become a local educational agency. In such case the sponsor shall give the department of elementary and secondary education written notice no later than March first of any year, with the agreement to become effective July first. The department may waive the March first notice date in its discretion. The department shall identify and furnish a list of its regulations that pertain to local educational agencies to such schools within thirty days of receiving such notice.

7. Sponsors shall annually review the charter school's compliance with statutory standards including:

(1) Participation in the statewide system of assessments, as designated by the state board of education under section 160.518;

(2) Assurances for the completion and distribution of an annual report card as prescribed in section 160.522;

(3) The collection of baseline data during the first three years of operation to determine the longitudinal success of the charter school;

(4) A method to measure pupil progress toward the pupil academic standards adopted by the state board of education under section 160.514; and

(5) Publication of each charter school's annual performance report.

8. (1) (a) A sponsor's [intervention] policies shall give schools clear, adequate, evidence-based, and timely notice of contract violations or performance deficiencies and mandate intervention based upon findings of the state board of education of the following:

a. The charter school provides a high school program which fails to maintain a graduation rate of at least seventy percent in three of the last four school years unless the school has dropout recovery as its mission;

b. The charter school's annual performance report results are below the district's annual performance report results based on the performance standards that are applicable to the grade level configuration of both the charter school and the district in which the charter school is located in three of the last four school years; and

c. The charter school is identified as a persistently lowest achieving school by the department of elementary and secondary education.

(b) A sponsor shall have a policy to revoke a charter during the charter term if there is:

a. Clear evidence of underperformance as demonstrated in the charter school's annual performance report in three of the last four school years; or

b. A violation of the law or the public trust that imperils students or public funds.

(c) A sponsor shall revoke a charter or take other appropriate remedial action, which may include placing the charter school on probationary status for no more than [twelve] **twenty-four** months, provided that no more than one designation of probationary status shall be allowed for the duration of the charter contract, at any time if the charter school commits a serious breach of one or more provisions of its charter or on any of the following grounds: failure to meet the performance contract as set forth in its charter,

failure to meet generally accepted standards of fiscal management, failure to provide information necessary to confirm compliance with all provisions of the charter and sections 160.400 to 160.425 and 167.349 within forty-five days following receipt of written notice requesting such information, or violation of law.

(2) The sponsor may place the charter school on probationary status to allow the implementation of a remedial plan, which may require a change of methodology, a change in leadership, or both, after which, if such plan is unsuccessful, the charter may be revoked.

(3) At least sixty days before acting to revoke a charter, the sponsor shall notify the governing board of the charter school of the proposed action in writing. The notice shall state the grounds for the proposed action. The school's governing board may request in writing a hearing before the sponsor within two weeks of receiving the notice.

(4) The sponsor of a charter school shall establish procedures to conduct administrative hearings upon determination by the sponsor that grounds exist to revoke a charter. Final decisions of a sponsor from hearings conducted pursuant to this subsection are subject to an appeal to the state board of education, which shall determine whether the charter shall be revoked.

(5) A termination shall be effective only at the conclusion of the school year, unless the sponsor determines that continued operation of the school presents a clear and immediate threat to the health and safety of the children.

(6) A charter sponsor shall make available the school accountability report card information as provided under section 160.522 and the results of the academic monitoring required under subsection 3 of this section.

9. (1) A sponsor shall take all reasonable steps necessary to confirm that each charter school sponsored by such sponsor is in material compliance and remains in material compliance with all material provisions of the charter and sections 160.400 to 160.425 and 167.349. Every charter school shall provide all information necessary to confirm ongoing compliance with all provisions of its charter and sections 160.400 to 160.425 and 167.349 in a timely manner to its sponsor.

(2) The sponsor's renewal process of the charter school shall be based on the thorough analysis of a comprehensive body of objective evidence and consider if:

(a) The charter school has maintained results on its annual performance report that meet or exceed the district in which the charter school is located based on the performance standards that are applicable to the grade-level configuration of both the charter school and the district in which the charter school is located in three of the last four school years;

(b) The charter school is organizationally and fiscally viable determining at a minimum that the school does not have:

a. A negative balance in its operating funds;

b. A combined balance of less than three percent of the amount expended for such funds during the previous fiscal year; or

c. Expenditures that exceed receipts for the most recently completed fiscal year;

(c) The charter is in compliance with its legally binding performance contract and sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349**; and**

(d) The charter school has an annual performance report consistent with a classification of accredited for three of the last four years and is fiscally viable as described in paragraph (b) of this subdivision. If such is the case, the charter school may have an expedited renewal process as defined by rule of the department of elementary and secondary education.

(3) (a) Beginning August first during the year in which a charter is considered for renewal, a charter school sponsor shall demonstrate to the state board of education that the charter school is in compliance with federal and state law as provided in sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349 and the school's performance contract including but not limited to those requirements specific to academic performance.

(b) Along with data reflecting the academic performance standards indicated in paragraph (a) of this subdivision, the sponsor shall submit a revised charter application to the state board of education for review.

(c) Using the data requested and the revised charter application under paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subdivision, the state board of education shall determine if compliance with all standards enumerated in this subdivision has been achieved. The state board of education at its next regularly scheduled meeting shall vote on the revised charter application.

(d) If a charter school sponsor demonstrates the objectives identified in this subdivision, the state board of education shall renew the school's charter.

10. A school district may enter into a lease with a charter school for physical facilities.

11. A governing board or a school district employee who has control over personnel actions shall not take unlawful reprisal against another employee at the school district because the employee is directly or indirectly involved in an application to establish a charter school. A governing board or a school district employee shall not take unlawful reprisal against an educational program of the school or the school district because an application to establish a charter school proposes the conversion of all or a portion of the educational program to a charter school. As used in this subsection, "unlawful reprisal" means an action that is taken by a governing board or a school district employee as a direct result of a lawful application to establish a charter school and that is adverse to another employee or an educational program.

12. Charter school board members shall be subject to the same liability for acts while in office as if they were regularly and duly elected members of school boards in any other public school district in this state. The governing board of a charter school may participate, to the same extent as a school board, in the Missouri public entity risk management fund in the manner provided under sections 537.700 to 537.756.

13. Any entity, either public or private, operating, administering, or otherwise managing a charter school shall be considered a quasi-public governmental body and subject to the provisions of sections 610.010 to 610.035.

14. The chief financial officer of a charter school shall maintain:

(1) A surety bond in an amount determined by the sponsor to be adequate based on the cash flow of the school; or

(2) An insurance policy issued by an insurance company licensed to do business in Missouri on all employees in the amount of five hundred thousand dollars or more that provides coverage in the event of employee theft.

15. The department of elementary and secondary education shall calculate an annual performance

report for each charter school and shall publish it in the same manner as annual performance reports are calculated and published for districts and attendance centers.

16. The joint committee on education shall create a committee to investigate facility access and affordability for charter schools. The committee shall be comprised of equal numbers of the charter school sector and the public school sector and shall report its findings to the general assembly by December 31, 2016.

160.408. 1. For purposes of this section, "high-quality charter school" means a charter school operating in the state of Missouri that meets the following requirements:

(1) Receives eighty-five percent or more of the total points on the annual performance report for three out of the last four school years by comparing points earned to the points possible on the annual performance report for three of the last four school years;

(2) Maintains a graduation rate of at least eighty percent for three of the last four school years, if the charter school provides a high school program;

(3) Is in material compliance with its legally binding performance contract and sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349; and

(4) Is organizationally and fiscally viable as described in paragraph (b) of subdivision (2) of subsection 9 of section 160.405.

2. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, high-quality charter schools shall be provided expedited opportunities to replicate and expand into unaccredited districts, a metropolitan district, or an urban school district containing most or all of a home rule city with more than four hundred thousand inhabitants and located in more than one county. Such replication and expansion shall be subject to the following:

(1) The school seeking to replicate or expand shall submit its proposed charter to a proposed sponsor. The charter shall include a legally binding performance contract that meets the requirements of sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349;

(2) The sponsor's decision to approve or deny shall be made within sixty days of the filing of the proposed charter with the proposed sponsor;

(3) If a charter is approved by a sponsor, the charter application shall be filed with the state board of education with a statement of finding from the sponsor that the application meets the requirements of sections 160.400 to 160.425 and section 167.349 and a monitoring plan under which the sponsor shall evaluate the academic performance of students enrolled in the charter school. Such filing shall be made by January thirty-first prior to the school year in which the charter school intends to begin operations.

3. The term of the charter for schools operating under this section shall be five years, and the charter may be renewed for terms of up to ten years. Renewal shall be subject to the provisions of paragraphs (a) to (d) of subdivision (3) of subsection 9 of section 160.405.

160.410. 1. A charter school shall enroll:

(1) All pupils resident in the district in which it operates;

(2) Nonresident pupils eligible to attend a district's school under an urban voluntary transfer program;

(3) **Nonresident pupils who transfer from an unaccredited district under section 167.131, provided that the charter school is an approved charter school, as defined in section 167.131, and subject to all other provisions of section 167.131;**

(4) In the case of a charter school whose mission includes student drop-out prevention or recovery, any nonresident pupil from the same or an adjacent county who resides in a residential care facility, a transitional living group home, or an independent living program whose last school of enrollment is in the school district where the charter school is established, who submits a timely application; and

[(4)] **(5)** In the case of a workplace charter school, any student eligible to attend under subdivision (1) or (2) of this subsection whose parent is employed in the business district, who submits a timely application, unless the number of applications exceeds the capacity of a program, class, grade level or building. The configuration of a business district shall be set forth in the charter and shall not be construed to create an undue advantage for a single employer or small number of employers.

2. If capacity is insufficient to enroll all pupils who submit a timely application, the charter school shall have an admissions process that assures all applicants of an equal chance of gaining admission **and does not discriminate based on parents' ability to pay fees or tuition** except that:

(1) A charter school may establish a geographical area around the school whose residents will receive a preference for enrolling in the school, provided that such preferences do not result in the establishment of racially or socioeconomically isolated schools and provided such preferences conform to policies and guidelines established by the state board of education;

(2) A charter school may also give a preference for admission of children whose siblings attend the school or whose parents are employed at the school or in the case of a workplace charter school, a child whose parent is employed in the business district or at the business site of such school; and

(3) Charter alternative and special purpose schools may also give a preference for admission to high-risk students, as defined in subdivision (5) of subsection 2 of section 160.405, when the school targets these students through its proposed mission, curriculum, teaching methods, and services.

3. A charter school shall not limit admission based on race, ethnicity, national origin, disability, income level, proficiency in the English language or athletic ability, but may limit admission to pupils within a given age group or grade level. Charter schools may limit admission based on gender only when the school is a single-gender school. Students of a charter school [that are present for the January membership count as defined in section 163.011] **who have been enrolled for a full academic year** shall be counted in the performance of the charter school on the statewide assessments in that calendar year, unless otherwise exempted as English language learners. **For purposes of this subsection, "full academic year" means the last Wednesday in September through the administration of the Missouri assessment program test without transferring out of the school and re-enrolling.**

[4. The department of elementary and secondary education shall commission a study of the performance of students at each charter school in comparison with an equivalent group of district students representing an equivalent demographic and geographic population and a study of the impact of charter schools upon the constituents they serve in the districts in which they are located, to be conducted by the joint committee on education. The charter school study shall include analysis of the administrative and instructional practices of each charter school and shall include findings on innovative programs that illustrate best

practices and lend themselves to replication or incorporation in other schools. The joint committee on education shall coordinate with individuals representing charter schools and the districts in which charter schools are located in conducting the study. The study of a charter school's student performance in relation to a comparable group shall be designed to provide information that would allow parents and educators to make valid comparisons of academic performance between the charter school's students and an equivalent group of district students representing an equivalent demographic and geographic population. The student performance assessment and comparison shall include, but may not be limited to:

(1) Missouri assessment program test performance and aggregate growth over several years;

(2) Student reenrollment rates;

(3) Educator, parent, and student satisfaction data;

(4) Graduation rates in secondary programs; and

(5) Performance of students enrolled in the same public school for three or more consecutive years. The impact study shall be undertaken every two years to determine the impact of charter schools on the constituents they serve in the districts where charter schools are operated. The impact study shall include, but is not limited to, determining if changes have been made in district policy or procedures attributable to the charter school and to perceived changes in attitudes and expectations on the part of district personnel, school board members, parents, students, the business community and other education stakeholders. The department of elementary and secondary education shall make the results of the studies public and shall deliver copies to the governing boards of the charter schools, the sponsors of the charter schools, the school board and superintendent of the districts in which the charter schools are operated.**]**

[5.**] 4.** A charter school shall make available for public inspection, and provide upon request, to the parent, guardian, or other custodian of any school-age pupil resident in the district in which the school is located the following information:

(1) The school's charter;

(2) The school's most recent annual report card published according to section 160.522;

(3) The results of background checks on the charter school's board members; and

(4) If a charter school is operated by a management company, a copy of the written contract between the governing board of the charter school and the educational management organization or the charter management organization for services. The charter school may charge reasonable fees, not to exceed the rate specified in section 610.026 for furnishing copies of documents under this subsection.

[6.**] 5.** When a student attending a charter school who is a resident of the school district in which the charter school is located moves out of the boundaries of such school district, the student may complete the current semester and shall be considered a resident student. The student's parent or legal guardian shall be responsible for the student's transportation to and from the charter school.

[7.**] 6.** If a change in school district boundary lines occurs under section 162.223, 162.431, 162.441, or 162.451, or by action of the state board of education under section 162.081, including attachment of a school district's territory to another district or dissolution, such that a student attending a charter school prior to such change no longer resides in a school district in which the charter school is located, then the student may complete the current academic year at the charter school. The student shall be considered a

resident student. The student's parent or legal guardian shall be responsible for the student's transportation to and from the charter school.

[8.**]** **7.** The provisions of sections 167.018 and 167.019 concerning foster children's educational rights are applicable to charter schools.

160.415. 1. For the purposes of calculation and distribution of state school aid under section 163.031, pupils enrolled in a charter school shall be included in the pupil enrollment of the school district within which each pupil resides. Each charter school shall report the names, addresses, and eligibility for free and reduced **price** lunch, special education, or limited English proficiency status, as well as eligibility for categorical aid, of pupils resident in a school district who are enrolled in the charter school to the school district in which those pupils reside. The charter school shall report the average daily attendance data, free and reduced **price** lunch count, special education pupil count, and limited English proficiency pupil count to the state department of elementary and secondary education. Each charter school shall promptly notify the state department of elementary and secondary education and the pupil's school district when a student discontinues enrollment at a charter school.

2. Except as provided in subsections 3 and 4 of this section, the aid payments for charter schools shall be as described in this subsection.

(1) A school district having one or more resident pupils attending a charter school shall pay to the charter school an annual amount equal to the product of the charter school's weighted average daily attendance and the state adequacy target, multiplied by the dollar value modifier for the district, plus local tax revenues per weighted average daily attendance from the incidental and teachers' funds in excess of the performance levy as defined in section 163.011 plus all other state aid attributable to such pupils.

(2) The district of residence of a pupil attending a charter school shall also pay to the charter school any other federal or state aid that the district receives on account of such child.

(3) If the department overpays or underpays the amount due to the charter school, such overpayment or underpayment shall be repaid by the public charter school or credited to the public charter school in twelve equal payments in the next fiscal year.

(4) The amounts provided pursuant to this subsection shall be prorated for partial year enrollment for a pupil.

(5) A school district shall pay the amounts due pursuant to this subsection as the disbursal agent and no later than twenty days following the receipt of any such funds. The department of elementary and secondary education shall pay the amounts due when it acts as the disbursal agent within five days of the required due date.

3. A workplace charter school shall receive payment for each eligible pupil as provided under subsection 2 of this section, except that if the student is not a resident of the district and is participating in a voluntary interdistrict transfer program, the payment for such pupils shall be the same as provided under section 162.1060.

4. A charter school that has declared itself as a local educational agency shall receive from the department of elementary and secondary education an annual amount equal to the product of the charter school's weighted average daily attendance and the state adequacy target, multiplied by the dollar value modifier for the district, plus local tax revenues per weighted average daily attendance from the incidental

and teachers funds in excess of the performance levy as defined in section 163.011 plus all other state aid attributable to such pupils. If a charter school declares itself as a local [education] **educational** agency, the department of elementary and secondary education shall, upon notice of the declaration, reduce the payment made to the school district by the amount specified in this subsection and pay directly to the charter school the annual amount reduced from the school district's payment.

5. If a school district fails to make timely payments of any amount for which it is the disbursal agent, the state department of elementary and secondary education shall authorize payment to the charter school of the amount due pursuant to subsection 2 of this section and shall deduct the same amount from the next state school aid apportionment to the owing school district. If a charter school is paid more or less than the amounts due pursuant to this section, the amount of overpayment or underpayment shall be adjusted equally in the next twelve payments by the school district or the department of elementary and secondary education, as appropriate. Any dispute between the school district and a charter school as to the amount owing to the charter school shall be resolved by the department of elementary and secondary education, and the department's decision shall be the final administrative action for the purposes of review pursuant to chapter 536. During the period of dispute, the department of elementary and secondary education shall make every administrative and statutory effort to allow the continued education of children in their current public charter school setting.

6. The charter school and a local school board may agree by contract for services to be provided by the school district to the charter school. The charter school may contract with any other entity for services. Such services may include but are not limited to food service, custodial service, maintenance, management assistance, curriculum assistance, media services and libraries and shall be subject to negotiation between the charter school and the local school board or other entity. Documented actual costs of such services shall be paid for by the charter school.

7. In the case of a proposed charter school that intends to contract with an education service provider for substantial educational services[,] **or** management services, the request for proposals shall additionally require the charter school applicant to:

(1) Provide evidence of the education service provider's success in serving student populations similar to the targeted population, including demonstrated academic achievement as well as successful management of nonacademic school functions, if applicable;

(2) Provide a term sheet setting forth the proposed duration of the service contract; roles and responsibilities of the governing board, the school staff, and the service provider; scope of services and resources to be provided by the service provider; performance evaluation measures and time lines; compensation structure, including clear identification of all fees to be paid to the service provider; methods of contract oversight and enforcement; investment disclosure; and conditions for renewal and termination of the contract;

(3) Disclose any known conflicts of interest between the school governing board and proposed service provider or any affiliated business entities;

(4) Disclose and explain any termination or nonrenewal of contracts for equivalent services for any other charter school in the United States within the past five years;

(5) Ensure that the legal counsel for the charter school shall report directly to the charter school's governing board; and

(6) Provide a process to ensure that the expenditures that the [educational] **education** service provider intends to bill to the charter school shall receive prior approval of the governing board or its designee.

8. A charter school may enter into contracts with community partnerships and state agencies acting in collaboration with such partnerships that provide services to children and their families linked to the school.

9. A charter school shall be eligible for transportation state aid pursuant to section 163.161 and shall be free to contract with the local district, or any other entity, for the provision of transportation to the students of the charter school.

10. (1) The proportionate share of state and federal resources generated by students with disabilities or staff serving them shall be paid in full to charter schools enrolling those students by their school district where such enrollment is through a contract for services described in this section. The proportionate share of money generated under other federal or state categorical aid programs shall be directed to charter schools serving such students eligible for that aid.

(2) A charter school shall provide the special services provided pursuant to section 162.705 and may provide the special services pursuant to a contract with a school district or any provider of such services.

11. A charter school may not charge tuition[, nor may it] **or** impose fees that a school district is prohibited from **charging or** imposing **except that a charter school may receive tuition payments from districts in the same or an adjoining county for nonresident students who transfer to an approved charter school, as defined in section 167.131, from an unaccredited district**.

12. A charter school is authorized to incur debt in anticipation of receipt of funds. A charter school may also borrow to finance facilities and other capital items. A school district may incur bonded indebtedness or take other measures to provide for physical facilities and other capital items for charter schools that it sponsors or contracts with. **Except as otherwise specifically provided in sections 160.400 to 160.425,** upon the dissolution of a charter school, any liabilities of the corporation will be satisfied through the procedures of chapter 355. **A charter school shall satisfy all its financial obligations within twelve months of notice from the sponsor of the charter school's closure under subsection 8 of section 160.405. After satisfaction of all its financial obligations, a charter school shall return any remaining state and federal funds to the department of elementary and secondary education for disposition as stated in subdivision (17) of subsection 1 of section 160.405.** The department of elementary and secondary education may withhold funding at a level the department determines to be adequate during a school's last year of operation until the department determines that school records, liabilities, and reporting requirements, including a full audit, are satisfied.

13. Charter schools shall not have the power to acquire property by eminent domain.

14. The governing body of a charter school is authorized to accept grants, gifts or donations of any kind and to expend or use such grants, gifts or donations. A grant, gift or donation may not be accepted by the governing body if it is subject to any condition contrary to law applicable to the charter school or other public schools, or contrary to the terms of the charter.

160.417. 1. By October 1, 2012, and by each October first thereafter, the sponsor of each charter school shall review the information submitted on the report required by section 162.821 to identify charter schools experiencing financial stress. The department of elementary and secondary education shall be authorized to obtain such additional information from a charter school as may be necessary to determine the financial

condition of the charter school. Annually, a listing of charter schools identified as experiencing financial stress according to the provisions of this section shall be provided to the governor, speaker of the house of representatives, and president pro tempore of the senate by the department of elementary and secondary education.

2. For the purposes of this section, a charter school shall be identified as experiencing financial stress if it:

(1) At the end of its most recently completed fiscal year:

(a) Has a negative balance in its operating funds; or

(b) Has a combined balance of less than three percent of the amount expended from such funds during the previous fiscal year; [or]

(2) For the most recently completed fiscal year expenditures, exceeded receipts for any of its funds because of recurring costs**; or**

(3) Due to insufficient fund balances or reserves, incurred debt after January thirty-first and before July first during the most recently completed fiscal year in order to meet expenditures of the charter school.

3. The sponsor shall notify by November first the governing board of the charter school identified as experiencing financial stress. Upon receiving the notification, the governing board shall develop, or cause to have developed, and shall approve a budget and education plan on forms provided by the sponsor. The budget and education plan shall be submitted to the sponsor, signed by the officers of the charter school, within forty-five calendar days of notification that the charter school has been identified as experiencing financial stress. Minimally, the budget and education plan shall:

(1) Give assurances that adequate educational services to students of the charter school shall continue uninterrupted for the remainder of the current school year and that the charter school can provide the minimum [number of school days and hours] **amount of school time** required by section [160.041] **171.031**;

(2) Outline a procedure to be followed by the charter school to report to charter school patrons about the financial condition of the charter school; and

(3) Detail the expenditure reduction measures, revenue increases, or other actions to be taken by the charter school to address its condition of financial stress.

4. Upon receipt and following review of any budget and education plan, the sponsor may make suggestions to improve the plan. Nothing in sections 160.400 to 160.425 or section 167.349 shall exempt a charter school from submitting a budget and education plan to the sponsor according to the provisions of this section following each such notification that a charter school has been identified as experiencing financial stress, except that the sponsor may permit a charter school's governing board to make amendments to or update a budget and education plan previously submitted to the sponsor.

5. The department may withhold any payment of financial aid otherwise due to the charter school until such time as the sponsor and the charter school have fully complied with this section.

163.018. 1. Notwithstanding the definition of "average daily attendance" in subdivision (2) of

section 163.011 to the contrary, pupils between the ages of three and five who are eligible for free and reduced **price** lunch and attend an early childhood education program**:**

(1) That is operated by and in a district or by a charter school that has declared itself as a local educational agency providing full-day kindergarten and that meets standards established by the state board of education**; or**

(2) That is under contract with a district or charter school that has declared itself as a local educational agency and that meets standards established by the state board of education

shall be included in the district's or charter school's calculation of average daily attendance. The total number of such pupils included in the district's or charter school's calculation of average daily attendance shall not exceed four percent of the total number of pupils who are eligible for free and reduced **price** lunch between the ages of **[**three**] five** and eighteen who are included in the district's or charter school's calculation of average daily attendance.

2. (1) For any district that has been declared unaccredited by the state board of education and remains unaccredited as of July 1, 2015, the provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall become applicable during the 2015-16 school year.

(2) For any district that is declared unaccredited by the state board of education after July 1, 2015, **and for any charter school located in said district,** the provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall become applicable immediately upon such declaration.

(3) For any district that has been declared provisionally accredited by the state board of education and remains provisionally accredited as of July 1, 2016, **and for any charter school located in said district,** the provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall become applicable beginning in the 2016-17 school year.

(4) For any district that is declared provisionally accredited by the state board of education after July 1, 2016, **and for any charter school located in said district,** the provisions of this section shall become applicable beginning in the 2016-17 school year or immediately upon such declaration, whichever is later.

