

HCS HB 438 -- OUT OF STATE COLLEGE SPECIALTY LICENSE PLATES

SPONSOR: Rowland

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Committee on Transportation by a vote of 15 to 0.

Currently, only a community college or a four-year public or private institution of higher education or a foundation or organization representing the college or institution, located in Missouri may authorize or may by the Director of the Department of Revenue be authorized to use the school's official emblem to be affixed on a multiyear personal license plate. This substitute allows any institution located outside of the state that had a license plate issued by the department containing its official emblem prior to August 28, 2012, to continue authorizing the use of its official emblem on the plates.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the bill allows people who previously had specialty license plates for their colleges to continue getting the specialty plates.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Rowland.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.