LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

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Welcome to Issue 15 of the *Legislative Update*. There are only three weeks remaining of the legislative session. To make tracking the progress of bills easier any change in bill status will be highlighted in red.

As always, we welcome your comments and suggestions. We again have an index to help you find what category each bill is under. Please feel free to contact us with suggestions, questions or comments.

Just as last year, the bill will be summarized the first time it is listed. If significant changes to a bill occur, they will be summarized when the change occurs. The bill number, title, sponsor, and current status will be reported each week along with the *Legislative Update* issue number in which the most recent summary can be found.

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Bills are organized in the following Categories:

- Assistive Technology
- > Crime
- Education
- Employment
- Funding/Appropriations
- Heath Care and Personal Assistance
- Legal Rights and Responsibilities
- Mental Health
- ➢ Olmstead
- > Prevention
- Services for People with Disabilities

Note: When "incapacitated," "handicapped," etc. appear in a bill description, it reflects the terminology of the legislation, not the GCD.

Abbreviations			
HBHouse of Representatives Bill	l		
HAHouse Amendmen	t		
HSHouse Substitute	•		
HRHouse Resolution	n		
HJRHouse Joint Resolution	1		
HCSHouse Committee Substitute	e		
SBSenate Bill	1		
SCASenate Committee Amendment			
SCSSenate Committee Substitute)		
SASenate Amendment	t		
SSSenate Substitute	е		
SRSenate Resolution	1		
SJRSenate Joint Resolution	l		
CCRConference Committee Repor	t		
CCSConference Committee Substitute	e		
BCBudget Control Committee	Э		

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CRIME

<u>HB 1293 – Hoskins (R)</u>

Adds professional therapy dog to the definition of "service dog" as it relates to crimes against these dogs or crimes of impersonating a disabled person **Status:** 1/7/10 Second Read (H) Issue 1 1/27/10 Referred: Crime Prevention (H) 3/31/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)

<u>HB 1631 – Pollock (R)</u>

Creates the crime of sexual contact with a patient Status: 1/14/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 4</u> 2/3/10 Referred – Senior Citizen Advocacy 2/10/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 2/25/10 Referred Rules Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) (H)

HB 1902 – Guernsey (R)

Creates the crime of endangering a DMH employee, visitor or other person at a secure facility Status: 2/2/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 8</u>

<u>HB 1969 – Bivins (R)</u>

Creates the crime of endangering a DMH employee, visitor or other person at a secure facility Status: 2/4/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 8</u>

EDUCATION

<u>SB 654 – Crowell (R)</u> Creates the MO Special Needs Scholarship Tax Credit Program Status: 1/6/10 First Read (S) 1/13/10 Referred: Governmental Accountability & Fiscal Oversight (S)

Issue 1

<u>HB 1296 – Lampe (D)</u>

Changes laws regarding the identification, assessment and education of children with autism spectrum disorders Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H)

<u>HB 1450 – Allen (R)</u>

Changes the laws regarding the First Steps Program & the study by the greater St. Louis area point of entry Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H) 4/1/10 Referred: Elementary & Secondary Education (H)

HB 1463 - Hodges (D)

Requires public school districts to screen students for Sensory Processing Disorder Status: 1/7/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 2</u>

HB 1879 – Grisamore (R)

Requires every public school district to provide disability history and awareness instruction during the month of October and designates October as "Disability History and Awareness Month" Status: 2/1/10 Second Read (H) Issue 5

HB 1880 – Grisamore (R)

Changes laws regarding accessible electronic text material use in elementary & secondary schools Status: 2/1/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 7</u>

<u>HB 2146 – Davis (R)</u>

Authorizes an income tax credit of up to \$2,000 for educational expenses for dependents with emotional or physical needs (See Funding/Tax Relief)

HB 2461 – Dieckhaus (R)

Requires school districts to establish requirementsfor student academic progressionStatus: 4/6/10 Second Read (H)Issue 14