(5) For all other districts **and charter schools**, the provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall become effective in any school year subsequent to a school year in which the amount appropriated for subsections 1 and 2 of section 163.031 is equal to or exceeds the amount necessary to fund the entire entitlement calculation determined by subsections 1 and 2 of section 163.031, and shall remain effective in all school years thereafter, irrespective of the amount appropriated for subsections 1 and 2 of section 163.031 in any succeeding year.

3. This section shall not require school attendance beyond that mandated under section 167.031 and shall not change or amend the provisions of sections 160.051, 160.053, 160.054, and 160.055 relating to kindergarten attendance.

167.131. 1. The board of education of each district in this state that does not maintain an accredited school pursuant to the authority of the state board of education to classify schools as established in section 161.092 shall pay the tuition of and provide transportation consistent with the provisions of section 167.241 for each pupil resident therein who attends an accredited school in another district of the same or an adjoining county **or who attends an approved charter school in the same or an adjoining county**.

2. The rate of tuition to be charged by the district attended and paid by the sending district is the per pupil cost of maintaining the district's grade level grouping which includes the school attended. **The rate of tuition to be charged by the approved charter school attended and paid by the sending district is the per pupil cost of maintaining the approved charter school's grade level grouping. For a district,** the cost of maintaining a grade level grouping shall be determined by the board of education of the district but in no case shall it exceed all amounts spent for teachers' wages, incidental purposes, debt service, maintenance and replacements. **For an approved charter school, the cost of maintaining a grade level grouping shall be determined by the approved charter school but in no case shall it exceed all amounts spent by the district in which the approved charter school is located for teachers' wages, incidental purposes, debt service, maintenance, and replacements.** The term "debt service", as used in this section, means expenditures for the retirement of bonded indebtedness and expenditures for interest on bonded indebtedness. Per pupil cost of the grade level grouping shall be determined by dividing the cost of maintaining the grade level grouping by the average daily pupil attendance. If there is disagreement as to the amount of tuition to be paid, the facts shall be submitted to the state board of education, and its decision in the matter shall be final. Subject to the limitations of this section, each pupil shall be free to attend the public school of his or her choice.

3. For purposes of this section, "approved charter school" means a charter school that has existed for less than three years or a charter school with a three-year average score of seventy percent or higher on its annual performance report.

167.241. Transportation for pupils whose tuition the district of residence is required to pay by section 167.131 or who are assigned as provided in section 167.121 shall be provided by the district of residence; however, in the case of pupils covered by section 167.131, the district of residence shall be required to provide transportation only to **approved charter schools,** school districts accredited by the state board of education pursuant to the authority of the state board of education to classify schools as established in section 161.092**,** and those school districts designated by the board of education of the district of residence."; and

Further amend said bill, Page 2, Section 173.1200, Line 41, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"Section B. Because of the importance of funding early childhood education programs, section 163.018 of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare, peace, and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the meaning of the constitution, and section 163.018 of this act shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Emergency clause defeated.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and passed **HCS** for **SCS** for **SB 861**, entitled:

An Act to repeal section 227.600, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof six new sections relating to transportation facilities.

With House Amendment Nos. 1, 2, House Amendment No. 1 to House Amendment No. 3, House Amendment No. 3, as amended, House Amendment Nos. 4, 5, 6 and 7.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 861, Page 1, in the Title, Line 3, by deleting all of said line and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase "tax incentives."; and

Further amend said bill, Page 2, Section 68.075, Line 49, by inserting immediately after all of said section and line the following:

"**143.1100. 1. This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Bring Jobs Home Act".**

2. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Business unit":

(a) Any trade or business; and

(b) Any line of business or function unit which is part of any trade or business;

(2) "Deduction":

(a) For individuals, an amount subtracted from the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income to determine Missouri taxable income for the tax year in which such deduction is claimed; and

(b) For corporations, an amount subtracted from the taxpayer's Federal taxable income to determine Missouri taxable income for the tax year in which such deduction is claimed;

(3) "Department", the department of economic development;

(4) "Eligible expenses":

(a) Any amount for which a deduction is allowed to the taxpayer under Section 162 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and

(b) Permit and license fees, lease brokerage fees, equipment installation costs, and other similar expenses;

(5) "Eligible insourcing expenses":

(a) Eligible expenses paid or incurred by the taxpayer in connection with the elimination of any business unit of the taxpayer or of any member of any expanded affiliated group in which the taxpayer is also a member located outside the state of Missouri; and

(b) Eligible expenses paid or incurred by the taxpayer in connection with the establishment of any business unit of the taxpayer or of any member of any expanded affiliated group in which the taxpayer is also a member located within the state of Missouri if such establishment constitutes the relocation of the business unit so eliminated.

For purposes of this subdivision, expenses shall be eligible if such elimination of the business unit in another state or country occurs in a different taxable year from the establishment of the business unit

in Missouri;

(6) "Expanded affiliated group", an affiliated group as defined under Section 1504(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, except to be determined without regard to Section 1504(b)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and determined by substituting "at least eighty percent" with "more than fifty percent" each place the phrase appears under Section 1504(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. A partnership or any other entity other than a corporation shall be treated as a member of an expanded affiliated group if such entity is controlled by members of such group including any entity treated as a member of such group by reason of this subdivision;

(7) "Full-time equivalent employee", a number of employees equal to the number determined by dividing the total number of hours of service for which wages were paid by the employer to employees during the taxable year, by two thousand eighty;

(8) "Insourcing plan", a written plan to carry out the establishment of a business unit in Missouri as described in subdivision (5) of this subsection;

(9) "Taxpayer", any individual, firm, partner in a firm, corporation, partnership, shareholder in an S corporation, or member of a limited liability company subject to the income tax imposed under chapter 143, excluding withholding tax imposed under sections 143.191 to 143.265.

3. For all taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2016, a taxpayer shall be allowed a deduction equal to fifty percent of the taxpayer's eligible insourcing expenses in the taxable year chosen under subsection 5 of this section. The amount of the deduction claimed shall not exceed the amount of:

(1) For individuals, the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income for the taxable year the deduction is claimed; and

(2) For corporations, the taxpayer's Missouri taxable income for the taxable year the deduction is claimed.

However, any amount of the deduction that cannot be claimed in the taxable year may be carried over to the next five succeeding taxable years until the full deduction has been claimed.

4. No deduction shall be allowed under this section until the department determines that the number of full-time equivalent employees of the taxpayer in the taxable year the deduction is claimed exceeds the number of full-time equivalent employees of the taxpayer in the taxable year prior to the taxpayer incurring any eligible insourcing expenses.

5. Only eligible insourcing expenses that occur in the taxable year such expenses are paid or incurred and:

(1) The taxpayer's insourcing plan is completed; or

(2) The first taxable year after the taxpayer's insourcing plan is completed;

shall be used to calculate the deduction allowed under this section.

6. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, no deduction shall be allowed for

any expenses incurred due to dissolving a business unit in Missouri and relocating such business unit to another state.

7. The total amount of deductions authorized under this section shall not exceed five million dollars in any taxable year. In the event that more than five million dollars in deductions are claimed in a taxable year, deductions shall be issued on a first-come, first-served filing basis.

8. A taxpayer who receives a deduction under the provisions of this section shall be ineligible to receive incentives under the provisions of any other state tax deduction program for the same expenses incurred.

9. Any taxpayer allowed a deduction under this section who, within ten years of receiving such deduction, eliminates the business unit for which the deduction was allowed shall repay the amount of tax savings realized from the deduction to the state, prorated by the number of years the business unit was in this state.

10. The department of economic development and the department of revenue shall promulgate rules to implement the provisions of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void.

11. Under section 23.253 of the Missouri sunset act:

(1) The provisions of the new program authorized under this section shall automatically sunset six years after the effective date, unless reauthorized by an act of the general assembly; and

(2) If such program is reauthorized, the program authorized under this section shall automatically sunset twelve years after the effective date of the reauthorization of this section; and

(3) This section shall terminate on September first of the calendar year immediately following the calendar year in which the program authorized under this section is sunset."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 2

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 861, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3, by deleting the word "facilities"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 11, Section 227.600, Line 57, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**379.1700. As used in sections 379.1700 to 379.1708, the following terms shall mean:**

(1) "Digital network", any online-enabled application, software, website, or system offered or utilized by a transportation network company that enables the prearrangement of rides with transportation network company drivers;

(2) "Personal vehicle", a vehicle that is used by a transportation network company driver and is:

(a) Owned, leased, or otherwise authorized for use by the transportation network company driver; and

(b) Not a taxicab, limousine, or for-hire vehicle under chapter 390;

(3) "Prearranged ride", the provision of transportation by a driver to a rider, beginning when a driver accepts a ride requested by a rider through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company, continuing while the driver transports a requesting rider, and ending when the last requesting rider departs from the personal vehicle. A prearranged ride shall not include shared expense carpool or vanpool arrangements or transportation provided using a taxi, limousine, or other for-hire vehicle under chapter 390;

(4) "Transportation network company", a corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, or other entity that is licensed and operating in Missouri that uses a digital network to connect transportation network company riders to transportation network company drivers who provide prearranged rides. A transportation network company shall not be deemed to control, direct, or manage the personal vehicles or transportation network company drivers that connect to its digital network, except if agreed to by written contract;

(5) "Transportation network company driver" or "driver", an individual who:

(a) Receives connections to potential riders and related services from a transportation network company in exchange for payment of a fee to the transportation network company; and

(b) Uses a personal vehicle to offer or provide a prearranged ride to riders upon connection through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company in return for compensation or payment of a fee;

(6) "Transportation network company rider" or "rider", an individual or persons who use a transportation network company's digital network to connect with a transportation network driver who provides prearranged rides to the rider in the driver's personal vehicle between points chosen by the rider.

379.1702. 1. Beginning April 1, 2017, a transportation network company driver or transportation network company on the driver's behalf shall maintain primary automobile insurance that:

(1) Recognizes that the driver is a transportation network company driver or otherwise uses a vehicle to transport riders for compensation; and

(2) Covers the driver while the driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network or while the driver is engaged in a prearranged ride.

2. The following automobile insurance requirements shall apply while a participating transportation network company driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network and is available to receive transportation requests but is not engaged in a prearranged ride:

(1) Primary automobile liability insurance in the amount of at least fifty thousand dollars for death and bodily injury per person, one hundred thousand dollars for death and bodily injury per incident, and twenty-five thousand dollars for property damage;

(2) Uninsured motorist coverage in an amount not less than the limits set forth under section 379.203;

(3) The coverage requirements of this subsection may be satisfied by any of the following:

(a) Automobile insurance maintained by the transportation network company driver;

(b) Automobile insurance maintained by the transportation network company; or

(c) Any combination of paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subdivision.

3. The following automobile insurance requirements shall apply while a transportation network company driver is engaged in a prearranged ride:

(1) Primary automobile liability insurance in the amount of at least one million dollars for death, bodily injury, and property damage;

(2) Uninsured motorist coverage in an amount not less than the limits set forth under section 379.203;

(3) The coverage requirements of this subsection may be satisfied by any of the following:

(a) Automobile insurance maintained by the transportation network company driver;

(b) Automobile insurance maintained by the transportation network company; or

(c) Any combination of paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subdivision.

4. If insurance maintained by a driver in subsection 2 or 3 of this section has lapsed or does not provide the required coverage, insurance maintained by a transportation network company shall provide the coverage required by this section beginning with the first dollar of a claim and shall have the duty to defend such claim. If the insurance maintained by the driver does not otherwise exclude coverage for loss or injury while the driver is logged on to a transportation network's digital network or while the driver provides a prearranged ride, but does not provide insurance coverage at the minimum limits required by subsection 2 or 3 of this section, the transportation network company shall maintain insurance coverage that provides excess coverage beyond the driver's policy limits up to the limits required by subsection 2 or 3 of this section, as applicable.

5. Coverage under an automobile insurance policy maintained by the transportation network company shall not be dependent on a personal automobile insurer first denying a claim nor shall a personal automobile insurance policy be required to first deny a claim.

6. Insurance required by this section may be placed with an insurer authorized to issue policies of automobile insurance in the state of Missouri or with an eligible surplus lines insurer under chapter 384.

7. Insurance satisfying the requirements of this section shall be deemed to satisfy the motor vehicle financial responsibility requirements for a motor vehicle under chapter 303.

8. A transportation network company driver shall carry proof of coverage satisfying subsections 2 and 3 of this section with him or her at all times during his or her use of a vehicle in connection with a transportation network company's digital network. In the event of an accident, a transportation

network company driver shall provide this insurance coverage information to the directly interested parties, automobile insurers, and investigating police officers, upon request under section 303.024. Upon such request, a transportation network company driver shall also disclose to directly interested parties, automobile insurers, and investigating police officers whether the driver was logged on to the transportation network company's digital network or on a prearranged ride at the time of an accident.

379.1704. The transportation network company shall disclose in writing to transportation network company drivers the following before they are allowed to accept a request for a prearranged ride on the transportation network company's digital network:

(1) The insurance coverage, including the types of coverage and the limits for each coverage, that the transportation network company provides while the transportation network company driver uses a personal vehicle in connection with a transportation network company's digital network; and

(2) That the transportation network company driver's own automobile insurance policy might not provide any coverage while the driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network and is available to receive transportation requests or is engaged in a prearranged ride depending on the policy's terms.

379.1706. A transportation network company shall make the following disclosure to a prospective driver in the prospective driver's terms of service:

IF THE VEHICLE THAT YOU PLAN TO USE TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY SERVICES HAS A LIEN AGAINST IT, USING THE VEHICLE FOR TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY SERVICES MAY VIOLATE THE TERMS OF YOUR CONTRACT WITH THE LIENHOLDER.

IF A TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY'S INSURER MAKES A PAYMENT FOR A CLAIM COVERED UNDER COMPREHENSIVE COVERAGE OR COLLISION COVERAGE, THE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY SHALL CAUSE ITS INSURER TO ISSUE THE PAYMENT DIRECTLY TO THE BUSINESS REPAIRING THE VEHICLE OR JOINTLY TO THE OWNER OF THE VEHICLE AND THE PRIMARY LIENHOLDER ON THE COVERED VEHICLE.

The disclosure set forth in this subsection shall be placed prominently in the prospective driver's written terms of service, and the prospective driver shall acknowledge the terms of service electronically or by signature.

379.1708. 1. Insurers that write automobile insurance in Missouri may exclude or limit any and all coverage afforded under an automobile insurance policy, including a motor vehicle liability policy, issued to an owner or operator of a personal vehicle, as defined by this chapter, for any loss or injury that occurs while:

(1) A driver is logged on to a transportation network company's digital network;

(2) A driver provides a prearranged ride; or

(3) A motor vehicle is being used to transport or carry persons or property for any compensation or suggested donation;

2. The right to exclude all coverage under subsection 1 of this section may apply to any coverage included in an automobile insurance policy including, but not limited to:

(1) Liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage;

(2) Uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage;

(3) Medical payments coverage;

(4) Comprehensive physical damage coverage; and

(5) Collision physical damage coverage.

Such exclusions shall apply notwithstanding any financial responsibility requirement or uninsured motorist coverage requirement under the motor vehicle financial responsibility law, chapter 303, or section 379.203, respectively. Nothing in this section implies or requires that a personal automobile insurance policy provide coverage while the driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network, while the driver is engaged in a prearranged ride, or while the driver otherwise uses a vehicle to transport passengers or property for compensation.

3. Nothing shall be deemed to preclude an insurer from providing coverage for the transportation network company driver's vehicle, if it chooses to do so by contract or endorsement.

4. Automobile insurers that exclude the coverage described under section 379.1702 shall have no duty to defend or indemnify any claim expressly excluded thereunder. Nothing in this section shall be deemed to invalidate or limit an exclusion contained in a policy, including any policy in use or approved for use in Missouri prior to the enactment of this section that excludes coverage for vehicles used to carry persons or property for a charge or available for hire by the public.

5. An automobile insurer that defends or indemnifies a claim against a driver that is excluded under the terms of its policy shall have a right of contribution against other insurers that provide automobile insurance to the same driver in satisfaction of the coverage requirements of section 379.1702 at the time of loss.

6. In a claims coverage investigation, transportation network companies and any insurer providing coverage under section 379.1702 shall cooperate to facilitate the exchange of relevant information with each other and any insurer of the transportation network company driver if applicable, including the precise times that a transportation network company driver logged on and off of the transportation network company's digital network in the twelve-hour period immediately preceding and in the twelve-hour period immediately following the accident and disclose to one another a clear description of the coverage, exclusions, and limits provided under any automobile insurance maintained under section 379.1702.

387.600. As used in sections 387.600 to 387.630, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Digital network", any online-enabled application, website, or system offered or utilized by a transportation network company that enables the prearrangement of rides with transportation network company drivers;

(2) "Personal vehicle", a vehicle that is used by a transportation network company driver and is:

(a) Owned, leased, or otherwise authorized for use by the transportation network company driver; and

(b) Not a taxicab, limousine, or for-hire vehicle under chapter 390;

(3) "Prearranged ride", the provision of transportation by a driver to a rider, beginning when a driver accepts a ride requested by a rider through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company, continuing while the driver transports a requesting rider, and ending when the last requesting rider departs from the personal vehicle. A prearranged ride shall not include shared expense carpool or vanpool arrangements or transportation provided using a taxi, limousine, or other for-hire vehicle under chapter 390;

(4) "Transportation network company", a corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, or other entity that is licensed and operating in Missouri that uses a digital network to connect transportation network company riders to transportation network company drivers who provide prearranged rides. A transportation network company shall not be deemed to control, direct, or manage the personal vehicles or transportation network company drivers that connect to its digital network, except if agreed to by written contract;

(5) "Transportation network company driver" or "driver", an individual who:

(a) Receives connections to potential riders and related services from a transportation network company in exchange for payment of a fee to the transportation network company; and

(b) Uses a personal vehicle to offer or provide a prearranged ride to riders upon connection through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company in return for compensation or payment of a fee;

(6) "Transportation network company rider" or "rider", an individual or persons who use a transportation network company's digital network to connect with a transportation network driver who provides prearranged rides to the rider in the driver's personal vehicle between points chosen by the rider.

387.602. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, transportation network companies shall not be considered common carriers, contract carriers, or motor carriers, as defined under section 390.020, or for-hire vehicle service. A transportation network company driver shall not be required to register any vehicle the driver uses to provide prearranged rides as a commercial vehicle or as a for-hire vehicle.

387.604. Beginning August 28, 2016, any person operating a transportation network company in the state shall be required to obtain a permit from the department of revenue. The department shall issue permits to applicants who meet the requirements for a transportation network company as provided under sections 387.600 to 387.630 and who pay an annual, nonrefundable permit fee of five thousand dollars to the department. While operating as a transportation network company, such company shall maintain an agent for service of process within the state of Missouri.

387.608. On behalf of a transportation network company driver, a transportation network company may charge a fare for the services provided to riders; provided that, if a fare is collected from a rider, the transportation network company shall disclose to the rider the fare calculation

method in the vehicle on its website or within the software application service. The transportation network company shall also provide riders with the applicable rates being charged and the option to receive an estimated fare before the rider enters the transportation network company driver's vehicle.

387.610. The transportation network company shall meet the requirements of either subsection of this section at its option:

(1) Display in its software application or website a picture of the transportation network driver and the license plate number of the motor vehicle utilized for providing the prearranged ride before the passenger enters the transportation network company driver's vehicle; or

(2) Have clearly visible external markings on the front and back or both sides of the transportation network motor vehicles to easily identify the vehicle as a transportation network vehicle. Vehicle markings shall be no less than six inches tall and six inches wide. The transportation network driver shall display photo identification within the vehicle at all times.

387.612. After the completion of a prearranged ride secured on a digital network, within a reasonable period of time following the completion of a trip, a transportation network company shall transmit an electronic receipt to the transportation network company rider on behalf of the transportation network company driver that lists:

(1) The origin and destination of the trip;

(2) The total time and distance of the trip; and

(3) An itemization of the total fare paid, if any.

387.620. Drivers shall be independent contractors and not employees of the transportation network company if all of the following conditions are met:

(1) The transportation network company does not prescribe specific hours during which a transportation network company driver must be logged into the transportation network company's digital network;

(2) The transportation network company imposes no restrictions on the transportation network company driver's ability to utilize digital networks from other transportation network companies;

(3) The transportation network company does not assign a transportation network company driver a particular territory in which prearranged rides can be provided;

(4) The transportation network company does not restrict a transportation network company driver from engaging in any other occupation or business; and

(5) The transportation network company and transportation network company driver agree in writing that the driver is an independent contractor of the transportation network company.

387.622. 1. The transportation network company shall implement a zero tolerance policy regarding a transportation network company driver's activities while accessing the transportation network company's digital network. The zero tolerance policy shall address the use of drugs or alcohol while a transportation network company driver is providing prearranged rides or is logged into the transportation network company's digital network but is not providing prearranged rides,

and the transportation network company shall provide notice of this policy on its website, as well as procedures to report a complaint about a driver with whom a rider was matched and whom the rider reasonably suspects was under the influence of drugs or alcohol during the course of the trip.

2. Upon receipt of a rider complaint alleging a violation of the zero tolerance policy, the transportation network company shall immediately suspend such transportation network company driver's access to the transportation network company's digital network, and shall conduct an investigation into the reported incident. The suspension shall last the duration of the investigation.

3. The transportation network company shall maintain records relevant to the enforcement of this requirement for a period of at least two years from the date that a rider complaint is received by the transportation network company.

387.624. 1. Before allowing an individual to accept trip requests through a transportation network company's digital network:

(1) The individual shall submit an application to the transportation network company, which includes information regarding his or her address, age, driver's license, driving history, motor vehicle registration, automobile liability insurance, and other information required by the transportation network company;

(2) The transportation network company shall conduct, or have a third party conduct, a local and national criminal background check for each applicant that shall include:

(a) Multi-State/Multi-Jurisdiction Criminal Records Locator or other similar commercial nationwide database with validation; and

(b) National Sex Offender Registry database;

On or after August 28, 2019, the department of revenue may require a transportation network company to conduct or have a third party conduct a fingerprint background check for any applicant.

(3) The transportation network company shall obtain and review a driving history research report for such individual.

2. The transportation network company shall not permit an individual to act as a transportation network company driver on its digital network who:

(1) Has had more than three moving violations in the prior three-year period, or one major violation in the prior three-year period including, but not limited to, attempting to evade the police, reckless driving, or driving on a suspended or revoked license;

(2) Has been convicted within the past seven years of driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol, fraud, sexual offenses, use of a motor vehicle to commit a felony, a crime involving property damage or theft, acts of violence, or acts of terror;

(3) Is a match in the National Sex Offender Registry database;

(4) Does not possess a valid driver's license;

(5) Does not possess proof of registration for the motor vehicle or vehicles used to provide prearranged rides;

(6) Does not possess proof of automobile liability insurance for the motor vehicle or vehicles used to provide prearranged rides; or

(7) Is not at least nineteen years of age.

3. A transportation network company driver who is qualified to accept trip requests through a transportation network company's digital network under this section shall not be required to obtain any other state or local license or permit to provide prearranged rides.

387.626. The transportation network company shall not allow a transportation network company driver to accept trip requests through the transportation network company's digital network unless any motor vehicle or vehicles that a transportation network company driver will use to provide prearranged rides meets the inspection requirements of section 307.350.

387.627. 1. The transportation network company shall adopt a policy of nondiscrimination with respect to riders and potential riders and notify transportation network company drivers of such policy.

2. Transportation network company drivers shall comply with all applicable laws regarding nondiscrimination against riders or potential riders.

3. Transportation network company drivers shall comply with all applicable laws relating to accommodation of service animals.

4. A transportation network company shall not impose additional charges for providing services to persons with physical disabilities because of those disabilities.

387.628. A transportation network company shall maintain the following customer records:

(1) For prearranged rides secured through a digital network, individual trip records of rider customers for at least one year from the date each trip was provided; and

(2) Individual records of transportation network company driver customers at least until the one year anniversary of the date on which a transportation network company driver's customer relationship with the transportation network company has ended.

387.630. 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, transportation network companies and transportation network company drivers are governed exclusively by sections 387.600 to 387.630 and any rules promulgated by the State of Missouri consistent with such sections. No municipality or other local or state entity may impose a tax on or require a license for a transportation network company, a transportation network company driver, or a vehicle used by a transportation network company driver where such tax or licenses relates to providing prearranged rides, or subject a transportation network company to the municipality or other local or state entity's rate, entry, operational requirements, or other requirements. Nothing in this section shall apply to an earnings tax.

2. The department of revenue may promulgate all necessary rules and regulations for the administration of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly

pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void.

