

SENATE COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL NO: HB 1961

SPONSOR: Peters

HEARING DATE: 3/24/2026

COMMITTEE: Emerging Issues and Professional Registration	
CHAIRMAN: Brown (16)	
DATE REFERRED: 2/26/2026	DATE HEARING REQUESTED:

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Ashley Bax
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Jordan Mize
Elizabeth Neumann - Hannibal Regional Hospital
Jessica Petrie - Cox Health
Jean Howard - MO Academy of Nutrition & Dietetics

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