$\underline{SB 990} - \underline{Scott (R)}$

Reauthorizes the children's vision examination program

Status: 2.25/10 Referred: Financial and Governmental Organizations and Elections (S) <u>Issue 8</u> 3/15/10 Public Hearing Canceled (S) 3/22/10 Public Hearing Completed (S)

FUNDING/TAX RELIEF

HB 1213 – Dusenberg (R)

Authorizes a state income tax exemption for certain disabled veterans Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H)

<u>HB 1386 – Nolte (R)</u>

Limits increase in assessed valuation of residential property by the percentage of increase in Social Security benefits for the elderly and disabled who own and live in their principal residence Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H) 3/3/10 Referred: Ways & Means (H)

<u>HB 1621 – McNeil (D)</u>

Relating	to the Circuit Breaker tax credit	
Status:	1/14/10 Second Read (H)	Issue 4

<u>HB 1784 – Nolte (R)</u>

Limits increase in assessed valuation of residential property by the percentage of increase in Social Security benefits for the elderly and disabled who own and live in their principal residence Status: 1/25/10 Second Read (H) Issue 5 3/3/10 Referred: Ways & Means (H)

<u>HB 1981 – Kratky (D)</u>

Authorizes a tax credit for certain small businessesto hire persons with disabilitiesStatus: 2/4/10 Second Read (H)Issue 8

<u>HB 2146 – Davis (R)</u>

Authorizes an income tax credit of up to \$2,000 for educational expenses for dependents with emotional or physical needs Status: 2/15/10 Second Read (H) Issue 10

HB 2204 – Stevenson (R)

Relating to funding for Ticket to Work, MOHealthNet, and other public assistance programsStatus: 2/22/10 Second Read (H)Issue 10

HB 2211 - Nasheed (D)

Relating to the Circuit Breaker tax credit Status: 2/22/10 Second Read (H) <u>HB 2305 – Kelly (D)</u>

Authorizes the transfer of specified maximum amounts of money from a list of 23 state funds to the General Revenue Fund by June 30, 2011. Status: 3/15/10 Second Read (H) Issue 11

<u>HB 2392 – Stream (R)</u>

Reauthorizes the provisions regarding the Missouri Homestead Preservation Act and extends the expiration date until December 31, 2016. Status: 3.29/10 Second Read (H) Issue 13

SB 608 - Stouffer (R)

Creates a tax credit for contributions to developmental disability care providers and modifies provisions of the residential treatment agency tax credit program Status: 1/6/10 First Read (S) Issue 1 1/13/10 Referred: Governmental Accountability & Fiscal Oversight (S)

SB 654 – Crowell (R)

Creates the MO Special Needs Scholarship Tax Credit Program (See Education)

<u>SB 1000 – Green (D)</u>

Transfers certain stated amounts from twenty-three funds to the state General Revenue fund Status: 2/25/10 Referred: Appropriations (S) Issue 9

3/3/10 Public Hearing Completed (S)

<u>SB 1036 – Bray (D)</u>

Allows senior citizens and disabled persons to defer property tax payment Status: 3/4/10 Referred: Ways & Means (S)

Issue 9

HEALTH CARE & PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

<u>HB 1304 – Hodges (D)</u> Relating to health insurance coverage for Down syndrome **Status:** 1/6/10 First Read (H) <u>Issue 1</u> 1/7/10 Second Read (H)

HCS HB 1311 & 1341 - Scharnhorst (R)

Requires health carriers to provide coverage for the diagnosis and treatment of autism spectrum disorders

Status: 1/7/10 Referred: Special Comm. on Health Insurance (H) Issue 7 1/19/10 Hearing Held (H) 2/3/10 Referred: Rules pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f)(H) 2/8/10 Rules Reported Do Pass (H) 2/18/10 HCS HB 1311 & 1341 Perfected, Reported to Senate and First Read 3/18/10 Referred: Small Business Insurance & Industry (S) 4/20/10 Public Hearing Scheduled (S) 4/20/10 Voted Do Pass (S)