387.632. 1. Beginning August 28, 2016, and annually thereafter, a taxicab, a taxicab driver, a taxicab company as those terms are defined in section 67.1800, shall make an election filed with the department of revenue to comply with either:

(1) The provisions of 387.600 through 387.630 herein; or

(2) Applicable municipal regulation duly enacted or authorized by 67.1800 through 67.1822.

2. A taxicab company or taxicab driver, solely for purposes of satisfying 387.624 herein, may maintain primary commercial automobile liability coverage with a combined single limit of no less than four hundred thousand dollars for death, bodily injury or property damage provided such policy be issued by an insurer with a credit rating of no less than A- by A.M. Best.

387.634. 1. Transportation network companies shall not be considered employers of transportation network company drivers for purposes of chapters 285, 287, 288, and 290, except when agreed to by written contract. Transportation network company drivers shall not be considered employees for purposes of chapters 285, 287, 288, and 290, except when agreed to by written contract. A transportation network company shall be required to have a written contract stating whether its drivers are considered independent contractors or employees. If the parties agree to the application of one or more of these laws in a written contract, the transportation network company shall notify the appropriate agency of the election to cover the driver. If the parties subsequently change this election, the transportation network company shall notify the appropriate agency of the change.

2. Except when agreed to by written contract, a transportation network company driver is not an agent of a transportation network company. "; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO
HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 3

Amend House Amendment No. 3 to House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 861, Page 1, Line 13, by deleting the phrase "**two million**" and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase "**one million**"; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 3

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 861, Page 2, Section 68.075, Line 49, by inserting immediately after all of said line the following:

"**68.080. 1. There is hereby created in the state treasury the "Waterways Trust Fund". The proceeds from the following state taxes and fees shall be collected by the director of the department of revenue, who shall promptly deposit all such proceeds to the credit of the waterways trust fund:**

(1) The state sales tax on boats and outboard motors imposed and collected under chapter 144,

excluding the proceeds from that portion of the state sales and use tax dedicated by section 144.701 to the school district trust fund and the proceeds from that portion of the state sales and use tax dedicated to other funds under the constitution, reduced only by refunds for overpayments and erroneous payments of such tax as permitted by law and actual costs of collection by the department of revenue, but not to exceed three percent of the amount collected;

(2) The first two million dollars collected annually from the certificate of number fee imposed and collected under section 306.030;

(3) The certificate of title fee and all delinquency penalty fees imposed under section 306.015;

(4) The outboard motor registration and title fees and all delinquency penalty fees imposed under section 306.535; and

(5) The additional processing fees to process boat and outboard motor title and registration transactions imposed under subdivisions (1) to (5) of subsection 1 of section 136.055 and collected by all full-time or temporary offices maintained by the department of revenue.

2. The waterways trust fund may also receive any gifts, contributions, grants, or bequests received from federal, private, or other sources.

3. The waterways trust fund is a revolving trust fund exempt from the provisions of section 33.080 relating to the transfer of unexpended balances by the state treasurer to the general revenue fund of the state. All interest earned upon the balance in the waterways trust fund shall be deposited to the credit of the same fund.

4. Moneys in the waterways trust fund shall be withdrawn only upon appropriation by the general assembly on and after July 1, 2017, to be administered by the state highways and transportation commission and the department of transportation for the purposes in section 68.035 and for no other purpose. "; and

Further amend said bill, Page 11, Section 227.600, Line 57, by inserting immediately after all of said line the following:

"306.030. 1. The owner of each vessel requiring numbering by this state shall file an application for number with the department of revenue on forms provided by it. The application shall contain a full description of the vessel, factory number or serial number, together with a statement of the applicant's source of title and of any liens or encumbrances on the vessel. For good cause shown the director of revenue may extend the period of time for making such application. The director of revenue shall use reasonable diligence in ascertaining whether the facts stated in such application are true, and, if satisfied that the applicant is the lawful owner of such vessel, or otherwise entitled to have the same registered in his or her name, shall thereupon issue an appropriate certificate of title over the director's signature and sealed with the seal of the director's office, procured and used for such purpose, and a certificate of number stating the number awarded to the vessel. The application shall include a provision stating that the applicant will consent to any inspection necessary to determine compliance with the provisions of this chapter and shall be signed by the owner of the vessel and shall be accompanied by the fee specified in subsection 10 of this section. The owner shall paint on or attach to each side of the bow of the vessel the identification number in a manner as may be prescribed by rules and regulations of the division of water safety in order that it may be clearly visible. The number shall be maintained in legible condition. The certificate of number shall be

pocket size and shall be available at all times for inspection on the vessel for which issued, whenever the vessel is in operation. The operator of a vessel in which such certificate of number is not available for inspection by the water patrol division or, if the operator cannot be determined, the person who is the registered owner of the vessel shall be subject to the penalties provided in section 306.210. Vessels owned by the state or a political subdivision shall be registered but no fee shall be assessed for such registration.

2. Each new vessel sold in this state after January 1, 1970, shall have die stamped on or within three feet of the transom or stern a factory number or serial number.

3. The owner of any vessel already covered by a number in full force and effect which has been awarded to it pursuant to then operative federal law or a federally approved numbering system of another state shall record the number prior to operating the vessel on the waters of this state in excess of the sixty-day reciprocity period provided for in section 306.080. The recordation and payment of registration fee shall be in the manner and pursuant to the procedure required for the award of a number under subsection 1 of this section. No additional or substitute number shall be issued unless the number is a duplicate of an existing Missouri number.

4. In the event that an agency of the United States government shall have in force an overall system of identification numbering for vessels within the United States, the numbering system employed pursuant to this chapter by the department of revenue shall be in conformity therewith.

5. All records of the department of revenue made and kept pursuant to this section shall be public records.

6. Every certificate of number awarded pursuant to this chapter shall continue in force and effect for a period of three years unless sooner terminated or discontinued in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.

Certificates of number may be renewed by the owner in the same manner provided for in the initial securing of the same or in accordance with the provisions of sections 306.010 to 306.030.

7. The department of revenue shall fix the days and months of the year on which certificates of number due to expire during the calendar year shall lapse and no longer be of any force and effect unless renewed pursuant to this chapter and may stagger such dates in order to distribute the workload.

8. When applying for or renewing a vessel's certificate of number, the owner shall submit a paid personal property tax receipt for the tax year which immediately precedes the year in which the application is made or the year in which the renewal is due and which reflects that the vessel being renewed is listed as personal property and that all personal property taxes, including delinquent taxes from prior years, have been paid, or a statement certified by the county or township in which the owner's property was assessed showing that the state and county tangible personal property taxes for such previous tax year and all delinquent taxes due have been paid by the applicant or that no such taxes were due.

9. When applying for or renewing a certificate of registration for a vessel documented with the United States Coast Guard under section 306.016, owners of vessels shall submit a paid personal property tax receipt for the tax year which immediately precedes the year in which the application is made or the renewal is due and which reflects that the vessel is listed as personal property and that all personal property taxes, including delinquent taxes from prior years, have been paid, or a statement certified by the county or township in which the owner's property was assessed showing that the state and county tangible personal

property taxes for such previous tax year and all delinquent taxes due have been paid by the applicant or that no such taxes were due.

10. The fee to accompany each application for a certificate of number is:

For vessels under 16 feet in length $25.00

For vessels at least 16 feet in length but less than 26 feet in length $55.00

For vessels at least 26 feet in length but less than 40 feet in length $100.00

For vessels at least 40 feet and over $150.00

11. The certificate of title and certificate of number issued by the director of revenue shall be manufactured in a manner to prohibit as nearly as possible the ability to alter, counterfeit, duplicate, or forge such certificate without ready detection.

12. The first **[**two**]** **one** million dollars collected annually under the provisions of this section shall be deposited into the **[**state general revenue fund**]** **waterways trust fund established under section 68.080**. All fees collected under the provisions of this section in excess of **[**two**]** **one** million dollars annually shall be deposited in the water patrol division fund and shall be used exclusively for the water patrol division.

13. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 10 of this section, vessels at least sixteen feet in length but less than twenty-eight feet in length, that are homemade, constructed out of wood, and have a beam of five feet or less, shall pay a fee of fifty-five dollars which shall accompany each application for a certification number.

[306.180. All moneys collected and received by the department of revenue pursuant to this chapter shall be paid into the state treasury and shall, by the state treasurer, be placed in a separate fund to be known as the "Motorboat Fund", which is hereby established. No money shall be paid out of this fund except by appropriation of the general assembly for the purposes of the construction and maintenance of boating facilities, education and instruction in boating safety, the enforcement of this chapter, and to reimburse the counties for expenditures made in the enforcement of this chapter, upon the recommendation of the water patrol division.**]**

Section B. The provisions of section 68.080 of section A of this act shall terminate on August 28, 2019."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 4

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 861, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3, by deleting the word "facilities" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "infrastructure"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 11, Section 227.600, Line 57, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"447.708. 1. For eligible projects, the director of the department of economic development, with notice to the directors of the departments of natural resources and revenue, and subject to the other provisions of sections 447.700 to 447.718, may not create a new enterprise zone but may decide that a prospective

operator of a facility being remedied and renovated pursuant to sections 447.700 to 447.718 may receive the tax credits and exemptions pursuant to sections 135.100 to 135.150 and sections 135.200 to 135.257. The tax credits allowed pursuant to this subsection shall be used to offset the tax imposed by chapter 143, excluding withholding tax imposed by sections 143.191 to 143.265, or the tax otherwise imposed by chapter 147, or the tax otherwise imposed by chapter 148. For purposes of this subsection:

(1) For receipt of the ad valorem tax abatement pursuant to section 135.215, the eligible project must create at least ten new jobs or retain businesses which supply at least twenty-five existing jobs. The city, or county if the eligible project is not located in a city, must provide ad valorem tax abatement of at least fifty percent for a period not less than ten years and not more than twenty-five years;

(2) For receipt of the income tax exemption pursuant to section 135.220 and tax credit for new or expanded business facilities pursuant to sections 135.100 to 135.150, and 135.225, the eligible project must create at least ten new jobs or retain businesses which supply at least twenty-five existing jobs, or combination thereof. For purposes of sections 447.700 to 447.718, the tax credits described in section 135.225 are modified as follows: the tax credit shall be four hundred dollars per employee per year, an additional four hundred dollars per year for each employee exceeding the minimum employment thresholds of ten and twenty-five jobs for new and existing businesses, respectively, an additional four hundred dollars per year for each person who is a person difficult to employ as defined by section 135.240, and investment tax credits at the same amounts and levels as provided in subdivision (4) of subsection 1 of section 135.225;

(3) For eligibility to receive the income tax refund pursuant to section 135.245, the eligible project must create at least ten new jobs or retain businesses which supply at least twenty-five existing jobs, or combination thereof, and otherwise comply with the provisions of section 135.245 for application and use of the refund and the eligibility requirements of this section;

(4) The eligible project operates in compliance with applicable environmental laws and regulations, including permitting and registration requirements, of this state as well as the federal and local requirements;

(5) The eligible project operator shall file such reports as may be required by the director of economic development or the director's designee;

(6) The taxpayer may claim the state tax credits authorized by this subsection and the state income exemption for a period not in excess of ten consecutive tax years. For the purpose of this section, "taxpayer" means an individual proprietorship, partnership or corporation described in section 143.441 or 143.471 who operates an eligible project. The director shall determine the number of years the taxpayer may claim the state tax credits and the state income exemption based on the projected net state economic benefits attributed to the eligible project;

(7) For the purpose of meeting the new job requirement prescribed in subdivisions (1), (2) and (3) of this subsection, it shall be required that at least ten new jobs be created and maintained during the taxpayer's tax period for which the credits are earned, in the case of an eligible project that does not replace a similar facility in Missouri. "New job" means a person who was not previously employed by the taxpayer or related taxpayer within the twelve-month period immediately preceding the time the person was employed by that taxpayer to work at, or in connection with, the eligible project on a full-time basis. "Full-time basis" means the employee works an average of at least thirty-five hours per week during the taxpayer's tax period for which the tax credits are earned. For the purposes of this section, related taxpayer has the same meaning

as defined in subdivision (9) of section 135.100;

(8) For the purpose of meeting the existing job retention requirement, if the eligible project replaces a similar facility that closed elsewhere in Missouri prior to the end of the taxpayer's tax period in which the tax credits are earned, it shall be required that at least twenty-five existing jobs be retained at, and in connection with the eligible project, on a full-time basis during the taxpayer's tax period for which the credits are earned. "Retained job" means a person who was previously employed by the taxpayer or related taxpayer, at a facility similar to the eligible project that closed elsewhere in Missouri prior to the end of the taxpayer's tax period in which the tax credits are earned, within the tax period immediately preceding the time the person was employed by the taxpayer to work at, or in connection with, the eligible project on a full-time basis. "Full-time basis" means the employee works an average of at least thirty-five hours per week during the taxpayer's tax period for which the tax credits are earned;

(9) In the case where an eligible project replaces a similar facility that closed elsewhere in Missouri prior to the end of the taxpayer's tax period in which the tax credits are earned, the owner and operator of the eligible project shall provide the director with a written statement explaining the reason for discontinuing operations at the closed facility. The statement shall include a comparison of the activities performed at the closed facility prior to the date the facility ceased operating, to the activities performed at the eligible project, and a detailed account describing the need and rationale for relocating to the eligible project. If the director finds the relocation to the eligible project significantly impaired the economic stability of the area in which the closed facility was located, and that such move was detrimental to the overall economic development efforts of the state, the director may deny the taxpayer's request to claim tax benefits;

(10) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, for the purpose of this section, the number of new jobs created and maintained, the number of existing jobs retained, and the value of new qualified investment used at the eligible project during any tax year shall be determined by dividing by twelve, in the case of jobs, the sum of the number of individuals employed at the eligible project, or in the case of new qualified investment, the value of new qualified investment used at the eligible project, on the last business day of each full calendar month of the tax year. If the eligible project is in operation for less than the entire tax year, the number of new jobs created and maintained, the number of existing jobs retained, and the value of new qualified investment created at the eligible project during any tax year shall be determined by dividing the sum of the number of individuals employed at the eligible project, or in the case of new qualified investment, the value of new qualified investment used at the eligible project, on the last business day of each full calendar month during the portion of the tax year during which the eligible project was in operation, by the number of full calendar months during such period;

(11) For the purpose of this section, "new qualified investment" means new business facility investment as defined and as determined in subdivision (7) of section 135.100 which is used at and in connection with the eligible project. "New qualified investment" shall not include small tools, supplies and inventory. "Small tools" means tools that are portable and can be hand held.

2. The determination of the director of economic development pursuant to subsection 1 of this section shall not affect requirements for the prospective purchaser to obtain the approval of the granting of real property tax abatement by the municipal or county government where the eligible project is located.

3. (1) The director of the department of economic development, with the approval of the director of the

department of natural resources, may, in addition to the tax credits allowed in subsection 1 of this section, grant a remediation tax credit to the applicant for up to one hundred percent of the costs of materials, supplies, equipment, labor, professional engineering, consulting and architectural fees, permitting fees and expenses, demolition, asbestos abatement, and direct utility charges for performing the voluntary remediation activities for the preexisting hazardous substance contamination and releases, including, but not limited to, the costs of performing operation and maintenance of the remediation equipment at the property beyond the year in which the systems and equipment are built and installed at the eligible project and the costs of performing the voluntary remediation activities over a period not in excess of four tax years following the taxpayer's tax year in which the system and equipment were first put into use at the eligible project, provided the remediation activities are the subject of a plan submitted to, and approved by, the director of natural resources pursuant to sections 260.565 to 260.575. The tax credit may also include up to one hundred percent of the costs of demolition that are not directly part of the remediation activities, provided that the demolition is on the property where the voluntary remediation activities are occurring, the demolition is necessary to accomplish the planned use of the facility where the remediation activities are occurring, and the demolition is part of a redevelopment plan approved by the municipal or county government and the department of economic development. The demolition may occur on an adjacent property if the project is located in a municipality which has a population less than twenty thousand and the above conditions are otherwise met. The adjacent property shall independently qualify as abandoned or underutilized. The amount of the credit available for demolition not associated with remediation cannot exceed the total amount of credits approved for remediation including demolition required for remediation.

(2) The amount of remediation tax credits issued shall be limited to the least amount necessary to cause the project to occur, as determined by the director of the department of economic development.

(3) The director may, with the approval of the director of natural resources, extend the tax credits allowed for performing voluntary remediation maintenance activities, in increments of three-year periods, not to exceed five consecutive three-year periods. The tax credits allowed in this subsection shall be used to offset the tax imposed by chapter 143, excluding withholding tax imposed by sections 143.191 to 143.265, or the tax otherwise imposed by chapter 147, or the tax otherwise imposed by chapter 148. The remediation tax credit may be taken in the same tax year in which the tax credits are received or may be taken over a period not to exceed twenty years.

(4) The project facility shall be projected to create at least ten new jobs or at least twenty-five retained jobs, or a combination thereof, as determined by the department of economic development, to be eligible for tax credits pursuant to this section.

(5) No more than seventy-five percent of earned remediation tax credits may be issued when the remediation costs were paid, and the remaining percentage may be issued when the department of natural resources issues a letter of completion letter or covenant not to sue following completion of the voluntary remediation activities. It shall not include any costs associated with ongoing operational environmental compliance of the facility or remediation costs arising out of spills, leaks, or other releases arising out of the ongoing business operations of the facility. In the event the department of natural resources issues a letter of completion for a portion of a property, an impacted media such as soil or groundwater, or for a site or a portion of a site improvement, a prorated amount of the remaining percentage may be released based on the percentage of the total site receiving a letter of completion.

4. In the exercise of the sound discretion of the director of the department of economic development or

the director's designee, the tax credits and exemptions described in this section may be terminated, suspended or revoked, if the eligible project fails to continue to meet the conditions set forth in this section. In making such a determination, the director shall consider the severity of the condition violation, actions taken to correct the violation, the frequency of any condition violations and whether the actions exhibit a pattern of conduct by the eligible facility owner and operator. The director shall also consider changes in general economic conditions and the recommendation of the director of the department of natural resources, or his or her designee, concerning the severity, scope, nature, frequency and extent of any violations of the environmental compliance conditions. The taxpayer or person claiming the tax credits or exemptions may appeal the decision regarding termination, suspension or revocation of any tax credit or exemption in accordance with the procedures outlined in subsections 4 **[**to 6**] and 5** of section 135.250. The director of the department of economic development shall notify the directors of the departments of natural resources and revenue of the termination, suspension or revocation of any tax credits as determined in this section or pursuant to the provisions of section 447.716.

5. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, no taxpayer shall earn the tax credits, exemptions or refund otherwise allowed in subdivisions (2), (3) and (4) of subsection 1 of this section and the tax credits otherwise allowed in section 135.110, or the tax credits, exemptions and refund otherwise allowed in sections 135.215, 135.220, 135.225 and 135.245, respectively, for the same facility for the same tax period.

6. The total amount of the tax credits allowed in subsection 1 of this section may not exceed the greater of:

(1) That portion of the taxpayer's income attributed to the eligible project; or

(2) One hundred percent of the total business' income tax if the eligible facility does not replace a similar facility that closed elsewhere in Missouri prior to the end of the taxpayer's tax period in which the tax credits are earned, and further provided the taxpayer does not operate any other facilities besides the eligible project in Missouri; fifty percent of the total business' income tax if the eligible facility replaces a similar facility that closed elsewhere in Missouri prior to the end of the taxpayer's tax period in which the credits are earned, and further provided the taxpayer does not operate any other facilities besides the eligible project in Missouri; or twenty-five percent of the total business income if the taxpayer operates, in addition to the eligible facility, any other facilities in Missouri. In no case shall a taxpayer operating more than one eligible project in Missouri be allowed to offset more than twenty-five percent of the taxpayer's business income in any tax period. That portion of the taxpayer's income attributed to the eligible project as referenced in subdivision (1) of this subsection, for which the credits allowed in sections 135.110 and 135.225 and subsection 3 of this section, may apply, shall be determined in the same manner as prescribed in subdivision (6) of section 135.100. That portion of the taxpayer's franchise tax attributed to the eligible project for which the remediation tax credit may offset, shall be determined in the same manner as prescribed in paragraph (a) of subdivision (6) of section 135.100.

7. Taxpayers claiming the state tax benefits allowed in subdivisions (2) and (3) of subsection 1 of this section shall be required to file all applicable tax credit applications, forms and schedules prescribed by the director during the taxpayer's tax period immediately after the tax period in which the eligible project was first put into use. Otherwise, the taxpayer's right to claim such state tax benefits shall be forfeited. Unused business facility and enterprise zone tax credits shall not be carried forward but shall be initially claimed for the tax period during which the eligible project was first capable of being used, and during any

applicable subsequent tax periods.

8. Taxpayers claiming the remediation tax credit allowed in subsection 3 of this section shall be required to file all applicable tax credit applications, forms and schedules prescribed by the director during the taxpayer's tax period immediately after the tax period in which the eligible project was first put into use, or during the taxpayer's tax period immediately after the tax period in which the voluntary remediation activities were performed.

9. The recipient of remediation tax credits, for the purpose of this subsection referred to as assignor, may assign, sell or transfer, in whole or in part, the remediation tax credit allowed in subsection 3 of this section to any other person, for the purpose of this subsection referred to as assignee. To perfect the transfer, the assignor shall provide written notice to the director of the assignor's intent to transfer the tax credits to the assignee, the date the transfer is effective, the assignee's name, address and the assignee's tax period and the amount of tax credits to be transferred. The number of tax periods during which the assignee may subsequently claim the tax credits shall not exceed twenty tax periods, less the number of tax periods the assignor previously claimed the credits before the transfer occurred.

10. In the case where an operator and assignor of an eligible project has been certified to claim state tax benefits allowed in subdivisions (2) and (3) of subsection 1 of this section, and sells or otherwise transfers title of the eligible project to another taxpayer or assignee who continues the same or substantially similar operations at the eligible project, the director shall allow the assignee to claim the credits for a period of time to be determined by the director; except that, the total number of tax periods the tax credits may be earned by the assignor and the assignee shall not exceed ten. To perfect the transfer, the assignor shall provide written notice to the director of the assignor's intent to transfer the tax credits to the assignee, the date the transfer is effective, the assignee's name, address, and the assignee's tax period, and the amount of tax credits to be transferred.

11. For the purpose of the state tax benefits described in this section, in the case of a corporation described in section 143.471 or partnership, in computing Missouri's tax liability, such state benefits shall be allowed to the following:

(1) The shareholders of the corporation described in section 143.471;

(2) The partners of the partnership. The credit provided in this subsection shall be apportioned to the entities described in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this subsection in proportion to their share of ownership on the last day of the taxpayer's tax period.

12. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, in any county of the first classification that has a charter form of government and that has a population of over nine hundred thousand inhabitants, all demolition costs incurred during the redevelopment of any former automobile manufacturing plant shall be allowable costs eligible for tax credits under sections 447.700 to 447.718 so long as the redevelopment of such former automobile manufacturing plant shall be projected to create at least two hundred fifty new jobs or at least three hundred retained jobs, or a combination thereof, as determined by the department of economic development. The amount of allowable costs eligible for tax credits shall be limited to the least amount necessary to cause the project to occur, as determined by the director of the department of economic development, provided that no tax credit shall be issued under this subsection until July 1, 2017. For purposes of this subsection, "former automobile manufacturing plant" means a redevelopment area that qualifies as an eligible project

under section 447.700, that consists of at least one hundred acres, and that was used primarily for the manufacture of automobiles but, after 2007, ceased such manufacturing. "; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 5

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 861, In the Title, Line 3, by deleting the word "facilities" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "infrastructure"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 2, Section 68.075, Line 49, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"136.055. 1. Any person who is selected or appointed by the state director of revenue as provided in subsection 2 of this section to act as an agent of the department of revenue, whose duties shall be the processing of motor vehicle title and registration transactions and the collection of sales and use taxes when required under sections 144.070 and 144.440, and who receives no salary from the department of revenue, shall be authorized to collect from the party requiring such services additional fees as compensation in full and for all services rendered on the following basis:

(1) For each motor vehicle or trailer registration issued, renewed or transferred--three dollars and fifty cents and seven dollars for those licenses sold or biennially renewed pursuant to section 301.147;

(2) For each application or transfer of title--two dollars and fifty cents;

(3) For each instruction permit, nondriver license, chauffeur's, operator's or driver's license issued for a period of three years or less--two dollars and fifty cents and five dollars for licenses or instruction permits issued or renewed for a period exceeding three years;

(4) For each notice of lien processed--two dollars and fifty cents;

(5) No notary fee or other fee or additional charge shall be paid or collected except for electronic [telephone] transmission [reception]--two dollars[.]**;**

(6) Each electronic look-up--two dollars;

(7) Notary fee--two dollars.

