

HB 404 -- MISSOURI'S PEACE OFFICERS MEMORIAL WEEK

SPONSOR: Phillips

COMMITTEE ACTIONS: Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Standing Committee on Trade and Tourism by a vote of 11 to 0. Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Select Committee on Rules by a vote of 10 to 0.

Currently, May 15 of each year is designated as "Missouri's Peace Officers Memorial Day." This bill designates the week in which May 15 falls as "Missouri's Peace Officers Memorial Week."

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that the bill will recognize law enforcement officers who died in the line of duty. The designation mirrors the federal Peace Officers Memorial Week designation.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Phillips.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.