HB 1333 – Lipke (R)

Allows persons who have exhausted their total *lifetime benefits to be eligible for coverage under* the MO Health Insurance Pool Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H)

HB 1357 – Chappelle-Nadal (D)

Increases resource limits for medical assistance Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H)

HB 1464 – Hodges (D)

Relating to oxygen use in residential settings Status: 1/7/10 Second Read (H) Issue 2

HB 1480 – Hughes (D)

Establishes the MO Universal Health Insurance Act and the Universal Health Insurance Program Status: 1/7/10 Second Read (H) Issue 2

HB 1570 – Ervin (R)

Changes the laws regarding health insurance to comply with the federal Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act Status: 1/12/10 Second Read (H) Issue 3 2/4/10 Referred – Insurance Policy (H) 3/3/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 3/24/10 HCS Voted Do Pass (H)

HB 1641 – Brown (D)

Establishes the MO Universal Health Assurance Program Issue 4

Status: 1/14/10 Second Read (H)

HB 1810 – Sander (R) Requires all health benefit plans to provide coverage for habilitative services for children less than 18 years of age with certain neurologic, congenital, or early acquired disorders Status: 1/27/10 Second Read (H) Issue 6

HB 1884 – Grisamore (R)

Ads prescribed, medically necessary hearing aids to the list of covered services under the MO HealthNet Program Status: 2/1/10 Second Read (H) Issue 5

HB 1885 – Grisamore (R)

Adds comprehensive day rehabilitation services beginning soon after trauma to the services covered under MO HealthNet Status: 2/1/10 Second Read (H) Issue 6

HB 1886 – Grisamore (R)

Adds a mental health professional who cares for participants to the MO HealthNet Oversight Committee Status: 2/1/10 Second Read (H) Issue 6

HB 1918 – Sater (R)

Changes the laws regarding public assistance programs administered by the state Status: 2/3/10Second Read (H) Issue 6 2/4/10 Referred: Health Care Policy (H) 2/10/10 Public Hearing Continued (H) 2/17/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)

HB 1964 – Ervin (R)

Changes the laws regarding the MO Health Insurance Pool **Status:** 2/24/10 Referred: Healthcare Transformation (H) Issue 8 3/4/10 Voted Do Pass (H)

<u>HB 1972 – Bivins (R)</u>

Relating to the Prescription Drug Repository Program Status: 2/4/10 Second Read (H) Issue 8

HB 2123 - Cooper(R)

Authorizes MO HealthNet to implement a statewide dental delivery system

Status:2/15/10 Second Read (H)Issue 104/1/10 Referred: Health Care Policy (H)4/14/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)

<u>HB 2184 – Lampe (D)</u>

Requires all health benefit plans to providecoverage for certain habilitative services forchildren younger than 19 with certain disordersStatus: 2/18/10 Second Read (H)Issue 10

<u>HB 2243 – Brown (R)</u>

Relating to anti-epileptic drugs	
Status: 3.1.10 Second Read (H)	<u>Issue 11</u>

HB 2389 - Jones (D)

Requires the state high risk pool to offer supplemental health insurance coverage for autism spectrum disorder Status: 3/31/10 Referred: Special Standing Committee on Health Insurance (H) <u>Issue 12</u> 4/6/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)

<u>SB 606 – Stouffer (R)</u>

Adds comprehensive day rehabilitation services as a covered service under the MO HealthNet Program

Status: 1/6/10 First Read (S) 1/13/10 Referred: Health, Mental Mental Health & Families (S) <u>Issue 1</u> 2/16/10 Public Hearing Completed (S) 3/2/10 Voted Do Pass (H) 4/26/10 S Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection

<u>SB 618 – Rupp (R)</u>

Requires health carriers to provide coverage for the diagnosis and treatment of autism spectrum disorders under certain conditions Status: 1/6/10 First Read (S) Issue 7 1/13/10 Referred: Small Business, Insurance & Industry (S) 1/19/10 Public Hearing Held 3/9/10 S Formal Calendar S Bills for Third Reading 3/18/10 First Read (H) 3/19/10 Second Read (H) 3/30/10 Referred: Special Committee on Health Insurance (H) 4/6/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)

<u>SB 722 – Bray (D)</u>

Establishes the MO Universal Health Assurance Program

Status:1/6/10 First Read (S)Issue 11/19/10 Referred Small Business,
Insurance and Industry Committee (S)

SB 742 - Shoemyer (D)

Modifies membership of MO HealthNet Oversight Committee

Status: 1/12/10 First Read (S) Issue 2 1/19/10 Referred Health, Mental Health, Seniors & Families 2/9/10 Public Hearing Completed S

SB 825 - Clemens (R)

Prohibits the substitution of anti-epileptic drugs under certain circumstances

Status:1/28/10 Referred: Health, Mental Health
Seniors & Families (S)Issue 42/16/10 Public Hearing Conducted (S)

<u>SB 1007 – Dempsey (R)</u>

Amends various requirements for public health programs administered by the state Status: 2/25/10 First Read (S) Issue 8 3/4/10 Referred: Health, Mental Health, Seniors & Families (S) 3/30/10 Public Hearing Completed (S) 4/19/10 S Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection 4/26/10 S Formal Calendar S Bills for Third Reading

LEGAL RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

HB 1382 – Ervin (R) Establishes the MO Patient Privacy Act Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H)

1/7/10 Second Read (H)
2/4/10 Referred – Insurance Policy (H)
2/10/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)
2/17/10 Referred, Rules Pursuant to Rule
25(32)(f)(H)
2/25/10 Rules Reported Do Pass
Consent (H)
3/18/10 Referred: Health, Mental Health,
Seniors & Families (S)
4/13/10 Public Hearing Completed (S)

<u>HB 1490 – McGhee (R)</u>

Establishes additional standards for	• ballots and
voting machines	
Status: 1/7/10 Second Read (H)	Issue 2

HB 1547 – Corcoran (D)

Allows	voters to cast advance ballots	
Status:	1/7/10 Second Read (H)	Issue 4

<u>HB 1572 – Meadows (D)</u>

Relating to accessible parking spaces	
Status: 1/12/10 Second Read (H)	Issue 3

<u>HB 1644 – Riddle (R)</u>

Relating to the use of force in self defenseStatus: 1/14/10 Referred: Corrections andPublic Institutions (H)Issue 92/17/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)2/24/10 HCS Voted Do Pass (H)3/1/10 Referred: Rules Pursuant to Rule25(32)(f) (H)4/1/10 HCS Voted Do Pass4/7/10 Referred Rules Pursuant to Rule25(32)(f) (H)

<u>HB 1670 – Meiners (D)</u> Legalizes the use of marijuana for medicinal purposes under certain conditions **Status:** 1/19/10 Second Read (H) Issue 4

HB 1836 – Zimmerman (D)

Relating to advanced voting Status: 1/28/10 Second Read (H)

Issue 6

HB 1839 – Zimmerman (D)

Relating to advanced voting Status: 1/28/10 Second Read (H)

HB 1850 - Webber (D)

Changes the laws regarding complaints filed with the MO Commission on Human Rights Status: 2/1/10 Second Read (H) Issue 6 3/18/10 Referred: Special Comm. on Urban Issues (H) 3/22/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 4/1/10 Voted Do Pass

HB 2195 - LeBlanc (D)

Allows voters to cast advanced ballotsStatus: 2/22/10 Second Read (H)Issue 10

<u>HB 2249 – Carter (D)</u>

Relating to accessibility in the Capitol buildingStatus: 3/1/10 Second Read (H)Issue 11