2. The director of revenue shall award fee office contracts under this section through a competitive bidding process. The competitive bidding process shall give priority to organizations and entities that are exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(6), or 501(c)(4), except those civic organizations that would be considered action organizations under 26 C.F.R. Section 1.501(c)(3)-1(c)(3), of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, with special consideration given to those organizations and entities that reinvest a minimum of seventy-five percent of the net proceeds to charitable organizations in Missouri, and political subdivisions, including but not limited to, municipalities, counties, and fire protection districts. The director of the department of revenue may promulgate rules and regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of this subsection. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this subsection shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held

unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2009, shall be invalid and void.

3. All fees collected by a tax-exempt organization may be retained and used by the organization.

4. All fees charged shall not exceed those in this section. The fees imposed by this section shall be collected by all permanent offices and all full-time or temporary offices maintained by the department of revenue.

5. Any person acting as agent of the department of revenue for the sale and issuance of registrations, licenses, and other documents related to motor vehicles shall have an insurable interest in all license plates, licenses, tabs, forms and other documents held on behalf of the department.

6. The fees authorized by this section shall not be collected by motor vehicle dealers acting as agents of the department of revenue under section 32.095 or those motor vehicle dealers authorized to collect and remit sales tax under subsection 8 of section 144.070.

7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the state auditor may audit all records maintained and established by the fee office in the same manner as the auditor may audit any agency of the state, and the department shall ensure that this audit requirement is a necessary condition for the award of all fee office contracts. No confidential records shall be divulged in such a way to reveal personally identifiable information."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 6

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 861, Page 10, Section 227.600, Line 26, by deleting the phrase "**fuel supply facility or pipeline,**"; and

Further amend said bill and section, Pages 10-11, Lines 26-27, by deleting the phrase "**public work,**"; and

Further amend said bill and section, Page 11, Line 32, by inserting after the phrase "private partner." the following:

"**The commission or private partner shall not have the authority to collect user fees in connection with the project from motor carriers as defined in section 227.630. "Project" shall not include any highway, interstate or bridge construction, or any rest area, rest stop, or truck parking facility connected to an interstate or other highway under the authority of the commission.**"; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 7

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 861, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3, by deleting the word "facilities" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "infrastructure"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 10, Section 227.600, Line 57, by inserting immediately after all of said section and line the following:

"301.130. 1. The director of revenue, upon receipt of a proper application for registration, required fees and any other information which may be required by law, shall issue to the applicant a certificate of registration in such manner and form as the director of revenue may prescribe and a set of license plates, or other evidence of registration, as provided by this section. Each set of license plates shall bear the name or abbreviated name of this state, the words "SHOW-ME STATE", the month and year in which the registration shall expire, and an arrangement of numbers or letters, or both, as shall be assigned from year to year by the director of revenue. The plates shall also contain fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design for each type of license plate issued pursuant to this chapter. The plates shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive. Special plates for qualified disabled veterans will have the "DISABLED VETERAN" wording on the license plates in preference to the words "SHOW-ME STATE" and special plates for members of the National Guard will have the "NATIONAL GUARD" wording in preference to the words "SHOW-ME STATE".

2. The arrangement of letters and numbers of license plates shall be uniform throughout each classification of registration. The director may provide for the arrangement of the numbers in groups or otherwise, and for other distinguishing marks on the plates.

3. All property-carrying commercial motor vehicles to be registered at a gross weight in excess of twelve thousand pounds, all passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicles, local transit buses, school buses, trailers, semitrailers, motorcycles, motortricycles, motorscooters and driveaway vehicles shall be registered with the director of revenue as provided for in subsection 3 of section 301.030, or with the state highways and transportation commission as otherwise provided in this chapter, but only one license plate shall be issued for each such vehicle, except as provided in this subsection. The applicant for registration of any property-carrying commercial vehicle registered at a gross weight in excess of twelve thousand pounds may request and be issued two license plates for such vehicle, and if such plates are issued, the director of revenue shall provide for distinguishing marks on the plates indicating one plate is for the front and the other is for the rear of such vehicle. The director may assess and collect an additional charge from the applicant in an amount not to exceed the fee prescribed for personalized license plates in subsection 1 of section 301.144.

4. The plates issued to manufacturers and dealers shall bear the letters and numbers as prescribed by section 301.560, and the director may place upon the plates other letters or marks to distinguish commercial motor vehicles and trailers and other types of motor vehicles.

5. No motor vehicle or trailer shall be operated on any highway of this state unless it shall have displayed thereon the license plate or set of license plates issued by the director of revenue or the state highways and transportation commission and authorized by section 301.140. Each such plate shall be securely fastened to the motor vehicle or trailer in a manner so that all parts thereof shall be plainly visible and reasonably clean so that the reflective qualities thereof are not impaired. Each such plate may be encased in a transparent cover so long as the plate is plainly visible and its reflective qualities are not impaired. **Except as provided under subsection 10 of this section,** license plates shall be fastened to all motor vehicles except trucks, tractors, truck tractors or truck-tractors licensed in excess of twelve thousand pounds on the front and rear of such vehicles not less than eight nor more than forty-eight inches above the ground, with the letters and numbers thereon right side up. The license plates on trailers, motorcycles, motortricycles and motorscooters shall be displayed on the rear of such vehicles either horizontally or vertically, with the letters and numbers plainly visible. The license plate on buses, other than school buses,

and on trucks, tractors, truck tractors or truck-tractors licensed in excess of twelve thousand pounds shall be displayed on the front of such vehicles not less than eight nor more than forty-eight inches above the ground, with the letters and numbers thereon right side up or if two plates are issued for the vehicle pursuant to subsection 3 of this section, displayed in the same manner on the front and rear of such vehicles. The license plate or plates authorized by section 301.140, when properly attached, shall be prima facie evidence that the required fees have been paid.

6. (1) The director of revenue shall issue annually or biennially a tab or set of tabs as provided by law as evidence of the annual payment of registration fees and the current registration of a vehicle in lieu of the set of plates. Beginning January 1, 2010, the director may prescribe any additional information recorded on the tab or tabs to ensure that the tab or tabs positively correlate with the license plate or plates issued by the department of revenue for such vehicle. Such tabs shall be produced in each license bureau office.

(2) The vehicle owner to whom a tab or set of tabs is issued shall affix and display such tab or tabs in the designated area of the license plate, no more than one per plate.

(3) A tab or set of tabs issued by the director of revenue when attached to a vehicle in the prescribed manner shall be prima facie evidence that the registration fee for such vehicle has been paid.

(4) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the director of revenue shall issue plates for a period of at least six years.

(5) For those commercial motor vehicles and trailers registered pursuant to section 301.041, the plate issued by the highways and transportation commission shall be a permanent nonexpiring license plate for which no tabs shall be issued. Nothing in this section shall relieve the owner of any vehicle permanently registered pursuant to this section from the obligation to pay the annual registration fee due for the vehicle. The permanent nonexpiring license plate shall be returned to the highways and transportation commission upon the sale or disposal of the vehicle by the owner to whom the permanent nonexpiring license plate is issued, or the plate may be transferred to a replacement commercial motor vehicle when the owner files a supplemental application with the Missouri highways and transportation commission for the registration of such replacement commercial motor vehicle. Upon payment of the annual registration fee, the highways and transportation commission shall issue a certificate of registration or other suitable evidence of payment of the annual fee, and such evidence of payment shall be carried at all times in the vehicle for which it is issued.

(6) Upon the sale or disposal of any vehicle permanently registered under this section, or upon the termination of a lease of any such vehicle, the permanent nonexpiring plate issued for such vehicle shall be returned to the highways and transportation commission and shall not be valid for operation of such vehicle, or the plate may be transferred to a replacement vehicle when the owner files a supplemental application with the Missouri highways and transportation commission for the registration of such replacement vehicle. If a vehicle which is permanently registered under this section is sold, wrecked or otherwise disposed of, or the lease terminated, the registrant shall be given credit for any unused portion of the annual registration fee when the vehicle is replaced by the purchase or lease of another vehicle during the registration year.

7. The director of revenue and the highways and transportation commission may prescribe rules and regulations for the effective administration of this section. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated under the authority of this section shall become effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of section 536.024.

8. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law to the contrary, owners of motor vehicles other than apportioned motor vehicles or commercial motor vehicles licensed in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight may apply for special personalized license plates. Vehicles licensed for eighteen thousand pounds that display special personalized license plates shall be subject to the provisions of subsections 1 and 2 of section 301.030.

9. No later than January 1, 2009, the director of revenue shall commence the reissuance of new license plates of such design as directed by the director consistent with the terms, conditions, and provisions of this section and this chapter. Except as otherwise provided in this section, in addition to all other fees required by law, applicants for registration of vehicles with license plates that expire during the period of reissuance, applicants for registration of trailers or semitrailers with license plates that expire during the period of reissuance and applicants for registration of vehicles that are to be issued new license plates during the period of reissuance shall pay the cost of the plates required by this subsection. The additional cost prescribed in this subsection shall not be charged to persons receiving special license plates issued under section 301.073 or 301.443. Historic motor vehicle license plates registered pursuant to section 301.131 and specialized license plates are exempt from the provisions of this subsection. Except for new, replacement, and transfer applications, permanent nonexpiring license plates issued to commercial motor vehicles and trailers registered under section 301.041 are exempt from the provisions of this subsection.

10. No later than January 1, 2017, the director of revenue shall establish a permit program to allow applicants for motor vehicle license plates issued under this section, and applicants for motor vehicle license plate renewals under this section, to apply for a permit exempting any motor vehicle licensed at twelve thousand pounds or less from the requirement that a license plate be displayed on the front and rear of such vehicle. Applicants approved for a one-license plate permit issued under this subsection shall be issued a special license plate bearing the emblem of the Missouri Association of State Troopers Emergency Relief Society upon payment of a one-time emblem-use contribution to the Missouri Association of State Troopers Emergency Relief Society. The license plate issued shall be displayed on the rear of such vehicle not less than eight nor more than forty-eight inches above the ground, with the letters and numbers thereon right side up. The license plate issued shall contain the Missouri Association of State Troopers Emergency Relief Society emblem and a symbol designed by the department of revenue indicating that the license plate is for rear display only. Such license shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. An applicant's status as a permit holder under this subsection shall be noted on the motor vehicle's registration. The director of the department of revenue may promulgate all necessary rules and regulations for the administration of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested.

PRIVILEGED MOTIONS

Senator Wieland moved that the Senate refuse to concur in **HCS** for **SCS** for **SB 861**, as amended, and request the House to recede from its position or, failing to do so, grant the Senate a conference thereon, which motion prevailed.

Senator Nasheed moved that the Senate refuse to concur in **HCS** for **SB 833**, as amended, and request the House to recede from its position or, failing to do so, grant the Senate a conference thereon, which motion prevailed.

Senator Nasheed moved that the Senate refuse to concur in **HA 1**, **HA 2**, **HA 3**, **HA 4**, as amended, **HA 5** and **HA 6** to **SB 627**, and request the House to recede from its position or, failing to do so, grant the Senate a conference thereon, which motion prevailed.

Senator Kraus moved that the Senate refuse to concur in **HCS** for **SS** for **SB 799**, as amended, and request the House to recede from its position or, failing to do so, grant the Senate a conference thereon, which motion prevailed.

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

At the request of Senator Kehoe, **HCS** for **HB 2379**, with **SCS** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Schatz, **HCS** for **HB 1912**, with **SCS** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Wasson, **HB 1816**, with **SCS** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Romine, **HCS** for **HB 1718** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Hegeman, **HCS** for **HB 2496** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Pearce, **HCS** for **HB 2402**, with **SCS** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Schatz, **HCS** for **HB 1561**, with **SCS** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Pearce, **HB 2237** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Wasson, **HCS** for **HB 1695**, with **SCS** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Wasson, **HCS** for **HB 2194**, with **SCS** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Libla, **HCS** for **HB 2445** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

At the request of Senator Pearce, **HB 1786**, with **SCS** was placed on the Informal Calendar.

HB 1565, introduced by Representative Engler, entitled:

An Act to repeal section 208.010, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to public assistance.

Was taken up by Senator Dixon.

Senator Dixon offered **SA 1**, which was read:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend House Bill No. 1565, Page 1, In the Title, Lines 2-3, by striking the words “public assistance”;

and insert in lieu thereof the words: "Mo HealthNet asset limits exclusively."

Senator Dixon moved that the above amendment be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Senator Silvey offered **SA 2**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 2

Amend House Bill No. 1565, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3, by inserting immediately after "assistance" the following: ", with an emergency clause for a certain section"; and

Further amend said bill, page 7, section 208.010, line 210, by inserting after all of said line the following:

"208.152. 1. MO HealthNet payments shall be made on behalf of those eligible needy persons as defined in section 208.151 who are unable to provide for it in whole or in part, with any payments to be made on the basis of the reasonable cost of the care or reasonable charge for the services as defined and determined by the MO HealthNet division, unless otherwise hereinafter provided, for the following:

(1) Inpatient hospital services, except to persons in an institution for mental diseases who are under the age of sixty-five years and over the age of twenty-one years; provided that the MO HealthNet division shall provide through rule and regulation an exception process for coverage of inpatient costs in those cases requiring treatment beyond the seventy-fifth percentile professional activities study (PAS) or the MO HealthNet children's diagnosis length-of-stay schedule; and provided further that the MO HealthNet division shall take into account through its payment system for hospital services the situation of hospitals which serve a disproportionate number of low-income patients;

(2) All outpatient hospital services, payments therefor to be in amounts which represent no more than eighty percent of the lesser of reasonable costs or customary charges for such services, determined in accordance with the principles set forth in Title XVIII A and B, Public Law 89-97, 1965 amendments to the federal Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 301, et seq.), but the MO HealthNet division may evaluate outpatient hospital services rendered under this section and deny payment for services which are determined by the MO HealthNet division not to be medically necessary, in accordance with federal law and regulations;

(3) Laboratory and X-ray services;

(4) Nursing home services for participants, except to persons with more than five hundred thousand dollars equity in their home or except for persons in an institution for mental diseases who are under the age of sixty-five years, when residing in a hospital licensed by the department of health and senior services or a nursing home licensed by the department of health and senior services or appropriate licensing authority of other states or government-owned and -operated institutions which are determined to conform to standards equivalent to licensing requirements in Title XIX of the federal Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 301, et seq.), as amended, for nursing facilities. The MO HealthNet division may recognize through its payment methodology for nursing facilities those nursing facilities which serve a high volume of MO HealthNet patients. The MO HealthNet division when determining the amount of the benefit payments to be made on behalf of persons under the age of twenty-one in a nursing facility may consider nursing facilities furnishing care to persons under the age of twenty-one as a classification separate from other nursing facilities;

(5) Nursing home costs for participants receiving benefit payments under subdivision (4) of this subsection for those days, which shall not exceed twelve per any period of six consecutive months, during which the participant is on a temporary leave of absence from the hospital or nursing home, provided that no such participant shall be allowed a temporary leave of absence unless it is specifically provided for in his plan of care. As used in this subdivision, the term "temporary leave of absence" shall include all periods of time during which a participant is away from the hospital or nursing home overnight because he is visiting a friend or relative;

(6) Physicians' services, whether furnished in the office, home, hospital, nursing home, or elsewhere;

(7) Drugs and medicines when prescribed by a licensed physician, dentist, podiatrist, or an advanced practice registered nurse; except that no payment for drugs and medicines prescribed on and after January 1, 2006, by a licensed physician, dentist, podiatrist, or an advanced practice registered nurse may be made on behalf of any person who qualifies for prescription drug coverage under the provisions of P.L. 108-173;

(8) Emergency ambulance services and, effective January 1, 1990, medically necessary transportation to scheduled, physician-prescribed nonelective treatments;

(9) Early and periodic screening and diagnosis of individuals who are under the age of twenty-one to ascertain their physical or mental defects, and health care, treatment, and other measures to correct or ameliorate defects and chronic conditions discovered thereby. Such services shall be provided in accordance with the provisions of Section 6403 of P.L. 101-239 and federal regulations promulgated thereunder;

(10) Home health care services;

(11) Family planning as defined by federal rules and regulations; provided, however, that such family planning services shall not include abortions unless such abortions are certified in writing by a physician to the MO HealthNet agency that, in the physician's professional judgment, the life of the mother would be endangered if the fetus were carried to term;

(12) Inpatient psychiatric hospital services for individuals under age twenty-one as defined in Title XIX of the federal Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 1396d, et seq.);

(13) Outpatient surgical procedures, including presurgical diagnostic services performed in ambulatory surgical facilities which are licensed by the department of health and senior services of the state of Missouri; except, that such outpatient surgical services shall not include persons who are eligible for coverage under Part B of Title XVIII, Public Law 89-97, 1965 amendments to the federal Social Security Act, as amended, if exclusion of such persons is permitted under Title XIX, Public Law 89-97, 1965 amendments to the federal Social Security Act, as amended;

(14) Personal care services which are medically oriented tasks having to do with a person's physical requirements, as opposed to housekeeping requirements, which enable a person to be treated by his or her physician on an outpatient rather than on an inpatient or residential basis in a hospital, intermediate care facility, or skilled nursing facility. Personal care services shall be rendered by an individual not a member of the participant's family who is qualified to provide such services where the services are prescribed by a physician in accordance with a plan of treatment and are supervised by a licensed nurse. Persons eligible to receive personal care services shall be those persons who would otherwise require placement in a hospital, intermediate care facility, or skilled nursing facility. Benefits payable for personal care services shall not exceed for any one participant one hundred percent of the average statewide charge for care and

treatment in an intermediate care facility for a comparable period of time. Such services, when delivered in a residential care facility or assisted living facility licensed under chapter 198 shall be authorized on a tier level based on the services the resident requires and the frequency of the services. A resident of such facility who qualifies for assistance under section 208.030 shall, at a minimum, if prescribed by a physician, qualify for the tier level with the fewest services. The rate paid to providers for each tier of service shall be set subject to appropriations. Subject to appropriations, each resident of such facility who qualifies for assistance under section 208.030 and meets the level of care required in this section shall, at a minimum, if prescribed by a physician, be authorized up to one hour of personal care services per day. Authorized units of personal care services shall not be reduced or tier level lowered unless an order approving such reduction or lowering is obtained from the resident's personal physician. Such authorized units of personal care services or tier level shall be transferred with such resident if he or she transfers to another such facility. Such provision shall terminate upon receipt of relevant waivers from the federal Department of Health and Human Services. If the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services determines that such provision does not comply with the state plan, this provision shall be null and void. The MO HealthNet division shall notify the revisor of statutes as to whether the relevant waivers are approved or a determination of noncompliance is made;

(15) Mental health services. The state plan for providing medical assistance under Title XIX of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 301, as amended, shall include the following mental health services when such services are provided by community mental health facilities operated by the department of mental health or designated by the department of mental health as a community mental health facility or as an alcohol and drug abuse facility or as a child-serving agency within the comprehensive children's mental health service system established in section 630.097. The department of mental health shall establish by administrative rule the definition and criteria for designation as a community mental health facility and for designation as an alcohol and drug abuse facility. Such mental health services shall include:

(a) Outpatient mental health services including preventive, diagnostic, therapeutic, rehabilitative, and palliative interventions rendered to individuals in an individual or group setting by a mental health professional in accordance with a plan of treatment appropriately established, implemented, monitored, and revised under the auspices of a therapeutic team as a part of client services management;

(b) Clinic mental health services including preventive, diagnostic, therapeutic, rehabilitative, and palliative interventions rendered to individuals in an individual or group setting by a mental health professional in accordance with a plan of treatment appropriately established, implemented, monitored, and revised under the auspices of a therapeutic team as a part of client services management;

(c) Rehabilitative mental health and alcohol and drug abuse services including home and community-based preventive, diagnostic, therapeutic, rehabilitative, and palliative interventions rendered to individuals in an individual or group setting by a mental health or alcohol and drug abuse professional in accordance with a plan of treatment appropriately established, implemented, monitored, and revised under the auspices of a therapeutic team as a part of client services management. As used in this section, mental health professional and alcohol and drug abuse professional shall be defined by the department of mental health pursuant to duly promulgated rules. With respect to services established by this subdivision, the department of social services, MO HealthNet division, shall enter into an agreement with the department of mental health. Matching funds for outpatient mental health services, clinic mental health services, and rehabilitation services for mental health and alcohol and drug abuse shall be certified by the department of mental health to the MO HealthNet division. The agreement shall establish a mechanism for the joint

implementation of the provisions of this subdivision. In addition, the agreement shall establish a mechanism by which rates for services may be jointly developed;

(16) Such additional services as defined by the MO HealthNet division to be furnished under waivers of federal statutory requirements as provided for and authorized by the federal Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 301, et seq.) subject to appropriation by the general assembly;

(17) The services of an advanced practice registered nurse with a collaborative practice agreement to the extent that such services are provided in accordance with chapters 334 and 335, and regulations promulgated thereunder;

(18) Nursing home costs for participants receiving benefit payments under subdivision (4) of this subsection to reserve a bed for the participant in the nursing home during the time that the participant is absent due to admission to a hospital for services which cannot be performed on an outpatient basis, subject to the provisions of this subdivision:

(a) The provisions of this subdivision shall apply only if:

a. The occupancy rate of the nursing home is at or above ninety-seven percent of MO HealthNet certified licensed beds, according to the most recent quarterly census provided to the department of health and senior services which was taken prior to when the participant is admitted to the hospital; and

b. The patient is admitted to a hospital for a medical condition with an anticipated stay of three days or less;

(b) The payment to be made under this subdivision shall be provided for a maximum of three days per hospital stay;

(c) For each day that nursing home costs are paid on behalf of a participant under this subdivision during any period of six consecutive months such participant shall, during the same period of six consecutive months, be ineligible for payment of nursing home costs of two otherwise available temporary leave of absence days provided under subdivision (5) of this subsection; and

(d) The provisions of this subdivision shall not apply unless the nursing home receives notice from the participant or the participant's responsible party that the participant intends to return to the nursing home following the hospital stay. If the nursing home receives such notification and all other provisions of this subsection have been satisfied, the nursing home shall provide notice to the participant or the participant's responsible party prior to release of the reserved bed;

(19) Prescribed medically necessary durable medical equipment. An electronic web-based prior authorization system using best medical evidence and care and treatment guidelines consistent with national standards shall be used to verify medical need;

(20) Hospice care. As used in this subdivision, the term "hospice care" means a coordinated program of active professional medical attention within a home, outpatient and inpatient care which treats the terminally ill patient and family as a unit, employing a medically directed interdisciplinary team. The program provides relief of severe pain or other physical symptoms and supportive care to meet the special needs arising out of physical, psychological, spiritual, social, and economic stresses which are experienced during the final stages of illness, and during dying and bereavement and meets the Medicare requirements for participation as a hospice as are provided in 42 CFR Part 418. The rate of reimbursement paid by the

MO HealthNet division to the hospice provider for room and board furnished by a nursing home to an eligible hospice patient shall not be less than ninety-five percent of the rate of reimbursement which would have been paid for facility services in that nursing home facility for that patient, in accordance with subsection (c) of Section 6408 of P.L. 101-239 (Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989);

(21) Prescribed medically necessary dental services. Such services shall be subject to appropriations. An electronic web-based prior authorization system using best medical evidence and care and treatment guidelines consistent with national standards shall be used to verify medical need;

(22) Prescribed medically necessary optometric services. Such services shall be subject to appropriations. An electronic web-based prior authorization system using best medical evidence and care and treatment guidelines consistent with national standards shall be used to verify medical need;

(23) Blood clotting products-related services. For persons diagnosed with a bleeding disorder, as defined in section 338.400, reliant on blood clotting products, as defined in section 338.400, such services include:

(a) Home delivery of blood clotting products and ancillary infusion equipment and supplies, including the emergency deliveries of the product when medically necessary;

(b) Medically necessary ancillary infusion equipment and supplies required to administer the blood clotting products; and

(c) Assessments conducted in the participant's home by a pharmacist, nurse, or local home health care agency trained in bleeding disorders when deemed necessary by the participant's treating physician;

(24) The MO HealthNet division shall, by January 1, 2008, and annually thereafter, report the status of MO HealthNet provider reimbursement rates as compared to one hundred percent of the Medicare reimbursement rates and compared to the average dental reimbursement rates paid by third-party payors licensed by the state. The MO HealthNet division shall, by July 1, 2008, provide to the general assembly a four-year plan to achieve parity with Medicare reimbursement rates and for third-party payor average dental reimbursement rates. Such plan shall be subject to appropriation and the division shall include in its annual budget request to the governor the necessary funding needed to complete the four-year plan developed under this subdivision.

