

HB 827 -- WATER PATROL DIVISION

SPONSOR: Lant

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness by a vote of 12 to 0.

This bill requires the Water Patrol Division of the State Highway Patrol to develop an informational brochure regarding recreational water use laws and distribute it to recreational water equipment rental facilities and local campgrounds.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that there is a 310-page publication on water laws and regulations. This bill will provide waterway users with a clear and concise brochure on the water laws and regulations of this state.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Lant and Missouri Canoe & Floaters Association.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.