<u>HB 2282 – Skaggs (D)</u>

Relating to voter registration **Status:** 3/4/10 Second Read (H)

Issue 11

<u>HB 2324 – Newman (D)</u>

Requires educational institutions to allow individuals with service dogs to have access to their service dog at all times Status: 3/17/10 Second Read (H) Issue 12

$\underline{HJR \ 64 - Cox \ (R)}$

Proposes a constitutional amendment changing the laws regarding voter identification Status: 1/7/10 Second Read (H) Issue 3 2/4/10 Referred – Elections 2/9/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 3/30/10 Referred: Rules Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) (H) 4/15/10 Rules Reported Do Pass (H) 4/22/10 Second Read/Referred: Financial, Governmental Org. & Election (S)

<u>SB 666 – Shoemyer (D)</u>

Relating to accessibility in the state capitol buildingStatus:1/6/10 First Read (S)1/13/10 Referred: Financial and
Governmental Organizations &
Elections (S)Issue 1

<u>Issue 6</u>

SB 694 - Wright-Jones (D)

Modifies laws relating to voter registration Status: 1/6/10 First Read (S) Issue 1 1/19/2010 Financial and Governmental Organizations & Elections Committee (S)

<u>SB 852 – Lager (R)</u>

Modifies the law relation to MO Human Rights Actand employment discriminationStatus: 1/28/10 First Read (S)2/4/10 Referred – General LawsCommittee S2/16/10 Public Hearing Conducted (S)3/9/10 S Formal Calendar S Bills forPerfection4/26/10 S Informal Calendar S Bills forPerfection

MENTAL HEALTH

<u>HB 1298 – Lampe (D)</u> Relating to the transfer of a mental health patient from one facility to another **Status:** 1/6/10 First Read (H) <u>Issue 1</u> 1/7/10 Second Read (H)

HB 1985 – Stevenson (R)

Changes laws regarding admission of a person for comprehensive psychiatric services Status: 2/4/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 8</u> 3/30/10 Referred: Judiciary (H) 4/7/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)

<u>HB 2105 – Curls (D)</u>

Relating to case management **Status:** 2/11/10 Second Read (H)

<u>HB 2242 – Walsh (D)</u>

Establishes the Safe Staffing & Quality Care Accountability Act for veteran's homes & mental health facilities Status: 3/1/10 Second Read (H) Issue 11

<u>HB 2273 – Cooper (R)</u>

Relating to increasing public awareness & understanding of mental illness, developmental disabilities a alcohol & drug abuse Status: 3/3/10 Second Read (H) Issue 11

<u>HB 2306 – Guest (R)</u>

Requires DMH to develop a plan for transitioning of services for a resident of a state developmental disability facility to the most appropriate living setting (See Olmstead)

<u>HB 2454 – Fisher (R)</u>

Relating to downsizing of mental health facilities Requires the Director of the Department of Mental Health to submit a cost-benefit analysis of and written plan for the closing or downsizing of any facility operated by the department to the appropriation committees on mental health of the General Assembly for their consideration prior to the closure or downsizing. The bill contains an emergency clause.

Status: 4/6/10 Second Read (H)

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<u>SB 774 – Lembke (R)</u>

Creates additional measures intended to increase safety at the Department of Mental Health Status: 1/13/10 First Read (S) Issue 9

1/13/10 First Read (S) Issue 1/19/2010 - Referred Health, Mental Health, Seniors and Families (S) 2/16/10 Public Hearing Held (S) 2/25/10 S Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection 3/4/10 First Read (H) 3/15/10 Second Read (H) 3/30/10 Referred: Corrections & Public Institutions (H) 4/8/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 4/14/10 SCS Voted Do Pass 4/20/10 HCS Voted Do Pass (H)