2. Additional benefit payments for medical assistance shall be made on behalf of those eligible needy children, pregnant women and blind persons with any payments to be made on the basis of the reasonable cost of the care or reasonable charge for the services as defined and determined by the MO HealthNet division, unless otherwise hereinafter provided, for the following:

(1) Dental services;

(2) Services of podiatrists as defined in section 330.010;

(3) Optometric services as defined in section 336.010;

(4) Orthopedic devices or other prosthetics, including eye glasses, dentures, hearing aids, and wheelchairs;

(5) Hospice care. As used in this subdivision, the term "hospice care" means a coordinated program of active professional medical attention within a home, outpatient and inpatient care which treats the terminally ill patient and family as a unit, employing a medically directed interdisciplinary team. The program provides

relief of severe pain or other physical symptoms and supportive care to meet the special needs arising out of physical, psychological, spiritual, social, and economic stresses which are experienced during the final stages of illness, and during dying and bereavement and meets the Medicare requirements for participation as a hospice as are provided in 42 CFR Part 418. The rate of reimbursement paid by the MO HealthNet division to the hospice provider for room and board furnished by a nursing home to an eligible hospice patient shall not be less than ninety-five percent of the rate of reimbursement which would have been paid for facility services in that nursing home facility for that patient, in accordance with subsection (c) of Section 6408 of P.L. 101-239 (Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989);

(6) Comprehensive day rehabilitation services beginning early posttrauma as part of a coordinated system of care for individuals with disabling impairments. Rehabilitation services must be based on an individualized, goal-oriented, comprehensive and coordinated treatment plan developed, implemented, and monitored through an interdisciplinary assessment designed to restore an individual to optimal level of physical, cognitive, and behavioral function. The MO HealthNet division shall establish by administrative rule the definition and criteria for designation of a comprehensive day rehabilitation service facility, benefit limitations and payment mechanism. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this subdivision shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2005, shall be invalid and void.

3. The MO HealthNet division may require any participant receiving MO HealthNet benefits to pay part of the charge or cost until July 1, 2008, and an additional payment after July 1, 2008, as defined by rule duly promulgated by the MO HealthNet division, for all covered services except for those services covered under subdivisions (14) and (15) of subsection 1 of this section and sections 208.631 to 208.657 to the extent and in the manner authorized by Title XIX of the federal Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. Section 1396, et seq.) and regulations thereunder. When substitution of a generic drug is permitted by the prescriber according to section 338.056, and a generic drug is substituted for a name-brand drug, the MO HealthNet division may not lower or delete the requirement to make a co-payment pursuant to regulations of Title XIX of the federal Social Security Act. A provider of goods or services described under this section must collect from all participants the additional payment that may be required by the MO HealthNet division under authority granted herein, if the division exercises that authority, to remain eligible as a provider. Any payments made by participants under this section shall be in addition to and not in lieu of payments made by the state for goods or services described herein except the participant portion of the pharmacy professional dispensing fee shall be in addition to and not in lieu of payments to pharmacists. A provider may collect the co-payment at the time a service is provided or at a later date. A provider shall not refuse to provide a service if a participant is unable to pay a required payment. If it is the routine business practice of a provider to terminate future services to an individual with an unclaimed debt, the provider may include uncollected co-payments under this practice. Providers who elect not to undertake the provision of services based on a history of bad debt shall give participants advance notice and a reasonable opportunity for payment. A provider, representative, employee, independent contractor, or agent of a pharmaceutical manufacturer shall not make co-payment for a participant. This subsection shall not apply to other qualified children, pregnant women, or blind persons. If the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services does not approve the MO HealthNet state plan amendment submitted by the department of social services that would allow a provider

to deny future services to an individual with uncollected co-payments, the denial of services shall not be allowed. The department of social services shall inform providers regarding the acceptability of denying services as the result of unpaid co-payments.

4. The MO HealthNet division shall have the right to collect medication samples from participants in order to maintain program integrity.

5. Reimbursement for obstetrical and pediatric services under subdivision (6) of subsection 1 of this section shall be timely and sufficient to enlist enough health care providers so that care and services are available under the state plan for MO HealthNet benefits at least to the extent that such care and services are available to the general population in the geographic area, as required under subparagraph (a)(30)(A) of 42 U.S.C. Section 1396a and federal regulations promulgated thereunder.

6. Beginning July 1, 1990, reimbursement for services rendered in federally funded health centers shall be in accordance with the provisions of subsection 6402(c) and Section 6404 of P.L. 101-239 (Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989) and federal regulations promulgated thereunder.

7. Beginning July 1, 1990, the department of social services shall provide notification and referral of children below age five, and pregnant, breast-feeding, or postpartum women who are determined to be eligible for MO HealthNet benefits under section 208.151 to the special supplemental food programs for women, infants and children administered by the department of health and senior services. Such notification and referral shall conform to the requirements of Section 6406 of P.L. 101-239 and regulations promulgated thereunder.

8. Providers of long-term care services shall be reimbursed for their costs in accordance with the provisions of Section 1902 (a)(13)(A) of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 1396a, as amended, and regulations promulgated thereunder.

9. Reimbursement rates to long-term care providers with respect to a total change in ownership, at arm's length, for any facility previously licensed and certified for participation in the MO HealthNet program shall not increase payments in excess of the increase that would result from the application of Section 1902 (a)(13)(C) of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 1396a (a)(13)(C).

10. The MO HealthNet division, may enroll qualified residential care facilities and assisted living facilities, as defined in chapter 198, as MO HealthNet personal care providers.

11. Any income earned by individuals eligible for certified extended employment at a sheltered workshop under chapter 178 shall not be considered as income for purposes of determining eligibility under this section.

12. If the Missouri Medicaid audit and compliance unit changes any interpretation or application of the requirements for reimbursement for MO HealthNet services from the interpretation or application that has been applied previously by the state in any audit of a MO HealthNet provider, the Missouri Medicaid audit and compliance unit shall notify all affected MO HealthNet providers five business days before such change shall take effect. Failure of the Missouri Medicaid audit and compliance unit to notify a provider of such change shall entitle the provider to continue to receive and retain reimbursement until such notification is provided and shall waive any liability of such provider for recoupment or other loss of any payments previously made prior to the five business days after such notice has been sent. Each provider shall provide the Missouri Medicaid audit and compliance unit a valid email address and shall agree to receive

communications electronically. The notification required under this section shall be delivered in writing by the United States Postal Service or electronic mail to each provider.

13. Nothing in this section shall be construed to abrogate or limit the department's statutory requirement to promulgate rules under chapter 536.

14. Beginning July 1, 2016, and subject to appropriations, providers of behavioral, social, and psychophysiological services for the prevention, treatment, or management of physical health problems shall be reimbursed utilizing the behavior assessment and intervention reimbursement codes 96150 to 96154 or their successor codes under the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) coding system. Providers eligible for such reimbursement shall include psychologists.

Section B. Because immediate action is necessary to ensure adequate provision of behavior assessment and intervention services under the MO HealthNet program, the repeal and reenactment of section 208.152 of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare, peace, and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the meaning of the constitution, and the repeal and reenactment of section 208.152 of this act shall be in full force and effect July 1, 2016, or upon its passage and approval, whichever later occurs."; and

Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

Senator Silvey moved that the above amendment be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Senator Nasheed offered **SA 3**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 3

Amend House Bill No. 1565, Page 1, In the Title, Lines 2-3, by striking the words "public assistance" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the MO HealthNet program"; and

Further amend said bill, page 7, section 208.010, line 210, by inserting after all of said line the following:

"**208.207. 1. Beginning January 1, 2017, individuals age nineteen to sixty-four, who are not otherwise eligible for MO HealthNet services under this chapter, who qualify for MO HealthNet services under section 42 U.S.C. 1396a(a)(10)(A)(i)(VIII) and as set forth in 42 CFR 435.119, and who have income at or below one hundred thirty-three percent of the federal poverty level plus five percent of the applicable family size as determined under 42 U.S.C. 1396a(e)(14) and as set forth in 42 CFR 435.603, shall be eligible for medical assistance under MO HealthNet and shall receive coverage for the health benefits service package.**

2. For purposes of this section, "health benefits service package" shall mean, subject to federal approval, benefits covered by the MO HealthNet program as determined by the department of social services to meet the benchmark or benchmark-equivalent coverage requirement under 42 U.S.C. 1396a(k)(1).

3. The reimbursement rate to MO HealthNet providers for MO HealthNet services provided to individuals qualifying under the provisions of this section shall be comparable to commercial reimbursement payment levels with trend adjustment for comparable services. The rates shall be determined annually by the department of social services, and the department may develop such rates

through a contracted actuary. The higher commercial comparable rates shall only apply for services provided to individuals qualifying under this section.

4. (1) The department of social services shall discontinue eligibility for persons who are eligible under subsection 1 of this section if:

(a) The federal medical assistance percentage established under 42 U.S.C. Section 1396d(y) or 1396d(z) is less than ninety percent as specified for 2020 and each year thereafter or an amount determined by the MO HealthNet oversight committee to be necessary to maintain state budget solvency, whichever is lower; and

(b) The general assembly votes to discontinue eligibility for persons who are eligible under subsection 1 of this section. Prior to any vote under this paragraph, the MO HealthNet oversight committee and the department of social services shall provide the general assembly with information on the current and projected expenses incurred due to expanding eligibility to persons under subsection 1 of this section in relation to health-related savings and revenues and health outcomes of individuals and families receiving benefits under subsection 1 of this section;

(2) The department of social services shall inform persons eligible under subsection 1 of this section that their benefits may be reduced or eliminated if federal funding decreases or is eliminated.

5. The MO HealthNet oversight committee shall conduct research and investigate any potential health-related savings and revenues associated with expanding eligibility to persons under subsection 1 of this section. The committee shall investigate the federal matching rate below which the state could not maintain the expanded eligibility to persons under subsection 1 of this section. If the amount is determined to be greater than ninety percent, the committee shall report its findings to the general assembly for its consideration prior to any vote under paragraph (b) of subdivision (1) of subsection 4 of this section. In conducting its research and investigation, the committee shall also determine the feasibility of:

(1) Implementing capped cost sharing for persons eligible under subsection 1 of this section which may be reduced based on healthy behaviors of participants;

(2) Expanding Medicaid coverage for certain health care services that are currently financed by the state; and

(3) Enrolling persons under subsection 1 of this section in private health benefit plans."; and

Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

Senator Nasheed moved that the above amendment be adopted.

Senator Dixon raised the point of order that **SA 3** is out of order as it goes beyond the scope and title of the bill.

The point of order was referred to the President Pro Tem, who took it under advisement, which placed **HB 1565**, with **SA 3** and point of order (pending), back on the Informal Calendar.

REFERRALS

President Pro Tem Richard referred **SR 2214**, **SR 2215** and **SR 2216** to the Committee on Rules, Joint

Rules, Resolutions and Ethics.

PRIVILEGED MOTIONS

Senator Dixon moved that the Senate refuse to concur in **HCS** for **SB 735**, as amended, and request the House to recede from its position or, failing to do so, grant the Senate a conference thereon, which motion prevailed.

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

HB 2237, introduced by Representative Rowden, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 49.098 and 262.590, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to University of Missouri extension councils.

Was taken up by Senator Pearce.

On motion of Senator Pearce, **HB 2237** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey
Wallingford	Walsh	Wasson	Wieland—32			

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Pearce, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Pearce moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

HCS for **HB 1941**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to repeal section 572.010 as enacted by senate bill no. 491, ninety-seventh general assembly, second regular session and section 572.010 as enacted by Referendum, Proposition A, November 3, 1992, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to gaming activities.

Was taken up by Senator Keaveny.

SCS for **HCS** for **HB 1941**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1941

An Act to repeal section 572.010 as enacted by senate bill no. 491, ninety-seventh general

assembly, second regular session, and section 572.010 as enacted by Referendum, Proposition A, November 3, 1992, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof fourteen new sections relating to the Missouri daily fantasy sports consumer protection act, with penalty provisions.

Was taken up.

Senator Onder assumed the Chair.

Senator Keaveny moved that **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1941** be adopted.

Senator Keaveny offered **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1941**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1941

An Act to amend chapter 313, RSMo, by adding thereto twelve new sections relating to fantasy sports contests.

Senator Keaveny moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1941** be adopted.

Senator Schaaf offered **SA 1**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1941, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3 of said title, by inserting immediately after the word "contests" the following: ", with an emergency clause"; and

Further amend said bill, page 17, section 313.1020, line 19 of said page, by inserting after all of said line the following:

"Section B. Because immediate action is needed to protect the economic interests of the state, section A of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare, peace, and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the meaning of the constitution, and section A of this act shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval.".

Senator Schaaf moved that the above amendment be adopted.

Senator Schmitt assumed the Chair.

At the request of Senator Keaveny, **HCS** for **HB 1941**, with **SCS**, **SS** for **SCS** and **SA 1** (pending), was placed on the Informal Calendar.

Senator Dixon moved that **HB 1565**, with **SA 3** and point of order (pending), be called from the Informal Calendar and again taken up for 3rd reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

At the request of Senator Dixon, the point of order was withdrawn.

SA 3 was again taken up.

Senator Curls requested a roll call vote be taken on the adoption of **SA 3**. She was joined in her request by Senators Kraus, Nasheed, Schupp and Sifton.

SA 3 failed of adoption by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Chappelle-Nadal	Curls	Holsman	Keaveny	Nasheed	Schupp	Sifton—7

NAYS—Senators

Brown	Cunningham	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman	Kehoe	Kraus
Libla	Munzlinger	Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle
Romine	Sater	Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Silvey
Wallingford	Wasson	Wieland—24				

Absent—Senator Walsh—1

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

Having voted on the prevailing side, Senator Silvey moved that the vote by which **SA 2** was adopted, be reconsidered.

Senator Schupp raised the point of order that **SA 2** was adopted by a voice vote, therefore the yeas and naes were not recorded and thus cannot be determined.

The point of order was referred to the President Pro Tem, who took it under advisement, which placed **HB 1565** and point of order (pending), back on the Informal Calendar.

HCS for **HB 1599**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to repeal section 193.125, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to birth certificates.

Was taken up by Senator Sater.

SCS for **HCS** for **HB 1599**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1599

An Act to repeal sections 193.125 and 453.080, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to birth certificates.

Was taken up.

Senator Sater moved that **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1599** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Sater, **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1599** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey
Wallingford	Wasson	Wieland—31				

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senator Walsh—1

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Sater, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Sater moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

Senator Schaaf assumed the Chair.

Senator Dixon moved that **HB 1565**, with point of order (pending), be called from the Informal Calendar and again taken up for 3rd reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

The point of order was ruled not well taken.

The motion to reconsider the adoption of **SA 2** prevailed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford
Wasson	Wieland—30					

NAYS—Senator Schupp—1

Absent—Senator Walsh—1

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

SA 2 was again taken up.

At the request of Senator Silvey, **SA 2** was withdrawn.

Having voted on the prevailing side, Senator Dixon moved that the vote by which **SA 1** was adopted, be reconsidered, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford
Wasson	Wieland—30					

NAYS—Senator Schupp—1

Absent—Senator Walsh—1

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

SA 1 was again taken up.

At the request of Senator Dixon, **SA 1** was withdrawn.

On motion of Senator Dixon, **HB 1565** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed	Onder
Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Schaaf	Schaefer
Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford	Wasson

Wieland—29

NAYS—Senator Sater—1

Absent—Senators

Kraus Walsh—2

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Dixon, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Dixon moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

President Pro Tem Richard assumed the Chair.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Senator Dixon, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence, submitted the following reports:

Mr. President: Your Committee on the Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence, to which was referred **HCS** for **HB 1765**, begs leave to report that it has considered the same and recommends that the bill do pass.

Also,

Mr. President: Your Committee on the Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence, to which was referred **HB 1585**, begs leave to report that it has considered the same and recommends that the bill do pass.

Senator Sater, Chairman of the Committee on Seniors, Families and Children, submitted the following

report:

Mr. President: Your Committee on Seniors, Families and Children, to which was referred **HB 1620**, begs leave to report that it has considered the same and recommends that the bill do pass.

Senator Schaaf assumed the Chair.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

The following messages were received from the House of Representatives through its Chief Clerk:

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and passed **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 986**, entitled:

An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain state properties, with an emergency clause for a certain section.

With House Amendment No. 1.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 986, Page 8, Section 7, Line 27, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**Section 8. 1. The director of the department of natural resources shall, at public auction or private sale, sell, transfer, grant, convey, remise, release and forever quitclaim to all interest of the state of Missouri in property located in Oregon County, Missouri, more particularly described as follows:**

TRACT 1:

TOWNSHIP 22 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST:

Section 3: All that part lying West of, or right bank of, the Eleven Point River;

Section 4: All that part of the East Half lying West of, or right bank of, the Eleven Point River; All of Lot 1 of the NW1/4;

Section 5: All of Lot 1 of the NE1/4; All of Lots 1 and 2 of the NW1/4; All that part of the E1/2 of Lot 3 of the NW1/4 of Section 5 which lies South and West of Billmore Hollow, EXCEPT therefrom that part lying north of Hwy "Y"; All of the W1/2 of Lot 3 of the NW1/4;

Section 6: All of the E1/2 of Lots 2 and 3 of the NE1/4;

Section 9: All of the North Fractional Half of the NE Fractional Quarter lying West of, or right bank of, the Eleven Point River;

TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST:

Section 33: All of the SE1/4;

Section 34: All of the SW1/4 lying West of, or right bank of, the Eleven Point River.

PARCEL I:

An easement for ingress and egress over and across an existing private road, 50 feet in width, running Southeasterly from Highway "Y" to a point near the South line of Section 32, Township 23, Range 2, and thence East along the South line of Sections 32 and 33, in Township 23, Range 2 to the West line of the above described property.

TRACT 2:

All of Lot One (1) of the Northeast Quarter (NE1/4) and all that part of the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) lying South and East of Highway Y, in Section Six (6), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Two (2) West. The East Half (E1/2) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) of Section Six (6), Township Twenty-two (22) North, Range Two (2) West. All the Southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) of Section Six (6), Township Twenty-two (22) North, Range Two (2) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, except therefrom a strip of land 10 feet wide (being the south ten feet) of SE1/4 of said Section 6 for roadway, and except right of way for State Highway Y as shown recorded in Book 172 at Page 86 of the records of Oregon County, Missouri.

TOWNSHIP 22 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST

Section 5: All of the North Half of the Southeast Quarter; Block 2 in Charles W. Melton and wife and E. W. Sitton and wife Subdivision of the SE 1/4 of the SE1/4 of Section 5 as shown in Plat Book 8 at Page 21 of the records of Oregon County, Missouri; All of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter; All of the Southwest Quarter;

Section 7: All of the East Half of the Northeast Quarter; Block 1 of J. F. Melton Subdivision of the SW1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 7 as shown in Plat Book 6 at Page 5 of the records of Oregon County, Missouri; All of the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter;

Section 8: Block 5 in S. D. Melton's Subdivision of the NE1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 8 as shown in Plat Book 7 at Page 16 of the records of Oregon County, Missouri; Lot 2 Block 1 in S. D. Melton's Subdivision of the SW1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 8 as shown in Plat Book 7 at Page 16 of the records of Oregon County, Missouri; All of the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter; All of Block 1 in G. T. Thomasson and wife's Subdivision of the NE1/4 of the SW1/4 of Section 8 as shown in Plat Book 6 at Page 38 of the Records of Oregon County,Missouri; All of Lot 1 of Block 1 in G. T. Thomasson and wife's former Subdivision of the NW1/4 of the SW1/4 of Section 8 as shown in Plat Book 7 at Page 17 of the Records of Oregon County, Missouri; All of the Northwest Quarter.

2. The property described in subsection 1 of this section shall not be used as a park, as the term is defined in section 253.010.

3. The property described in subsection 1 of this section shall first be offered for sale to the grantor of the property that granted such property to the department of natural resources and dedicated such property for public use, with such grantor having the right of first refusal. The grantor shall be offered the ability to repurchase such property at eighty percent of the property's fair market value. Such grantor shall have thirty calendar days to respond and accept such offer by the department of natural resources. If the grantor does not respond and accept such offer within thirty calendar days, the department may offer the property for sale at public auction or to any third party without the condition that such property be dedicated to public use, but shall not sell such property for less than eighty percent of the property's fair market value.

4. The commissioner of administration may set the terms and conditions for the conveyance as the commissioner deems reasonable so long as such terms do not conflict with the requirements of subsection 1 of this section. The property described under subsection 1 of this section may be subdivided and sold in parcels of not less than three hundred acres.

5**. The attorney general shall approve the form of the instrument of conveyance.**

6**. The property described under subsection 1 of this section shall be sold, transferred, granted, conveyed, remissed, released and forever quitclaimed by the director of the department of natural resources by December 31, 2016.**

Section 9. 1. The director of the department of natural resources shall, at public auction or private sale, sell, transfer, grant, convey, remise, release and forever quitclaim to all interest of the state of Missouri in property located in Oregon County, Missouri, more particularly described as follows:

Tract 1:

Township 23 North, Range 2 West

Section 20: That part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter lying North and East of a line beginning at C-E-E 1/64th corner, thence in a Southeasterly direction to N-S 1/64th corner, Sections 20 and 21. All that part of the following described tracts lying East of Highway Y: The Southeast Quarter, the North Half of the Southwest Quarter, and the South Half of the Northwest Quarter: EXCEPT that part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter lying North and East of a line beginning at C-E-E 1/64th corner, thence in a Southeasterly direction to N-S 1/64th corner, Sections 20 and 21.

Section 21: All of the East Fractional Half of the Southeast Fractional Quarter lying west of, or right bank of, the Eleven Point River All that part of the Southwest Fractional Quarter of the Southeast Fractional Quarter lying west of, or right bank of, the Eleven Point River; All of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter; All that part of the West Fractional Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 21 that lies south of, or right bank of, the Eleven Point River; All that part of the NE1/4 of the SW1/4 and all that part of the NW1/4 of the SE1/4 lying west of, or the right bank of the Eleven Point River.

Section 27: All that part of Section 27 lying west of, or right bank of, the Eleven point river EXCEPT THAT PART of the West Fractional Half of the Southwest Fractional Quarter south and west and being right bank of Eleven Point River lying north of the 1/64th line east to Eleven Point River from the N-S 1/64th corner of Sections 27 and 28;

Section 28: All that part of Section 28 lying west of, or right bank of the Eleven Point River EXCEPT THAT PART of the Northeast Fractional Quarter of the Southeast Fractional Quarter west and being right bank of Eleven Point River lying east of the 1/64th line beginning at C-E-E 1/64th corner, thence south along E-E 1/64th line to C-S-NE-SE 1/256th corner;

Section 29: All that part of the following described tracts lying East of Highway Y: The South Half of the North Half, the North Half of the Southeast Quarter. All that part of the following described tracts lying East of Highway Y: The North Half of the North Half.

Section 33: NE1/4 of Section 33

Section 34: All that part of the N1/2 lying west of, or right bank of the Eleven Point River.

Tract 2:

A Tract of land located in part of the NW1/4 of Section 33, Township 23 North, Range 2 West, 5th P.M., more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at the Northwest corner of the

NW1/4 of said Section 33, a 5/8" rebar with an aluminum cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE South 88 degrees 54 minutes 38 seconds East along the North line of the NW1/4 of said Section 33, a distance of 2685.46 feet to the Northeast corner of the NW1/4 of said Section 33; THENCE South 01 degrees 59 minutes 05 seconds West along the East line of the NW1/4 of said Section 33; THENCE South 01 degrees 59 minutes 05 seconds West along the East line of the NW1/4 of said Section 33, a distance of 2095.82 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE North 88 degrees 07 minutes 05 seconds West, a distance of 1623.93 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE North 29 degrees 22 minutes 35 seconds West, a distance of 405.72 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE North 77 degrees 45 minutes 53 seconds West, a distance of 857.10 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set on the West line of the NW1/4 of said Section 33; THENCE North 01 degrees 44 minutes 27 seconds East along the West line of the NW1/4 of said Section 33, a distance of 1557.81 feet to the point of beginning. Contains 118.804 acres, more or less.

Also One Hundred (100) feet off the North end of the E1/2 of Section 32, Township 23 North Range 2 West lying east of State Highway Y. Contains 5.32 acres, more or less.

Tract 3:

A Tract of land located in part of the W1/2 of Section 33, Township 23 North, Range 2 West, 5th P.M., more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Northwest corner of the NW1/4 of said Section 33, a 5/8" rebar with an aluminum cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S01°44'27"W along the West line of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a distance of 1557.81 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235", the true POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE S77°45'53"E, a distance of 857.10 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235";THENCE S29°22'35"E, a distance of 405.72 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S88°07'05"E, a distance of 1623.93 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set on the East line of the W1/2 of said Section 33; THENCE S01°59'05"W along the East line of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a distance of 3198.69 feet to the Southeast corner of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a 5/8" rebar with an aluminum cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE N88°46'02"W along the South line of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a distance of 2376.56 feet; THENCE N88°59'23"W, continuing along the South line of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a distance of 286.30 feet to the Southwest corner of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a 5/8" rebar with an aluminum cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE N01°44'27"E along the West line of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a distance of 3730.78 feet to the point of beginning.

