

SB 277 -- EPILEPSY AWARENESS MONTH

SPONSOR: Walsh (Peters)

COMMITTEE ACTIONS: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Trade and Tourism by a vote of 9 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Select Committee on Commerce by a vote of 9 to 0.

This bill designates the month of November each year as "Epilepsy Awareness Month" and encourages citizens to participate in activities and events to increase awareness of epilepsy and its related symptoms.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that the bill will raise awareness of the symptoms and complications of epilepsy.

Testifying for the bill was Senator Walsh.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.