<u>SB 1059 – Shields (R)</u>

Allows DMH to enter into cooperative agreements with state and local enmities

Status:3/4/10 Referred: Health, Mental Health,
Seniors & Families (S)Issue 93/30/10 Public Hearing Completed (S)
4/7/10 Voted Do Pass

OLMSTEAD

HB 1358 - Chappelle-Nadal (D)

Requires DHSS to strongly encourage long-term care facilities to institute policies encouraging

family involvement in the well-being and support of its residents Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1

1/7/10 Second Read (H)

HB 1631 - Pollock(R)

Creates the crime of sexual contact with a patient (See Crime)

HB 1737 – Storch (D)

Establishes the Universal Design in Affordable Housing Act Status: 1/21/10 Second Read (H) Issue 6 3/16/10 Referred: Senior Citizen Advocacy (H) 3/24/10 Public Hearing Completed (H)

HB 2306 – Guest (R)

Requires DMH to develop a plan for transitioning of services for a resident of a state developmental disability facility to the most appropriate living setting Issue 11

Status: 3/15/10 Second Read (H)

PREVENTION

HB 1217 – Dusenberg (R)

Relating to the motorcycle helmet law Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H) HB 1548 – Calloway (D) Establishes the High School Sports Brain Injury Act **Status:** 1/27/10 Referred: Healthcare Transformation (H) Issue 4 2/9/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 2/23/10 HCS Voted Do Pass (H)

HB 1581 – Sutherland (R)

Relating to MODOT plans, programs and projects Status: 1/13/10 Second Read (H) Issue 4 2/3/10 Referred: Transportation (H)

<u>HB 1865 – Meiners (D)</u>

Establishes the High School Sports Brain Injury Act Status: 2/1/10 Second Read (H) Issue 6

SB 720 - Bray (D)

Relating to MODOT plans, programs & projects Status: 1/6/10 First Read (S) Issue 1 1/19/2010 - Referred Transportation Committee (S)

SERVICES

HB 1270 – Meiners (D)

Changes the name of the Crippled Children's Service to the Children's Special Health Care Needs Service Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H) 2/3/10 Referred, Health Care Policy (S) 2/10/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 2/24/10 Referred Rules Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) (H) 3/17/10 Rules Reported Do Pass Consent (H) 3/24/10 Perfected by Consent (H) 3/31/10 Referred: Health, Mental Health, Seniors & Families (S) 4/15/10 Reported Do Pass. Placed on Third Reading Consent Calendar (S) 4/15/10 Reported Do Pass (S)

<u>HB 1334 – Lipke (R)</u>

Establishes the Evan de Mello Reimbursement Program to provide financial assistance for the cost of transportation and ancillary services associated with the medical treatment of an eligible child Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H)

HB 1447 – Carter (D)

Requires the development of caseload standards by the Departments of Health & Senior Services and Mental Health Status: 1/6/10 First Read (H) Issue 1 1/7/10 Second Read (H)

HCS HB 1521 & 1302 - Nance (R)

Expands the Amber Alert System to include missing endangered adults

Status: 1/7/10 Second Read (H) Issue 9 1/21/10 Referred Senior Citizen Advocacy (H) 2/10/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 2/25/10 HCS Reported Do Pass (H)

4/20/10 Rules Reported Do Pass (H)

HB 1610 – Schoeller (R)

Relating to assistance for eligible households through the Utilicare Program Status: 1/26/10 Referred: Utilities (H) Issue 4 2/9/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 2/23/10 Voted Do Pass (H)

<u>HB 1637 – Wasson (R)</u>

Allows for a "Multiple Sclerosis Society" special license plate Status: 1/27/10 Referred: Transportation (H)

Issue 4

2/16/10 Public Hearing Held (H) 3/4/10 HCS Voted Do Pass (H)

<u>HB 1661 – Pratt (R)</u>

Changes laws regarding state purchasing as it relates to giving preference to any qualified nonprofit agency for the blind or severely disabled Status: 1/19/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 4</u> 3/23/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 4/1/10 Voted Do Pass 4/14/10 Referred Rules Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) (H)