ALSO a tract of land located in part of the E1/2 of Section 32, Township 23 North, Range 2 West, 5th P.M. lying East of State Highway "Y" more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at the Northeast corner of the E1/2 of said Section 32, a 5/8" rebar with an aluminum cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S01°44'27"W along the East line of the E1/2 of said Section 32, a distance of 5288.59 feet to the Southeast corner of the E1/2 of said Section 32, a 5/8" rebar with an aluminum cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE N88°59'23"W along the South line of the E1/2 of said Section 32, a distance of 1174.89 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set in the

centerline of a road; THENCE Northwesterly along the centerline of said road, the following 7 courses and distances:

1) N53°07'50"W, a distance of 232.94 feet;

2) Northwesterly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 329.08 feet, said curve having a radius of 853.54 feet and a central angle of 22°05'25";

3) N31°02'27"W, a distance of 174.37 feet;

4) Northwesterly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 114.74 feet, said curve having a radius of 376.24 feet and a central angle of 17°28'24";

5) N13°34'03"W, a distance of 60.83 feet;

6) Northwesterly along the arc of a curve to the left, a distance of 116.41 feet, said curve having a radius of 135.37 feet and a central angle of 49°16'19";

7) N62°50'22"W, a distance of 45.54 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set in the Easterly right-of-way line of said Highway "Y";

THENCE Northerly along the Easterly right-of-way line of said Highway "Y" the following 11 courses and distances:

1) N10°58'49"E, a distance of 596.72 feet;

2) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the left, a distance of 532.04 feet, said curve having a radius of 1202.90 feet and a central angle of 25°20'30";

3) N14°53'34"W, a distance of 443.59 feet;

4) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 188.16 feet, said curve having a radius of 929.48 feet and a central angle of 11°35'55";

5) N03°08'38"W, a distance of 881.47 feet;

6) N02°01'44"W, a distance of 385.89 feet;

7) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 294.42 feet, said curve having a radius of 1020.52 feet and a central angle of 16°31'47";

8) N13°33'40"W, a distance of 411.18 feet;

9) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 145.39 feet, said curve having a radius of 872.95 feet and a central angle of 09°32'33";

10) N04°25'44"W, a distance of 542.80 feet;

11) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 136.94 feet, said curve having a radius of 531.11 feet and a central angle of 14°46'23" to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set on the North line of the E1/2 of said Section 32; THENCE S88°50'26"E along the North line of the E1/2 of said Section 32, a distance of 2306.26 feet to the point of beginning.

EXCEPT One Hundred (100) feet off the North end of the E1/2 of Section 32, Township 23 North Range 2 West lying east of State Highway Y.

EXCEPT FROM THE ABOVE DESCRIBED TRACTS: A Tract of land located in part of the

NW1/4 of the SW1/4, the S1/2 of the SW1/4 and the SW1/4 of the SE1/4 of Section 28 and in part of the E1/2 of Section 32 and in part of the NW1/4 of the NE1/4 and the W1/2 of Section 33, all in Township 23 North, Range 2 West, 5th P.M., more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at the Northwest corner of said Section 33, a 5/8" rebar with an aluminum cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE N01°28'21"E along the West line of the S1/2 of the SW1/4 of said Section 28, a distance of 1321.75 feet to the Southwest corner of the NW1/4 of the SW1/4 of said Section 28, a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE N06°33'11"E, a distance of 44.17 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S87°39'26"E, a distance of 43.01 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S37°01'33"E, a distance of 292.00 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S47°29'15"E, a distance of 714.87 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S00°01'21"E, a distance of 577.93 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE N60°33'51"E, a distance of 819.53 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE N65°56'00"E, a distance of 855.43 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S06°39'52"W, a distance of 167.32 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S17°27'52"E, a distance of 240.29 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S34°34'14"E, a distance of 384.45 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S86°58'59"E, a distance of 193.42 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S09°39'02"E, a distance of 800.21 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S70°21'17"W, a distance of 409.82 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S59°26'51"W, a distance of 587.94 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S52°00'37"W, a distance of 269.32 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S15°30'30"E, a distance of 647.94 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S09°04'42"E, a distance of 779.77 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S08°27'07"E, a distance of 508.03 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S13°19'43"W, a distance of 201.64 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S01°05'15"E, a distance of 787.24 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S03°53'24"E, a distance of 881.25 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE S13°15'24"W, a distance of 288.39 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set on the South line of the W1/2 of said Section 33; THENCE N88°46'02"W along the South line of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a distance of 1981.28 feet; THENCE N88°59'23"W continuing along the South line of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a distance of 286.30 feet to the Southwest corner of the W1/2 of said Section 33, a 5/8" rebar with an aluminum cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235"; THENCE continuing N88°59'23"W along the South line of the E1/2 of said Section 32, a distance of 1174.98 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set in the centerline of an existing road; THENCE Northwesterly along the centerline of said existing road, the following 7 courses and distances:

1) N53°07'50"W, a distance of 232.94 feet;

2) Northwesterly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 329.08 feet, said curve having a radius of 853.54 feet and a central angle of 22°05'25";

3) N31°02'27"W, a distance of 174.37 feet;

4) Northwesterly along the arc of a curve to the left, a distance of 114.74 feet, said curve having a radius of 376.24 feet and a central angle of 17°28'24";

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6) Northwesterly along the arc of a curve to the left, a distance of 116.41 feet, said curve having a radius of 135.37 feet and a central angle of 49°16'19";

7) N62°50'22"W, a distance of 45.54 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set in the Easterly right-of-way line of State Highway "Y"; THENCE Northerly along the Easterly right-of-way line of said Highway "Y" the following 12 courses and distances:

1) N10°58'49"E, a distance of 596.72 feet;

2) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the left, a distance of 532.04 feet, said curve having a radius 1202.90 feet and a central angle of 25°20'30";

3) N14°53'34"W, a distance of 443.59 feet;

4) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 188.16 feet, said curve having a radius of 929.48 feet and a central angle of 11°35'55";

5) N03°08'38"W, a distance of 881.47 feet;

6) N02°01'44"W, a distance of 385.89 feet;

7) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the left, a distance of 294.42 feet, said curve having a radius of 1020.52 feet and a central angle of 16°31'47";

8) N13°33'40"W, a distance of 411.18 feet;

9) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 145.39 feet, said curve having a radius of 872.95 feet and a central angle of 09°32'33";

10) N04°25'44"W, a distance of 542.80 feet;

11) Northerly along the arc of a curve to the right, a distance of 129.35 feet, said curve having a radius of 676.80 feet and a central angle of 10°57'00" to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set on the North line of the E1/2 of said Section 32;

12) N06°30'24"E, a distance of 7.44 feet to a 5/8" rebar with a plastic cap stamped "Norsworthy PLS 2235" set on the North line of the E1/2 of said Section 32;

THENCE S88°50'26"E along the North line of the E1/2 of said Section 32, a distance of 2306.00 feet to the point beginning. Contains 547.327 acres, more or less.

2. The property described in subsection 1 of this section shall not be used as a park, as the term is defined in section 253.010.

3. The property described in subsection 1 of this section shall first be offered for sale to the grantor of the property that granted such property to the department of natural resources and

dedicated such property for public use, with such grantor having the right of first refusal. The grantor shall be offered the ability to repurchase such property at eighty percent of the property's fair market value. Such grantor shall have thirty calendar days to respond and accept such offer by the department of natural resources. If the grantor does not respond and accept such offer within thirty calendar days, the department may offer the property for sale at public auction or to any third party without the condition that such property be dedicated to public use, but shall not sell such property for less than eighty percent of the property's fair market value.

4.The commissioner of administration may set the terms and conditions for the conveyance as the commissioner deems reasonable so long as such terms do not conflict with the requirements of subsection 1 of this section. The property described under subsection 1 of this section may be subdivided and sold in parcels of not less than three hundred acres.

5**. The attorney general shall approve the form of the instrument of conveyance.**

6**. The property described under subsection 1 of this section shall be sold, transferred, granted, conveyed, remissed, released, and forever quitclaimed by the director of the department of natural resources by December 31, 2016.**"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 8, Section B, Line 5, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"Section C. Because immediate action is necessary to perform primary restoration projects with the revenue generated from the sale of such state property, sections 8 and 9 of this act are deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare, peace and safety, and are hereby declared to be an emergency act within the meaning of the constitution, and sections 8 and 9 of this act shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Emergency clause adopted.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SS**, as amended, for **HCS** for **HB 1877** and has taken up and passed **SS** for **HCS** for **HB 1877**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS**, as amended, for **HB 1936** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HB 1936**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in **SA 1**, **SA 2**, **SA 3**, **SA 4**, **SA 5** and **SA 6** to **HCS** for **HB 1562** and has taken up and passed **HCS** for **HB 1562**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has

taken up and adopted **SCS** for **HB 1698** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HB 1698**.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS** for **HB 2125** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HB 2125**.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House refuses to adopt Conference Committee Report on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 572**, as amended, and requests a further conference on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 572**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS**, as amended, for **HB 1414** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HB 1414**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SS#2**, as amended, for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1550** and has taken up and passed **SS#2** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1550**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2030** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2030**.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS**, as amended, for **HB 1682** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HB 1682**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SS** for **HB 2355** and has taken up and passed **SS** for **HB 2355**.

PRIVILEGED MOTIONS

Senator Schmitt moved that the Senate grant the House further conference on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 572**, as amended, which motion prevailed.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

President Pro Tem Richard appointed the following conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 572**, as amended: Senators Schmitt, Schaefer, Dixon, Keaveny and Holsman.

PRIVILEGED MOTIONS

Senator Pearce moved that the Senate refuse to concur in **HCS** for **SB 997**, as amended, and request the House to recede from its position or, failing to do so, grant the Senate a conference thereon, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Kehoe, the Senate recessed until 3:00 p.m.

RECESS

The time of recess having expired, the Senate was called to order by Senator Pearce.

Senator Kehoe announced photographers from the Herizon Productions were given permission to take pictures in the Senate Chamber.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

The following message was received from the House of Representatives through its Chief Clerk:

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives has re-appointed the following committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 572**, as amended. Representatives: Cornejo, McGaugh, Curtman, Rizzo, and Mitten.

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

HCS for **HB 2029**, entitled:

An Act to amend chapter 376, RSMo, by adding thereto four new sections relating to step therapy for prescription drugs.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up by Senator Sater.

Senator Sater offered **SS** for **HCS** for **HB 2029**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2029

An Act to amend chapter 376, RSMo, by adding thereto three new sections relating to step therapy for prescription drugs.

Senator Sater moved that **SS** for **HCS** for **HB 2029** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Sater, **SS** for **HCS** for **HB 2029** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey
Wallingford	Walsh	Wasson	Wieland—32			

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Sater, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Sater moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

HCS for **HB 2194**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 375.004 and 379.118, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to the renewal of insurance policies.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up by Senator Wasson.

SCS for **HCS** for **HB 2194**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2194

An Act to repeal sections 375.004 and 379.118, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to the renewal of insurance policies.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up.

Senator Wasson offered **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2194**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2194

An Act to repeal sections 287.955, 374.205, 375.004 , 379.118, and 379.125, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof six new sections relating to the regulation of insurance.

Senator Wasson moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2194** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Senator Wallingford assumed the Chair.

On motion of Senator Wasson, **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2194** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Onder
Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater	Schaaf
Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford
Walsh	Wasson	Wieland—31				

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senator Nasheed—1

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Wasson, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Wasson moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

PRIVILEGED MOTIONS

Senator Brown moved that the Senate refuse to concur in **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 986**, as amended, and request the House to recede from its position or, failing to do so, grant the Senate a conference thereon, which motion prevailed.

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

HCS for **HB 2402**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 197.315 and 536.031, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to administrative rules for the regulation of health care facilities, with an emergency clause for a certain section.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up by Senator Pearce.

SCS for **HCS** for **HB 2402**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2402

An Act to repeal sections 197.315 and 536.031, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof five new sections relating to the regulation of health care facilities, with an emergency clause for a certain section.

Was taken up.

Senator Pearce moved that **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2402** be adopted.

Senator Nasheed offered **SA 1**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 2402, Pages 4-5, Section 197.321, by striking all of said section from the bill; and

Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

Senator Nasheed moved that the above amendment be adopted and requested a roll call vote be taken. She was joined in her request by Senators Holsman, Onder, Schaaf and Schatz.

Senator Hegeman assumed the Chair.

At the request of Senator Pearce, **HCS** for **HB 2402**, with **SCS** and **SA 1** (pending), was placed on the Informal Calendar.

Senator Riddle moved that **HB 1443**, with **SA 1** (pending), be called from the Informal Calendar and again taken up for 3rd reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

SA 1 was again taken up.

At the request of Senator Pearce, the above amendment was withdrawn.

On motion of Senator Riddle, **HB 1443** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey
Wallingford	Walsh	Wasson	Wieland—32			

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Riddle, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Riddle moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

HCS for **HB 2379**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to amend chapters 167 and 633, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to dyslexia.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up by Senator Kehoe.

SCS for **HCS** for **HB 2379**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2379

An Act to amend chapters 167 and 633, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to dyslexia.

Was taken up.

Senator Kehoe offered **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2379**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2379

An Act to amend chapters 167 and 633, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to dyslexia.

Senator Kehoe moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2379** be adopted.

Senator Schupp offered **SA 1**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 2379, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3, by striking "dyslexia" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "student safety"; and

Further amend said bill, Page 4, Section 167.950, Line 2 of said page, by inserting after all of said line the following:

"**170.047. 1. Beginning in the 2017-2018 school year, any licensed educator may annually complete up to two hours of training or professional development in youth suicide awareness and prevention as part of the professional development hours required for state board of education certification.**

2. The department of elementary and secondary education shall develop guidelines suitable for training or professional development in youth suicide awareness and prevention. The department shall develop materials that may be used for such training or professional development.

3. For purposes of this section, the term "licensed educator" shall refer to any teacher with a certificate of license to teach issued by the state board of education or any other educator or administrator required to maintain a professional license issued by the state board of education.

4. The department of elementary and secondary education may promulgate rules and regulations to implement this section.

5. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010 that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536, and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536, to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void.

170.048. 1. By July 1, 2018, each district shall adopt a policy for youth suicide awareness and prevention, including plans for how the district will provide for the training and education of its district employees.

2. Each district's policy shall include, but not be limited to the following:

(1) Strategies that can help identify students who are at possible risk of suicide;

(2) Strategies and protocols for helping students at possible risk of suicide; and

(3) Protocols for responding to a suicide death.

3. By July 1, 2017, the department of elementary and secondary education shall develop a model policy that districts may adopt. When developing the model policy, the department shall cooperate, consult with, and seek input from organizations that have expertise in youth suicide awareness and prevention. By July 1, 2021, and at least every three years thereafter, the department shall request information and seek feedback from districts on their experience with the policy for youth suicide awareness and prevention. The department shall review this information and may use it to adapt the department's model policy. The department shall post any information on its website that it has

received from districts that it deems relevant. The department shall not post any confidential information or any information that personally identifies any student or school employee."; and

Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

Senator Schupp moved that the above amendment be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Senator Kehoe moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2379**, as amended, be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Kehoe, **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2379**, as amended, was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Onder
Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater	Schaaf
Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford
Walsh	Wasson	Wieland—31				

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senator Nasheed—1

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Kehoe, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Kehoe moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Onder moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

PRIVILEGED MOTIONS

Senator Schmitt, on behalf of the conference committee appointed to act with a like committee from the House on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 572**, as amended, moved that the following conference committee report be taken up, which motion prevailed.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 2 ON
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 572

The Conference Committee appointed on House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 572, with House Amendment No. 1 to House Amendment No. 1, House Amendment No. 1 as amended, House Amendment Nos. 2 and 3, House Amendment No. 1 to House Amendment No. 5, House Amendment No. 5 as amended, and House Amendment No. 6, begs leave

to report that we, after free and fair discussion of the differences, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to the respective bodies as follows:

1. That the House recede from its position on House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 572, as amended;

2. That the Senate recede from its position on Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 572;

3. That the attached Conference Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 572, be Third Read and Finally Passed.

FOR THE SENATE:	FOR THE HOUSE:
/s/ Eric Schmitt	/s/ Robert Cornejo
/s/ Kurt Schaefer	/s/ Joe Don McGaugh
/s/ Bob Dixon	/s/ Paul Curtman
/s/ Joseph P. Keaveny	/s/ John Rizzo
/s/ Jason Holsman	Gina Mitten

Senator Schmitt moved that the above conference committee report no. 2 be adopted, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Schaaf	Schaefer
Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford	Walsh
Wasson	Wieland—30					

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senators

Pearce Sater—2

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

On motion of Senator Schmitt, **CCS No. 2** for **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 572**, entitled:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE NO. 2 FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 572

An Act to repeal sections 67.287, 67.398, 67.451, 79.490, 80.570, 479.020, 479.350, 479.353, 479.359, 479.360, and 479.368, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof twenty-four new sections relating to local government, with penalty provisions.

Was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Schaaf
Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford
Walsh	Wieland—30					

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senators

Sater Wasson—2

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Schmitt, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Schmitt moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

HCS for **HB 1912**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 49.330, 49.410, 49.420, 49.430, 49.440, 50.660, 50.783, 50.790, 55.161, 64.875, 192.300, and 197.315, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof twelve new sections relating to political subdivisions, with penalty provisions, and an emergency clause for a certain section.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up by Senator Schatz.

SCS for **HCS** for **HB 1912**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1912

An Act to repeal sections 49.330, 49.410, 49.420, 49.430, 49.440, 50.660, 50.783, 50.790, 55.161, 64.875, 192.300, and 197.315, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof eleven new sections relating to political subdivisions, with penalty provisions and an emergency clause for a certain section.

Was taken up.

Senator Schatz moved that **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1912** be adopted.

Senator Schatz offered **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1912**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1912

An Act to repeal sections 49.098, 49.330, 49.410, 49.420, 49.430, 49.440, 50.660, 50.783, 50.790, 55.161, 64.875, 67.145, 137.100, 182.660, 192.300, 197.315, 214.160, 262.590, 315.005, and 473.730,

RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof twenty-four new sections relating to political subdivisions, with penalty provisions and an emergency clause for a certain section.

Senator Schatz moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1912** be adopted.

Senator Riddle assumed the Chair.

Senator Schatz offered **SA 1**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1912, Pages 14-15, Section 71.282 by striking all of said section from the bill; and

Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

Senator Schatz moved that the above amendment be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Senator Schatz offered **SA 2**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 2

Amend Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1912, Page 36, Section 321.553, Line 1 of said page, by inserting immediately after said line the following:

"393.1003. 1. Notwithstanding any provisions of chapter 386 and this chapter to the contrary, as of August 28, 2003, a water corporation providing water service in a county with a charter form of government and with more than one million inhabitants may file a petition and proposed rate schedules with the commission to establish or change ISRS rate schedules that will allow for the adjustment of the water corporation's rates and charges to provide for the recovery of costs for eligible infrastructure system replacements made in such county with a charter form of government and with more than one million inhabitants; provided that an ISRS, on an annualized basis, must produce ISRS revenues of at least one million dollars but not in excess of ten percent of the water corporation's base revenue level approved by the commission in the water corporation's most recent general rate proceeding. An ISRS and any future changes thereto shall be calculated and implemented in accordance with the provisions of sections 393.1000 to 393.1006. ISRS revenues shall be subject to refund based upon a finding and order of the commission, to the extent provided in subsections 5 and 8 of section 393.1006. **Once a county has come under the operation of this section, a subsequent loss of population shall not remove that county from the operation of that law. Such was the intent of the general assembly in the original enactment of this section.**

2. The commission shall not approve an ISRS for a water corporation in a county with a charter form of government and with more than one million inhabitants that has not had a general rate proceeding decided or dismissed by issuance of a commission order within the past three years, unless the water corporation has filed for or is the subject of a new general rate proceeding.

3. In no event shall a water corporation collect an ISRS for a period exceeding three years unless the water corporation has filed for or is the subject of a new general rate proceeding; provided that the ISRS may be collected until the effective date of new rate schedules established as a result of the new general rate proceeding, or until the subject general rate proceeding is otherwise decided or dismissed by issuance of a commission order without new rates being established."; and

Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

Senator Schatz moved that the above amendment be adopted, which motion prevailed.

At the request of Senator Schatz, **HCS** for **HB 1912**, with **SCS** and **SS** for **SCS** (pending), was placed on the Informal Calendar.

HB 1816, introduced by Representative Koenig, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 334.040, 334.104, 335.300, 335.305, 335.310, 335.315, 335.320, 335.325, 335.330, 335.335, 335.340, 335.345, 335.350, and 335.355, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof fifteen new sections relating to health care, with a contingent effective date for certain sections.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up by Senator Wasson.

Senator Pearce assumed the Chair.

SCS for **HB 1816**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1816

An Act to repeal sections 324.001, 334.040, 335.203, 335.300, 335.305, 335.310, 335.315, 335.320, 335.325, 335.330, 335.335, 335.340, 335.345, 335.350, 335.355, 336.020, 376.1237, and 630.175, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof thirty-four new sections relating to health care, with a contingent effective date for certain sections.

Was taken up.

Senator Wasson moved that **SCS** for **HB 1816** be adopted.

Senator Wasson offered **SS** for **SCS** for **HB 1816**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1816

An Act to repeal sections 324.001, 334.040, 335.203, 335.300, 335.305, 335.310, 335.315, 335.320, 335.325, 335.330, 335.335, 335.340, 335.345, 335.350, 335.355, 336.020, 376.1237, and 630.175, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof thirty-two new sections relating to health care providers, with a contingent effective date for certain sections.

Senator Wasson moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HB 1816** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Wasson, **SS** for **SCS** for **HB 1816** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Onder
Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater	Schaaf
Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford
Walsh	Wasson—30					

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senators

Nasheed Wieland—2

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Wasson, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Wasson moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

HCS for **HB 1696**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to amend chapter 161, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the Missouri commission for the deaf and hard of hearing.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up by Senator Riddle.

SCS for **HCS** for **HB 1696**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1696

An Act to amend chapter 161, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the Missouri commission for the deaf and hard of hearing.

Was taken up.

Senator Onder assumed the Chair.

Senator Riddle moved that **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1696** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Riddle, **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1696** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Riddle	Romine	Sater	Schaaf	Schaefer
Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford	Walsh
Wasson	Wieland—30					

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senators

Pearce Richard—2

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Riddle, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Riddle moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

Senator Keaveny moved that **HCS** for **HB 1941**, with **SCS**, **SS** for **SCS** and **SA 1** (pending), be called from the Informal Calendar and again taken up for 3rd reading and final passage, which motion prevailed.

SA 1 was again taken up.

At the request of Senator Schaaf, the above amendment was withdrawn.

Senator Pearce assumed the Chair.

Under the provisions of Senate Rule 91, Senator Walsh was excused from voting on the adoption of **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1941** and third reading of the bill.

Senator Keaveny moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1941** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Keaveny, **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1941** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Libla
Munzlinger	Nasheed	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schatz	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford	Wasson—20	

NAYS—Senators

Brown	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman	Kraus	Parson	Schaaf
Schaefer	Schmitt	Wieland—10				

Absent—Senator Onder—1

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Excused from voting—Senator Walsh—1

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Keaveny, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Keaveny moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

HCS for **HBs 1434** and **1600**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 99.805, 99.820, and 99.825, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to tax increment financing.

Was taken up by Senator Walsh.

SCS for **HCS** for **HBs 1434** and **1600**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NOS. 1434 and 1600

An Act to repeal sections 99.805, 99.820, 99.825, 99.845, and 99.865, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof five new sections relating to tax increment financing.

Was taken up.

Senator Walsh moved that **SCS** for **HCS** for **HBs 1434** and **1600** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Walsh, **SCS** for **HCS** for **HBs 1434** and **1600** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Dixon	Emery	Hegeman
Holsman	Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed
Onder	Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater
Schaaf	Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey
Wallingford	Walsh	Wasson	Wieland—32			

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Walsh, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Walsh moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

HCS for **HB 2376**, with **SCS**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 68.057 and 536.031, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof six new sections relating to construction regulation.

Was called from the Informal Calendar and taken up by Senator Wasson.

SCS for **HCS** for **HB 2376**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2376

An Act to repeal sections 68.057 and 536.031, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof five new sections relating to construction regulation.

Was taken up.

Senator Wasson moved that **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2376** be adopted.

