

HCS HB 1598 -- SHOW-ME GREEN SALES TAX HOLIDAY

SPONSOR: Kelley

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass with Amendments" by the Standing Committee on Ways and Means by a vote of 11 to 1. Voted "Do Pass with HCS" by the Select Committee on Financial Institutions and Taxation by a vote of 9 to 0.

This bill increases the allowed cost of a new appliance exempted from state sales tax during the Show-Me Green Sales Tax Holiday from \$1,500 to \$2,000 and removes trash compactors from the list of eligible appliances.

This bill is the same as HB 1079 (2015).

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this bill expands the holiday to allow for inflation.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Kelley and the Missouri Retailers Association.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.