HB 1882 - Grisamore (R)

Requires certain gas station attendants to dispensemotor fuel for persons with a disabilityStatus: 2/1/10 Second Read (H)Issue 5

HB 1883 – Grisamore (R)

Relating to accessible parking **Status:** 2/1/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 5</u> 2/4/10 Referred – Special Committee on Infrastructure & Transportation Funding 2/16/10 Public Hearing Completed 3/17/10 Referred Rules Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) (H)

<u>HB 2244 – Brown (R)</u>

Requires the Governor to issue an annualproclamation designating February 14 as "EpilepsyAwareness Day."Status: 3/1/10 Second Read (H)Issue 11

<u>HB 2274 – Still (D)</u>

Relating to disabled parking **Status:** 3/3/10 Second Read (H)

<u>HB 2290 – Wasson (R)</u>

Specifies that the value of certain life insurance policies will not be considered an asset when determining eligibility under federally aided state public assistance programs

Status: 3/16/10 Referred: Spec. Committee on Professional Registration & Licensing (H) Issue 11

3/17/10 Public Hearing Completed (H) 3/18/10 Voted Do Pass Consent (H) 3/18/10 Referred Rules Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) (H) 3/22/10 Rules Voted Do Pass (H) 4/1/10 Referred: Small Business, Insurance & Industry (S) 4/13/10 Public Hearing Completed (S)

HB 2320 – Ruzicka (R)

Relating to establishment of an irrevocable trust for
funeral expenses and eligibility for public
assistance programsStatus:3/17/10 Second Read (H)Issue 12

<u>HB 2414 – Hobbs (R)</u>

Eliminated, combines, and revises certain state boards, commissions, committees and councils **tatus:** 3/31/10 Second Read (H) <u>Issue 14</u>

<u>SB 804 – Schmitt (R)</u>

Establishes an Epilepsy Awareness Day Status: 1/20/10 First Read (S) Issue 3 1/25/10 Referred: Progress & Development (S) 2/3/10 Public Hearing Scheduled (S) 2/25/10 S Consent Calendar 3/2/10 First Read (H) 3/3/10 Second Read (H) 4/27/10 Hearing Scheduled (H)

SB 812 - Schmitt (R)

Relating to Multiple Sclerosis license platesStatus:1/21/10 First Read (S)Issue 31/25/10 Referred:Transportation (S)2/10/10 Public Hearing Completed (S)2/25/10 S Consent Calendar3/2/10 First Read (H)3/3/10 Second Read (H)

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4/20/10 Referred: Transportation Committee (H)

<u>SB 908 – Green (D)</u>

Revises provisions related to the renamed MO Brain Injury Council Status: 2/8/10 First Read (S) <u>Issue 6</u> 3/2/10 Public Hearing Scheduled. Bill Not Heard (S)

SB 932 – Shoemyer (D)

Enacts provisions regarding office accessibility in the State Capitol building Status: 2/10/10 First Read (S) Issue 6

<u>SB 991 – Scott (R)</u>

Eliminates, combines and revises certain state boards and commissions, committees and councils Status: 2/25/10 Referred: Financial and Issue 8 Governmental Organizations and Elections (S) 3/1/10 Public Hearing Completed (S) 3/29/10 S Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection 4/6/10 Second Read (H) 4/14/10 Referred: Spec. Comm. on Government Accountability & Ethics Reform (H) 4/22/10 Hearing Held

<u>SB 1025 – Goodman (R)</u>

Allows \$9,999 in an irrevocable trust for funeral expenses not to be considered an asset in determining eligibility for public assistance Status: 3/4/10 Referred: General Laws (S) <u>Issue 9</u> 4/7/10 Public Hearing Completed (S) 4/13/10 Voted Do Pass