***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script: SB 69**

Missouri senators continue to move legislation through committees.

This includes a measure designed to change the laws relating to taking family leave from work.

Sponsor, Sen. Jill Schupp of Creve Coeur, tells the [Missouri Senate Small Business and Industry Committee](http://www.senate.mo.gov/SBIN/) there are many reasons for [Senate Bill 69](http://www.senate.mo.gov/17info/bts_web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=57095355)…

**Schupp 1 / Runs :11 / OC: active military duty.**

*“Needing to leave to care for a family member with a serious health condition — or for taking on additional, familial responsibilities when a spouse, child or parent is called into active military duty.”*

But, committee chair — Sen. Doug Libla of Poplar Bluff — says enacting this into law would require business owners to pay someone not to work, while paying a second person to do the job…

**Libla 2 / Runs :09 / OC: a manufacturing facility.**

*‘But, I’m not a big fan of mandating things on businesses. When you sit where I sat before, you don’t have substitutes sitting on the bench in a — like a — manufacturing facility.”*

Committee action has not been taken on the proposal.

Reporting from the State Capitol, I’m Dean Morgan.