

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 429

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE CURTMAN.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 590, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to quotas by law enforcement officers.

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

Section A. Chapter 590, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 590.805, to read as follows:

**590.805. 1. No law enforcement officer shall be required to issue a specific number
2 of citations within a designated period of time. This subsection shall not affect the
3 conditions of any federal or state grants or funds awarded and used to fund traffic
4 enforcement programs. As used in this section, "law enforcement officer" means any
5 sheriff, deputy sheriff, police officer, peace officer, or a member of the highway patrol with
6 the authority to make traffic stops and the authority to arrest.**

**7 2. For purposes of evaluating a law enforcement officer's job performance, the
8 number of citations issued by a law enforcement officer shall not be compared to citations
9 issued by another law enforcement officer who has similar job duties.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.