Senator Wasson offered **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2376**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2376

An Act to repeal section 227.107, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to construction regulation.

Senator Wasson moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2376** be adopted.

Senator Kehoe offered **SA 1**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 2376, Page 2, Section 67.5050, Line 14 of said page, by inserting immediately after "3." the following: "**The political subdivision shall publicly disclose at a regular meeting its intent to utilize the construction management at-risk method and its selection criteria at least one week prior to publishing the request for qualifications.**"; and

Further amend said bill, page 11, section 67.5060, line 1 of said page, by inserting immediately after "4." the following: "**The political subdivision shall publicly disclose at a regular meeting its intent to utilize the design-build method and its project design criteria at least one week prior to publishing the request for proposals.**".

Senator Kehoe moved that the above amendment be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Senator Wasson moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2376**, as amended, be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Wasson, **SS** for **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 2376** was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Brown	Chappelle-Nadal	Cunningham	Curls	Emery	Hegeman	Holsman
Keaveny	Kehoe	Kraus	Libla	Munzlinger	Nasheed	Onder
Parson	Pearce	Richard	Riddle	Romine	Sater	Schaaf
Schaefer	Schatz	Schmitt	Schupp	Sifton	Silvey	Wallingford
Walsh	Wasson	Wieland—31				

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senator Dixon—1

Absent with leave—Senators—None

Vacancies—2

The President declared the bill passed.

On motion of Senator Wasson, title to the bill was agreed to.

Senator Wasson moved that the vote by which the bill passed be reconsidered.

Senator Kehoe moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

The following messages were received from the House of Representatives through its Chief Clerk:

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in **SA 1** to **HB 1568** and has taken up and passed **HB 1568**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SS** for **HCS** for **HB 1477** and has taken up and passed **SS** for **HCS** for **HB 1477**.

Emergency clause adopted.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS**, as amended, for **HCS** for **HB 1976** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1976**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS**, as amended, for **HCS** for **HB 1583** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HCS** for **HB 1583**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS** for **HCS** for **HBs 1646**, **2132** and **1621** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HCS** for **HBs 1646**, **2132** and **1621**.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SS**, as amended, for **HB 1733** and has taken up and passed **SS** for **HB 1733**, as amended.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House refuses to recede from its position on **HCS** for **SB 833**, as amended, and grants the Senate a conference thereon.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House refuses to recede from its position on **SB 627** with **HA 1**, **HA 2**, **HA 3**, **HA 1** to **HA 4**, **HA 4** as amended, **HA 5**, **HA 6**, and grants the Senate a conference thereon.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House refuses to recede from its position on **HCS** for **SS** for **SB 799**, as amended, and grants the Senate a conference thereon.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House refuses to recede from its position on **HCS** for **SB 997**, as amended, and grants the Senate a conference thereon.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House refuses to recede from its position on **HCS** for **SB 735**, as amended, and grants the Senate a conference thereon.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House refuses to recede from its position on **HCS** for **SCS** for **SB 861**, as amended, and grants the Senate a conference thereon.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House refuses to recede from its position on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 986**, as amended, and grants the Senate a conference thereon.

Also,

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on **HCS** for **SB 997**, as amended. Representatives: Cookson, Dohrman, Lichtenegger, Kendrick, and Arthur.

Also,

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on **HCS** for **SCS** for **SB 861**, as amended. Representatives: McCaherty, Hough, Ruth, Rizzo, and LaFaver.

Also,

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on **HCS** for **SB 833**, as amended. Representatives: Fitzwater (49), McGaugh, Hill, LaFaver, and Otto.

Also,

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on **HCS** for **SS** for **SB 799**, as amended. Representatives: McCaherty, Fraker, Swan, Rizzo, and Nichols.

Also,

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on **HCS** for **SB 735**, as amended. Representatives: Cornejo, McGaugh, Haahr, Colona, and Mitten.

Also,

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 986**, as amended. Representatives: Wiemann, Johnson, Ross, Conway (10), and Kendrick.

Also,

Mr. President: The Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following committee to act with a like committee from the Senate on **SB 627**, as amended. Representatives: English, Solon, Frederick, Dunn, and Mims.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and passed **SB 1002**.

Bill ordered enrolled.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted the Conference Committee Report on **HCS** for **SCS** for **SB 578**, as amended, and has taken up and passed **CCS** for **HCS** for **SCS** for **SB 578**.

Bill ordered enrolled.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted the Conference Committee Report on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SBs 865** & **866**, as amended, and has taken up and passed **CCS** for **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SBs 865** & **866**.

Bill ordered enrolled.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted the Conference Committee Report on **SB 700**, as amended, and has taken up and passed **CCS** for **SB 700**.

Bill ordered enrolled.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and passed **HCS** for **SCS** for **SB 996**, entitled:

An Act to repeal sections 160.415, 161.216, 162.720, and 163.031, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof four new sections relating to elementary and secondary education, with a delayed effective date for a certain section and an emergency clause for a certain section.

With House Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 996, Page 8, Section 163.031, Line 99, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**167.266. 1. Beginning with the 2016-17 school year, the board of education of a school district or a charter school that is a local educational agency may establish an academic and career counseling program in cooperation with parents and the local community that is in the best interest of and meets the needs of students in the community. School districts and local educational agencies may use the Missouri comprehensive guidance and counseling program as a resource for the development of a district's or local educational agency's program. The department of elementary and secondary education shall develop a process for recognition of a school district's academic and career counseling program established in cooperation with parents and the local community no later than January 1, 2017.**

2. The state board of education shall promulgate rules and regulations for the implementation of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2016, shall be invalid and void.

167.903. 1. Each student prior to his or her ninth grade year at a public school, including a charter school, may develop with help from the school's guidance counselors a personal plan of study, which shall be reviewed regularly, as needed by school personnel and the student's parent or guardian and updated based upon the needs of the student. Each plan shall present a sequence of courses and experiences that conclude with the student reaching his or her postsecondary goals, with implementation of the plan of study transferring to the program of postsecondary education or training upon the student's high school graduation. The plan shall include, but not be limited to:

(1) Requirements for graduation from the school district or charter school;

(2) Career or postsecondary goals;

(3) Coursework or program of study related to career and postsecondary goals, which shall include, if relevant, opportunities that the district or school may not directly offer;

(4) Grade-appropriate and career-related experiences, as outlined in the grade-level expectations of the Missouri comprehensive guidance program; and

(5) Student assessments, interest inventories, or academic results needed to develop, review, and revise the personal plan of study, which shall include, if relevant, assessments, inventories, or academic results that the school district or charter school may not offer.

2. Each school district shall adopt a policy to permit the waiver of the requirements of this section for any student with a disability if recommended by the student's IEP committee. For purposes of this subsection, "IEP" means individualized education program.

167.905. 1. By July 1, 2018, each school district shall develop a policy and implement a measurable system for identifying students in their ninth grade year, or students who transfer into the school subsequent to their ninth grade year, who are at risk of not being ready for college-level work or for entry-level career positions. Districts shall include, but are not limited to, the following sources of information:

(1) A student's performance on the Missouri assessment program test in eighth grade in English language arts and mathematics;

(2) A student's comparable statewide assessment performance if such student transferred from another state;

(3) The district's overall reported remediation rate under section 173.750; and

(4) A student's attendance rate.

2. The district policy shall require academic and career counseling to take place prior to graduation so that the school may attempt to provide sufficient opportunities to the student to graduate college-ready or career-ready and on time.

3. Each school district shall adopt a policy to permit the waiver of the requirements of this section for any student with a disability if recommended by the student's IEP committee. For purposes of this subsection, "IEP" means individualized education program.

168.021. 1. Certificates of license to teach in the public schools of the state shall be granted as follows:

(1) By the state board, under rules and regulations prescribed by it:

(a) Upon the basis of college credit;

(b) Upon the basis of examination;

(2) By the state board, under rules and regulations prescribed by the state board with advice from the advisory council established by section 168.015 to any individual who presents to the state board a valid doctoral degree from an accredited institution of higher education accredited by a regional accrediting association such as North Central Association. Such certificate shall be limited to the major area of postgraduate study of the holder, shall be issued only after successful completion of the examination required for graduation pursuant to rules adopted by the state board of education, and shall be restricted to those certificates established pursuant to subdivision (1) of subsection 3 of this section;

(3) By the state board, which shall issue the professional certificate classification in both the general and specialized areas most closely aligned with the current areas of certification approved by the state board, commensurate with the years of teaching experience of the applicant, and based upon the following criteria:

(a) Recommendation of a state-approved baccalaureate-level teacher preparation program;

(b) Successful attainment of the Missouri qualifying score on the exit assessment for teachers or administrators designated by the state board of education. Applicants who have not successfully achieved a qualifying score on the designated examinations will be issued a two-year nonrenewable provisional certificate; and

(c) Upon completion of a background check as prescribed in section 168.133 and possession of a valid teaching certificate in the state from which the applicant's teacher preparation program was completed;

(4) By the state board, under rules prescribed by it, on the basis of a relevant bachelor's degree, or higher degree, and a passing score for the designated exit examination, for individuals whose academic degree and professional experience are suitable to provide a basis for instruction solely in the subject matter of banking or financial responsibility, at the discretion of the state board. Such certificate shall be limited to the major area of study of the holder and shall be restricted to those certificates established under subdivision (1) of subsection 3 of this section. Holders of certificates granted under this subdivision shall be exempt from the teacher tenure act under sections 168.102 to 168.130 and each school district shall have the decision-making authority on whether to hire the holders of such certificates; **[**or**]**

(5) By the state board, under rules and regulations prescribed by it, on the basis of certification by the American Board for Certification of Teacher Excellence (ABCTE) and verification of ability to work with children as demonstrated by sixty contact hours in any one of the following areas as validated by the school principal: sixty contact hours in the classroom, of which at least forty-five must be teaching; sixty contact hours as a substitute teacher, with at least thirty consecutive hours in the same classroom; sixty contact hours of teaching in a private school; or sixty contact hours of teaching as a paraprofessional, for an initial four-year ABCTE certificate of license to teach, except that such certificate shall not be granted for the areas of early childhood education, or special education. For certification in the area of elementary education, ninety contact hours in the classroom shall be required, of which at least thirty shall be in an elementary classroom. Upon the completion of the requirements listed in paragraphs (a), (b), (c), and (d) of this subdivision, an applicant shall be eligible to apply for a career continuous professional certificate under subdivision (2) of subsection 3 of this section:

(a) Completion of thirty contact hours of professional development within four years, which may include hours spent in class in an appropriate college curriculum;

(b) Validated completion of two years of the mentoring program of the American Board for Certification of Teacher Excellence or a district mentoring program approved by the state board of education;

(c) Attainment of a successful performance-based teacher evaluation; and

(d) Participate in a beginning teacher assistance program**; or**

(6) By the state board, under rules and regulations prescribed by it, which shall issue an initial visiting scholars certificate at the discretion of the board, based on the following criteria:

(a) Verification from the hiring school district that the applicant will be employed as part of a business-education partnership initiative designed to build career pathways systems for students in a grade or grades not lower than the ninth grade for which the applicant's academic degree or professional experience qualifies him or her;

(b) Appropriate and relevant bachelor's degree or higher, occupational license, or industry-recognized credential;

(c) Completion of the application for a one-year visiting scholars certificate; and

(d) Completion of a background check as prescribed under section 168.133.

The initial visiting scholars certificate shall certify the holder of such certificate to teach for one year. An applicant shall be eligible to renew an initial visiting scholars certificate a maximum of two times, based upon the completion of the requirements listed under paragraphs (a), (b), and (d) of this subdivision; completion of professional development required by the school district and school; and

attainment of a satisfactory performance-based teacher evaluation.

2. All valid teaching certificates issued pursuant to law or state board policies and regulations prior to September 1, 1988, shall be exempt from the professional development requirements of this section and shall continue in effect until they expire, are revoked or suspended, as provided by law. When such certificates are required to be renewed, the state board or its designee shall grant to each holder of such a certificate the certificate most nearly equivalent to the one so held. Anyone who holds, as of August 28, 2003, a valid PC-I, PC-II, or continuous professional certificate shall, upon expiration of his or her current certificate, be issued the appropriate level of certificate based upon the classification system established pursuant to subsection 3 of this section.

3. Certificates of license to teach in the public schools of the state shall be based upon minimum requirements prescribed by the state board of education which shall include completion of a background check as prescribed in section 168.133. The state board shall provide for the following levels of professional certification: an initial professional certificate and a career continuous professional certificate.

(1) The initial professional certificate shall be issued upon completion of requirements established by the state board of education and shall be valid based upon verification of actual teaching within a specified time period established by the state board of education. The state board shall require holders of the four-year initial professional certificate to:

(a) Participate in a mentoring program approved and provided by the district for a minimum of two years;

(b) Complete thirty contact hours of professional development, which may include hours spent in class in an appropriate college curriculum, or for holders of a certificate under subdivision (4) of subsection 1 of this section, an amount of professional development in proportion to the certificate holder's hours in the classroom, if the certificate holder is employed less than full time; and

(c) Participate in a beginning teacher assistance program.

(2) (a) The career continuous professional certificate shall be issued upon verification of completion of four years of teaching under the initial professional certificate and upon verification of the completion of the requirements articulated in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of subdivision (1) of this subsection or paragraphs (a), (b), (c), and (d) of subdivision (5) of subsection 1 of this section.

(b) The career continuous professional certificate shall be continuous based upon verification of actual employment in an educational position as provided for in state board guidelines and completion of fifteen contact hours of professional development per year which may include hours spent in class in an appropriate college curriculum. Should the possessor of a valid career continuous professional certificate fail, in any given year, to meet the fifteen-hour professional development requirement, the possessor may, within two years, make up the missing hours. In order to make up for missing hours, the possessor shall first complete the fifteen-hour requirement for the current year and then may count hours in excess of the current year requirement as make-up hours. Should the possessor fail to make up the missing hours within two years, the certificate shall become inactive. In order to reactivate the certificate, the possessor shall complete twenty-four contact hours of professional development which may include hours spent in the classroom in an appropriate college curriculum within the six months prior to or after reactivating his or her certificate. The requirements of this paragraph shall be monitored and verified by the local school district which employs the holder of the career continuous professional certificate.

(c) A holder of a career continuous professional certificate shall be exempt from the professional development contact hour requirements of paragraph (b) of this subdivision if such teacher has a local professional development plan in place within such teacher's school district and meets two of the three following criteria:

a. Has ten years of teaching experience as defined by the state board of education;

b. Possesses a master's degree; or

c. Obtains a rigorous national certification as approved by the state board of education.

4. Policies and procedures shall be established by which a teacher who was not retained due to a reduction in force may retain the current level of certification. There shall also be established policies and procedures allowing a teacher who has not been employed in an educational position for three years or more to reactivate his or her last level of certification by completing twenty-four contact hours of professional development which may include hours spent in the classroom in an appropriate college curriculum within the six months prior to or after reactivating his or her certificate.

5. The state board shall, upon completion of a background check as prescribed in section 168.133, issue a professional certificate classification in the areas most closely aligned with an applicant's current areas of certification, commensurate with the years of teaching experience of the applicant, to any person who is hired to teach in a public school in this state and who possesses a valid teaching certificate from another state or certification under subdivision (4) of subsection 1 of this section, provided that the certificate holder shall annually complete the state board's requirements for such level of certification, and shall establish policies by which residents of states other than the state of Missouri may be assessed a fee for a certificate **of** license to teach in the public schools of Missouri. Such fee shall be in an amount sufficient to recover any or all costs associated with the issuing of a certificate of license to teach. The board shall promulgate rules to authorize the issuance of a provisional certificate of license, which shall allow the holder to assume classroom duties pending the completion of a criminal background check under section 168.133, for any applicant who:

(1) Is the spouse of a member of the Armed Forces stationed in Missouri;

(2) Relocated from another state within one year of the date of application;

(3) Underwent a criminal background check in order to be issued a teaching certificate of license from another state; and

(4) Otherwise qualifies under this section.

6. The state board may assess to holders of an initial professional certificate a fee, to be deposited into the excellence in education revolving fund established pursuant to section 160.268, for the issuance of the career continuous professional certificate. However, such fee shall not exceed the combined costs of issuance and any criminal background check required as a condition of issuance. Applicants for the initial ABCTE certificate shall be responsible for any fees associated with the program leading to the issuance of the certificate, but nothing in this section shall prohibit a district from developing a policy that permits fee reimbursement.

7. Any member of the public school retirement system of Missouri who entered covered employment with ten or more years of educational experience in another state or states and held a certificate issued by another state and subsequently worked in a school district covered by the public school retirement system

of Missouri for ten or more years who later became certificated in Missouri shall have that certificate dated back to his or her original date of employment in a Missouri public school.

173.750. 1. By July 1, 1995, the coordinating board for higher education, within existing resources provided to the department of higher education and by rule and regulation, shall have established and implemented a procedure for annually reporting the performance of graduates of public high schools in the state during the student's initial year in the public colleges and universities of the state. The purpose of such reports shall be to assist in determining how high schools are preparing students for successful college and university performance. The report produced pursuant to this subsection shall annually be furnished to the state board of education for reporting pursuant to subsection 4 of section 161.610 and shall not be used for any other purpose **until such time that a standard process and consistent, specific criteria for determining a student's need for remedial coursework is agreed upon by the coordinating board for higher education, higher education institutions, and the state board of education**.

2. The procedures shall be designed so that the reporting is made by the name of each high school in the state, with individual student data to be grouped according to the high school from which the students graduated. The data in the reports shall be disaggregated by race and sex. The procedures shall not be designed so that the reporting contains the name of any student. No grade point average shall be disclosed under subsection 3 of this section in any case where three or fewer students from a particular high school attend a particular college or university.

3. The data reported shall include grade point averages after the initial college year, calculated on, or adjusted to, a four point grade scale; the percentage of students returning to college after the first and second half of the initial college year, or after each trimester of the initial college year; the percentage of students taking noncollege level classes in basic academic courses during the first college year, or remedial courses in basic academic subjects of English, mathematics, or reading; and other such data as determined by rule and regulation of the coordinating board for higher education.

4. The department of elementary and secondary education shall conduct a review of its policies and procedures relating to remedial education in light of the best practices in remediation identified as required by subdivision (6) of subsection 2 of section 173.005 to ensure that school districts are informed about best practices to reduce the need for remediation. The department shall present its results to the joint committee on education by October 31, 2017."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 2

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 996, Page 1, Section A, Line 3, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"160.011. As used in chapters 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 167, 168, 170, 171, 177 and 178, the following terms mean:

(1) "District" or "school district", when used alone, may include seven-director, urban, and metropolitan school districts;

(2) "Elementary school", a public school giving instruction in a grade or grades not higher than the eighth grade;

(3) "Family literacy programs", services of sufficient intensity in terms of hours, and of sufficient

duration, to make sustainable changes in families that include:

(a) Interactive literacy activities between parents and their children;

(b) Training of parents regarding how to be the primary teacher of their children and full partners in the education of their children;

(c) Parent literacy training that leads to high school completion and economic self sufficiency; and

(d) An age-appropriate education to prepare children of all ages for success in school;

(4) "Graduation rate", the quotient of the number of graduates in the current year as of June thirtieth divided by the sum of the number of graduates in the current year as of June thirtieth plus the number of twelfth graders who dropped out in the current year plus the number of eleventh graders who dropped out in the preceding year plus the number of tenth graders who dropped out in the second preceding year plus the number of ninth graders who dropped out in the third preceding year;

(5) "High school", a public school giving instruction in a grade or grades not lower than the ninth nor higher than the twelfth grade;

(6) "Metropolitan school district", any school district the boundaries of which are coterminous with the limits of any city which is not within a county;

(7) "Public school" includes all elementary and high schools operated at public expense;

(8) "School board", the board of education having general control of the property and affairs of any school district;

(9) "School term", a minimum of one hundred seventy-four school days, as that term is defined in section 160.041, for schools with a five-day school week or a minimum of one hundred forty-two school days, as that term is defined in section 160.041, for schools with a four-day school week, and one thousand forty-four hours of actual pupil attendance as scheduled by the board pursuant to section 171.031 during a twelve-month period in which the academic instruction of pupils is actually and regularly carried on for a group of students in the public schools of any school district. **In the school year 2017-18 and subsequent years, one thousand forty-four hours of actual pupil attendance shall be required with no minimum number of school days required.** A school term may be within a school year or may consist of parts of two consecutive school years, but does not include summer school. A district may choose to operate two or more terms for different groups of children. A school term for students participating in a school flex program as established in section 160.539 may consist of a combination of actual pupil attendance and attendance at college or technical career education or approved employment aligned with the student's career academic plan for a total of **[**one thousand forty-four**]** **the required number of** hours **as provided in this subdivision**;

(10) "Secretary", the secretary of the board of a school district;

(11) "Seven-director district", any school district which has seven directors and includes urban districts regardless of the number of directors an urban district may have unless otherwise provided by law;

(12) "Taxpayer", any individual who has paid taxes to the state or any subdivision thereof within the immediately preceding twelve-month period or the spouse of such individual;

(13) "Town", any town or village, whether or not incorporated, the plat of which has been filed in the office of the recorder of deeds of the county in which it is situated;

(14) "Urban school district", any district which includes more than half of the population or land area of any city which has not less than seventy thousand inhabitants, other than a city which is not within a county.

160.041. 1. The "minimum school day" consists of three hours for schools with a five-day school week or four hours for schools with a four-day school week in which the pupils are under the guidance and direction of teachers in the teaching process. A "school month" consists of four weeks of five days each for schools with a five-day school week or four weeks of four days each for schools with a four-day school week. **In the school year 2017-18 and subsequent years, no minimum number of school days shall be required, and each school district shall define, for itself, the term "school day" or "minimum school day".** The "school year" commences on the first day of July and ends on the thirtieth day of June following.

2. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1 of this section, the commissioner of education is authorized to reduce the required number of hours **[**and**] or** days in which the pupils are under the guidance and direction of teachers in the teaching process if:

(1) There is damage to or destruction of a public school facility which requires the dual utilization of another school facility; or

(2) Flooding or other inclement weather as defined in subsection 1 of section 171.033 prevents students from attending the public school facility.

Such reduction shall not extend beyond two calendar years in duration."; and

Further amend said bill, Page 8, Section 163.031, Line 99, by inserting immediately after said line the following:

"171.031. 1. Each school board shall prepare annually a calendar for the school term, specifying the opening date**, days of planned attendance,** and providing a minimum term of at least one hundred seventy-four days for schools with a five-day school week or one hundred forty-two days for schools with a four-day school week, and one thousand forty-four hours of actual pupil attendance. **In the school year 2017-18 and subsequent years, one thousand forty-four hours of actual pupil attendance shall be required for the school term with no minimum number of school days.** In addition, such calendar shall include six make-up days for possible loss of attendance due to inclement weather as defined in subsection 1 of section 171.033. **In the school year 2017-18 and subsequent years, such calendar shall include thirty-six make-up hours for possible loss of attendance due to inclement weather, as defined under subsection 1 of section 171.033, with no minimum number of make-up days.**

2. Each local school district may set its opening date each year, which date shall be no earlier than ten calendar days prior to the first Monday in September. No public school district shall select an earlier start date unless the district follows the procedure set forth in subsection 3 of this section.

3. A district may set an opening date that is more than ten calendar days prior to the first Monday in September only if the local school board first gives public notice of a public meeting to discuss the proposal of opening school on a date more than ten days prior to the first Monday in September, and the local school board holds said meeting and, at the same public meeting, a majority of the board votes to allow an earlier opening date. If all of the previous conditions are met, the district may set its opening date more than ten calendar days prior to the first Monday in September. The condition provided in this subsection must be satisfied by the local school board each year that the board proposes an opening date more than ten days before the first Monday in September.

4. If any local district violates the provisions of this section, the department of elementary and secondary education shall withhold an amount equal to one quarter of the state funding the district generated under section 163.031 for each date the district was in violation of this section.

5. The provisions of subsections 2 to 4 of this section shall not apply to school districts in which school is in session for twelve months of each calendar year.

6. The state board of education may grant an exemption from this section to a school district that demonstrates highly unusual and extenuating circumstances justifying exemption from the provisions of subsections 2 to 4 of this section. Any exemption granted by the state board of education shall be valid for one academic year only.

7. **[**No school day for schools with a five-day school week shall be longer than seven hours except for vocational schools which may adopt an eight-hour day in a metropolitan school district and a school district in a first class county adjacent to a city not within a county, and any school that adopts a four-day school week in accordance with section 171.029.**] No cap on the number of hours in a school day shall be imposed on school districts.**

171.033. 1. "Inclement weather", for purposes of this section, shall be defined as ice, snow, extreme cold, flooding, or a tornado, but such term shall not include excessive heat.

2. A district shall be required to make up the first six days of school lost or cancelled due to inclement weather and half the number of days lost or cancelled in excess of six days if the makeup of the days is necessary to ensure that the district's students will attend a minimum of one hundred forty-two days and a minimum of one thousand forty-four hours for the school year except as otherwise provided in this section. Schools with a four-day school week may schedule such make-up days on Fridays. **Notwithstanding the above, in the school year 2017-18 and subsequent years, a district shall be required to make up the first thirty-six hours of school lost or cancelled due to inclement weather and half the number of hours lost or cancelled in excess of thirty-six if the makeup of the hours is necessary to ensure that the district's students attend a minimum of one thousand forty-four hours for the school year.**

3. In the 2009-10 school year and **all** subsequent years **through the 2016-17 school year** , a school district may be exempt from the requirement to make up days of school lost or cancelled due to inclement weather in the school district when the school district has made up the six days required under subsection 2 of this section and half the number of additional lost or cancelled days up to eight days, resulting in no more than ten total make-up days required by this section.

4. The commissioner of education may provide, for any school district **[**in which schools are in session for twelve months of each calendar year**]** that cannot meet the minimum school calendar requirement of at least one hundred seventy-four days for schools with a five-day school week or one hundred forty-two days for schools with a four-day school week and one thousand forty-four hours of actual pupil attendance **or, in the school year 2017-18 and subsequent years, one thousand forty-four hours of actual pupil attendance** , upon request, a waiver to be excused from such requirement. This waiver shall be requested from the commissioner of education and may be granted if the school was closed due to circumstances beyond school district control, including inclement weather, flooding or fire."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 3

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 996, Page 8,

Section 163.031, Line 99, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"167.225. 1. As used in this section, the following terms mean:

(1) **[**"Blind persons", individuals who:

(a) Have a visual acuity of 20/200 or less in the better eye with conventional correction, or have a limited field of vision such that the widest diameter of the visual field subtends an angular distance not greater than twenty degrees; or

(b) Have a reasonable expectation of visual deterioration; or

(c) Cannot read printed material at a competitive rate of speed and with facility due to lack of visual acuity**] "Assessment", the National Reading Media Assessment or another research-based assessment or series of research-based assessments authorized under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act that determines a student's reading and writing skills, needs, and appropriate reading and writing media and addresses the student's academic and functional strengths, deficits, as well as the student's current and future educational needs** ;

(2) "Braille", the system of reading and writing through touch **[**commonly known as standard English Braille**]**;

(3) "Student", any student who **[**is blind or any student eligible for special education services for visually impaired as defined in P.L. 94-142**] is eligible for special education services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and who:**

(a) Has an impairment in vision that, even with correction, adversely affects a child's educational performance;

(b) Has a reasonable expectation of visual deterioration; or

(c) Cannot read printed material at a competitive rate of speed and with facility due to lack of visual acuity or field.

2. All students **[**may**] shall** receive instruction in Braille reading and writing as part of their individualized education plan **unless, as a result of an assessment, instruction in Braille or the use of Braille is determined not appropriate for the student**. No student shall be denied the opportunity of instruction in Braille reading and writing solely because the student has some remaining vision.

3. Instruction in Braille reading and writing shall be sufficient to enable each student to communicate effectively and efficiently at a level commensurate with his sighted peers of comparable grade level and intellectual functioning. The student's individualized education plan shall specify:

(1) How Braille will be implemented as the primary mode for learning through integration with normal classroom activities. If Braille will not be provided to a child who is blind, the reason for not incorporating it in the individualized education plan shall be documented therein;

(2) The date on which Braille instruction will commence;

(3) The level of competency in Braille reading and writing to be achieved by the end of the period covered by the individualized education plan; and

(4) The duration of each session.

4. As part of the certification process, teachers certified in the education of blind and visually impaired children shall be required to demonstrate competence in reading and writing Braille. The department of elementary and secondary education shall adopt assessment procedures to assess such competencies which are consistent with standards adopted by the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress, Washington, D. C.

5. Under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act or sections 162.959 to 162.963, parents of students as defined under subdivision (3) of subsection 1 of section 167.255 shall have the right to:

(1) An independent evaluation at public expense for any agency evaluation, including the assessment established under subdivision (1) of subsection 1 of section 167.225;

(2) Mediation to allow parents and schools to resolve disagreements involving the IEP teams determination of the need for Braille instruction;

(3) File a due process complaint with the department of elementary and secondary education concerning the proposed action of the agency regarding provision of Braille instruction or any other matter related to the provision of a free appropriate public education to the student which will be forwarded to the Administrative Hearing Commission for an impartial hearing; and

(4) A resolution meeting convened by the school with the parent and the relevant members of the IEP team who have specific knowledge of the facts identified in the due process complaint to discuss the due process complaint and the facts that form the basis of the complaint so that the school and parent have the opportunity to resolve the dispute. "; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 4

Amend House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 996, Page 1, Section A, Line 3, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"**67.1790. 1. The governing body of any county of the first classification with more than two hundred sixty thousand but fewer than three hundred thousand inhabitants or any city within such county may impose by order or ordinance a sales tax on all retail sales made within the county or city that are subject to sales tax under chapter 144 for the purpose of funding early childhood education programs in the county or city. The tax shall not exceed one quarter of one percent and shall be imposed solely for the purpose of funding early childhood education programs in the county or city. The tax authorized in this section shall be in addition to all other sales taxes imposed by law and shall be stated separately from all other charges and taxes. The order or ordinance imposing a sales tax under this section shall not become effective unless the governing body of the county or city submits to the voters residing within the county or city, at a general election, a proposal to authorize the governing body of the county or city to impose a tax under this section.**

2. The question of whether the tax authorized by this section shall be imposed shall be submitted in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Shall ..... (name of county/city) impose a (countywide/citywide) sales tax at a rate of (insert rate) percent for the purpose of funding early childhood education in the county or city?

☐ YES ☐ NO

If you are in favor of the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "YES". If you are opposed to the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "NO".

If a majority of the votes cast on the question by the qualified voters voting thereon are in favor of the question, the order or ordinance shall become effective on the first day of the second calendar quarter after the director of revenue receives notice of the adoption of the tax. If a majority of the votes cast on the question by the qualified voters voting thereon are opposed to the question, the county or city may not impose the sales tax authorized under this section unless and until the question is resubmitted under this section to the qualified voters and such question is approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting on the question.

3. On or after the effective date of any tax authorized under this section, the county or city that imposed the tax shall enter into an agreement with the director of the department of revenue for the purpose of collecting the tax authorized in this section. On or after the effective date of the tax the director of revenue shall be responsible for the administration, collection, enforcement, and operation of the tax, and sections 32.085 and 32.087 shall apply. All revenue collected under this section by the director of the department of revenue on behalf of any county or city, except for one percent for the cost of collection which shall be deposited in the state's general revenue fund, shall be deposited in a special trust fund, which is hereby created and shall be known as the "Early Childhood Education Sales Tax Trust Fund" and shall be used solely for the designated purposes. Moneys in the fund shall not be deemed to be state funds and shall not be commingled with any funds of the state. The director may make refunds from the amounts in the trust fund and credited to the county or city for erroneous payments and overpayments made and may redeem dishonored checks and drafts deposited to the credit of such county or city. Any funds in the special trust fund that are not needed for current expenditures shall be invested in the same manner as other funds are invested. Any interest and moneys earned on such investments shall be credited to the fund.

4. In order to permit sellers required to collect and report the sales tax to collect the amount required to be reported and remitted, but not to change the requirements of reporting or remitting the tax, or to serve as a levy of the tax, and in order to avoid fractions of pennies, the governing body of the county or city may authorize the use of a bracket system similar to that authorized under section 144.285, and notwithstanding the provisions of that section, this new bracket system shall be used where this tax is imposed and shall apply to all taxable transactions. Beginning with the effective date of the tax, every retailer in the county or city shall add the sales tax to the sale price, and this tax shall be a debt of the purchaser to the retailer until paid and shall be recoverable at law in the same manner as the purchase price. For purposes of this section, all retail sales shall be deemed to be consummated at the place of business of the retailer.

5. All applicable provisions under sections 144.010 to 144.525 governing the state sales tax, and section 32.057, the uniform confidentiality provision, shall apply to the collection of the tax, and all exemptions granted to agencies of government, organizations, and persons under sections 144.010 to 144.525 are hereby made applicable to the imposition and collection of the tax. The same sales tax permit, exemption certificate, and retail certificate required under sections 144.010 to 144.525 for the administration and collection of the state sales tax shall satisfy the requirements of this section, and no additional permit or exemption certificate or retail certificate shall be required; except that, the

director of revenue may prescribe a form of exemption certificate for an exemption from the tax. All discounts allowed the retailer under the state sales tax for the collection of and for payment of taxes are hereby allowed and made applicable to the tax. The penalties for violations provided under section 32.057 and sections 144.010 to 144.525 are hereby made applicable to violations of this section. If any person is delinquent in the payment of the amount required to be paid under this section, or in the event a determination has been made against the person for taxes and penalty under this section, the limitation for bringing suit for the collection of the delinquent tax and penalty shall be the same as that provided under sections 144.010 to 144.525.

6. The governing body of any county or city that has adopted the sales tax authorized in this section may submit the question of repeal of the tax to the voters at a general election. The ballot of submission shall be in substantially the following form:

Shall ..... (insert the name of the county or city) repeal the sales tax imposed at a rate of ..... (insert rate) percent for the purpose of funding early childhood education in the county or city?

☐ YES ☐ NO

If you are in favor of the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "YES". If you are opposed to the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "NO".

If a majority of the votes cast on the question by the qualified voters voting thereon are in favor of repeal, that repeal shall become effective on December thirty-first of the calendar year in which such repeal was approved. If a majority of the votes cast on the question by the qualified voters voting thereon are opposed to the repeal, then the sales tax authorized in this section shall remain effective until the question is resubmitted under this section to the qualified voters and the repeal is approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting on the question.

7. Whenever the governing body of any county or city that has adopted the sales tax authorized in this section receives a petition, signed by ten percent of the registered voters of the county or city voting in the last gubernatorial election, calling for an election to repeal the sales tax imposed under this section, the governing body shall submit to the voters of the county or city a proposal to repeal the tax. If a majority of the votes cast on the question by the qualified voters voting thereon are in favor of the repeal, the repeal shall become effective on December thirty-first of the calendar year in which such repeal was approved. If a majority of the votes cast on the question by the qualified voters voting thereon are opposed to the repeal, then the sales tax authorized in this section shall remain effective until the question is resubmitted under this section to the qualified voters and the repeal is approved by a majority of the qualified voters voting on the question.

8. If the tax is repealed or terminated by any means, all funds remaining in the special trust fund shall continue to be used solely for the designated purposes, and the county or city shall notify the director of the department of revenue of the action at least thirty days before the effective date of the repeal and the director may order retention in the trust fund, for a period of one year, of two percent of the amount collected after receipt of such notice to cover possible refunds or overpayment of the tax and to redeem dishonored checks and drafts deposited to the credit of such accounts. After one year has elapsed after the effective date of abolition of the tax in such county or city, the director shall remit the balance in the account to the county or city and close the account of that county or city. The director shall notify each county or city of each instance of any amount refunded or any check redeemed from receipts due the county or city.

9. The governing body of each county or city imposing the tax authorized under this section shall select an existing community task force to administer the revenue from the tax received by the county or city. Such revenue shall be expended only upon approval of an existing community task force selected by the governing body of the county or city to administer the funds and only in accordance with a budget approved by the county or city governing body.

10. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any tax authorized under the provisions of this section shall be submitted to the voters of the taxing jurisdiction for retention or repeal every five years using the same procedure by which the imposition of the tax was voted. If a majority of the votes cast on the proposal by the qualified voters of the taxing jurisdiction voting thereon are in favor of retention, the tax shall continue in effect. If a majority of the votes cast on the proposal by the qualified voters of the taxing jurisdiction voting thereon are not in favor of retention, the tax shall be repealed and that repeal shall become effective December thirty-first of the calendar year in which such repeal was approved."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Emergency clause defeated.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is respectfully requested.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and passed **SB 711**.

Bill ordered enrolled.

Also,

Mr. President: I am instructed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House has taken up and adopted **SCS** for **HB 1577** and has taken up and passed **SCS** for **HB 1577**.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

President Pro Tem Richard appointed the following conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on **HCS** for **SB 735**, as amended: Senators Dixon, Pearce, Silvey, Schupp and Sifton.

President Pro Tem Richard appointed the following conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on **HCS** for **SB 997**, as amended: Senators Pearce, Emery, Romine, Chappelle-Nadal and Holsman.

President Pro Tem Richard appointed the following conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on **SB 627**, as amended: Senators Nasheed, Schupp, Pearce, Romine and Riddle.

President Pro Tem Richard appointed the following conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on **HCS** for **SB 833**, as amended: Senators Nasheed, Holsman, Cunningham, Wallingford and Silvey.

President Pro Tem Richard appointed the following conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on **HCS** for **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 986**, as amended: Senators Brown, Schaaf, Wieland, Holsman and Schupp.

President Pro Tem Richard appointed the following conference committee to act with a like committee

from the House on **HCS** for **SCS** for **SB 861**, as amended: Senators Wieland, Munzlinger, Silvey, Keaveny and Walsh.

President Pro Tem Richard appointed the following conference committee to act with a like committee from the House on **HCS** for **SS** for **SB 799**, as amended: Senators Kraus, Emery, Wallingford, Schupp and Walsh.

RESOLUTIONS

Senator Romine offered Senate Resolution No. 2218, regarding Haley Tarvin, Jerseyville, Illinois, which was adopted.

Senator Romine offered Senate Resolution No. 2219, regarding Jo Johnston, Sainte Genevieve, which was adopted.

INTRODUCTIONS OF GUESTS

Senator Kehoe introduced to the Senate, Physician of the Day, Dr. Don Potts, Independence.

Senator Schaefer introduced to the Senate, Jack Bauer and his mother, Susie, Hartsburg.

On motion of Senator Kehoe, the Senate adjourned under the rules.

SENATE CALENDAR

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SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY–WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2016

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FORMAL CALENDAR

VETOED BILLS

SS for HCS for HB 1891 (Brown)

HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND READING

HCS for HB 2566

HCS for HB 1605

HCS for HJR 98

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

SCS for SB 998-Romine
(In Fiscal Oversight)

SCS for SBs 857 & 712-Romine
(In Fiscal Oversight)

SS for SCS for SB 788-Schatz
(In Fiscal Oversight)

SENATE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

SB 1111-Brown
SB 795-Wallingford, with SCS
SB 1076-Parson, with SCS

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

HB 1855-Allen (Schaaf) (In Fiscal Oversight)
HCS for HBs 1366 & 1878, with SCS (Schaefer) (In Fiscal Oversight)
HCS for HB 1451, with SCS (Pearce) (In Fiscal Oversight)
HB 1716-Lichtenegger, with SCS (Munzlinger) (In Fiscal Oversight)
HCS for HBs 1589 & 2307, with SCS (Emery) (In Fiscal Oversight)
HCS for HB 1765 (Dixon)
HB 1585-Hill
HB 1620-Kelley (Schmitt)

INFORMAL CALENDAR

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 783-Onder

SENATE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

SB 575-Schaefer, with SCS, SS for SCS & SA 1 (pending)
SB 580-Schaaf, with SCS & SA 2 (pending)
SB 596-Kraus, with SCS
SB 622-Romine, with SCS
SB 644-Onder, with SCS
SCS for SBs 662 & 587-Dixon
SB 680-Emery
SB 686-Wallingford, with SCS
SB 706-Dixon
SB 719-Emery, with SCS
SB 733-Dixon
SB 734-Dixon
SB 771-Onder
SB 772-Onder, with SCS
SB 774-Schmitt
SB 775-Schaefer
SB 785-Schaefer, with SCS, SS for SCS, SA 1, SSA 1 for SA 1, SA 1 to SSA 1 for SA 1 & point of order (pending)
SBs 789 & 595-Wasson, with SCS
SB 792-Richard
SB 793-Richard
SB 798-Kraus, with SCS
SB 802-Sater
SB 805-Onder, with SCS
SB 806-Onder, with SCS
SB 812-Keaveny
SB 816-Wieland, et al
SB 825-Munzlinger, with SA 1 (pending)
SB 830-Wasson, with SCS
SB 848-Emery, with SCS

SBs 851 & 694-Brown, with SCS
SB 853-Brown
SB 858-Romine, with SCS & SS for SCS (pending)
SB 868-Wasson
SB 871-Wallingford
SB 883-Riddle
SB 894-Munzlinger, with SS (pending)
SB 896-Hegeman
SB 898-Cunningham
SB 908-Sater, with SCS
SB 916-Schaefer
SB 920-Schmitt and Kraus
SB 951-Wasson, with SA 1 (pending)
SB 964-Wallingford, with SCS (pending)
SB 966-Schaaf
SB 972-Silvey
SB 980-Keaveny, with SCS, SS for SCS, SA 1 & SA 3 to SA 1 (pending)
SB 995-Riddle
SB 1003-Onder
SB 1004-Onder
SB 1005-Walsh
SBs 1010, 958 & 878-Curls, with SCS
SB 1012-Dixon
SB 1014-Dixon
SB 1026-Schatz, with SCS
SB 1028-Silvey, et al, with SCS
SB 1033-Pearce
SB 1066-Curls
SB 1074-Schmitt, with SCS
SB 1075-Wallingford
SB 1085-Pearce
SB 1091-Riddle
SB 1094-Kehoe, with SCS
SB 1096-Dixon and Keaveny, with SS (pending)
SB 1117-Wasson, with SCS
SB 1120-Hegeman, et al
SB 1131-Sifton
SB 1144-Brown
SJR 23-Sater, with SS (pending)
SJR 35-Kraus, with SCS

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

HCS for HB 1433, with SCS (Sater)
HB 1435-Koenig (Kraus)
HB 1452-Hoskins, with SCS (Pearce)
HCS for HB 1463 (Kraus)
HCS for HB 1464, with SCS (Brown)
HB 1472-Dugger, with SS & SA 4 (pending) (Dixon)
HB 1478-Entlicher, with SCS (Pearce)
HB 1479-Entlicher (Romine)
HB 1534-Flanigan, with SCS (Schaefer)
HCS for HB 1561, with SCS (Schatz)
HB 1575-Rowden, with SCA 1 (Munzlinger)
HB 1588-Franklin, with SCS (Parson)
HB 1619-McCaherty (Dixon)
HB 1643-Hicks (Brown)
HCS for HB 1649, with SCS (Parson)
HCS for HB 1658 (Onder)
HCS for HB 1675, with SCS (Munzlinger)
HB 1678-Solon, with SCS (Pearce)
HCS for HB 1695,with SCS (Wasson)
HCS for HB 1717, with SS (pending) (Wallingford)
HCS for HB 1718 (Romine)
HCS for HB 1729 (Munzlinger)
HB 1745-Brattin, with SCS (Schatz)
HCS for HB 1759, with SCS (Dixon)
HCS for HB 1776 (Romine)
HCS for HBs 1780 & 1420 (Pearce)
HB 1786-Pike, with SCS (Pearce)
HB 1795-Haefner, with SCS (Sater)

HCS for HB 1804, with SCS, SS for SCS, SA 3 & SSA 1 for SA 3 (pending) (Emery)
HCS for HB 1850 (Wasson)
HB 1892-Rehder (Schatz)
HCS for HB 1898 (Emery)
HCS for HB 1904, with SCS (Wallingford)
HCS for HB 1912, with SCS & SS for SCS (pending) (Schatz)
HCS for HB 1930 (Riddle)
HCS for HB 2038 (Munzlinger)
HB 2104-Alferman, with SCS (Schmitt)
HB 2111-Eggleston (Sater)
HCS for HB 2150 (Wieland)
HB 2166-Alferman, with SCS, SS#2 for SCS, SA 1 & SSA 1 for SA 1 (pending) (Onder)
HCS for HB 2187, with SCS (pending) (Cunningham)
HCS for HB 2202, with SCS (Dixon)
HB 2226-Barnes (Silvey)
HB 2230-Ross (Schatz)
HCS for HBs 2234 & 1985 (Pearce)
HB 2257-Jones, with SCS (Wieland)
HCS for HB 2332, with SCS, SS for SCS, SA 1 & point of order (pending) (Dixon)
SS for SCS for HCS for HB 2380-Schatz (In Fiscal Oversight)
HCS for HB 2397 (Cunningham)
HCS for HB 2402, with SCS & SA 1 (pending) (Pearce)
HB 2429-Dohrman, with SCS (Parson)
HCS for HB 2445 (Libla)
HCS for HB 2496 (Hegeman)
HB 2590-Plocher, with SCS (Keaveny)
HCS for HB 2689, with SS, SA 1 & SSA 1 for SA 1 (pending) (Silvey)
SS for HJR 53-Dugger (Kraus)
HJR 58-Brown (57) (Romine)

CONSENT CALENDAR

House Bills

Reported 4/14

HB 2195-Hoskins (Pearce)
HB 1539-Vescovo (Wieland)
HB 1538-Vescovo (Wieland)
HB 2183-Roeber (Curls)
HB 2480-Justus (Sater)
HB 1473-Dugger, with SCS (Wasson)
HB 1388-Roeber (Dixon)

SENATE BILLS WITH HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SCS for SBs 688 & 854-Romine, with HCS, as amended
SB 932-Cunningham, with HCS, as amended
SCS for SB 996-Pearce, with HCS, as amended

BILLS IN CONFERENCE AND BILLS CARRYING REQUEST MESSAGES

In Conference

SS for SCS for SB 572-Schmitt, with HCS (Senate adopted CCR#2 and passed CCS#2)
SB 607-Sater, with HCS, as amended
SS for SB 608-Sater, with HCS, as amended
SS for SB 621-Romine, with HCS, as amended
SB 625-Walsh, with HCS, as amended
SB 627-Nasheed, with HA 1, HA 2, HA 3, HA 4, as amended, HA 5 & HA 6
SB 635-Hegeman, with HCS, as amended
SCS for SB 638-Riddle and Silvey, with HA 1, HA 2, HA 3, HA 4, HA 5, as amended, HA 6, HA 7, HA 8, HA 9 & HA 10
SB 639-Riddle, with HCS, as amended
SB 640-Schatz, with HCS, as amended
SCS for SB 650-Pearce, with HA 1, HA 2, HA 3, HA 4, HA 5, HA 6, HA 7, HA 8, as amended & HA 9
SB 656-Munzlinger, with HCS, as amended
SB 677-Sater, with HCS, as amended
SCS for SB 703-Munzlinger, with HCS, as amended
SS for SB 732-Munzlinger, with HCS, as amended (Senate adopted CCR & passed CCS)
SB 735-Dixon, with HCS, as amended
SCS for SB 765-Schmitt and Nasheed, with HCS, as amended
SS for SB 786-Kraus, with HCS, as amended
SS for SB 799-Kraus, with HCS, as amended
SCS for SB 823-Kraus, with HCS, as amended
SB 833-Nasheed, with HCS, as amended
SB 852-Brown, with HA 1, HA 2, as amended & HA 3
SCS for SB 861-Wieland, with HCS, as amended
SB 864-Sater, with HCS, as amended
SB 867-Sater, with HCS, as amended
SCS for SB 921-Riddle, with HA 1, as amended, HA 2, HA 3, HA 4, HA 5 & HA 6, as amended
SCS for SB 973-Wasson, with HCS, as amended
SS for SCS for SB 986-Brown, with HCS, as amended
SB 988-Kraus, with HA 1, HA 2, HA 3, HA 4, as amended & HA 5
SB 994-Munzlinger, with HCS, as amended
SB 997-Pearce, with HCS, as amended
HCS for HB 1584, with SCS, as amended (Schmitt)

Requests to Recede or Grant Conference

HB 1870-Hoskins, with SAs 1, 3, 4 & 5 (Pearce) (Senate requests House take up & pass the bill)

RESOLUTIONS

Reported from Committee

SCRs 53 & 44-Schaefer, with SCS
SCR 54-Walsh
SCR 55-Holsman
SCR 56-Brown
SCR 59-Emery
SCR 60-Curls
SCR 61-Parson
SCR 63-Curls and Munzlinger
SCR 68-Schupp
SR 2062-Pearce
HCS for HCR 57 (Schaefer)
HCR 61-Engler (Dixon)
HCR 63-Taylor (Wieland)
HCR 69-Miller (Brown)
HCS for HCR 73 (Brown)

MISCELLANEOUS

CCS for SCS for HCS for HB 2 (Schaefer)
(Section 2.030/Appropriation 9235)

CCS for SCS for HCS for HB 10 (Schaefer)
(Section 10.710/Appropriation 9859)

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