HCS SCS SB 179 -- LAND CONVEYANCES

SPONSOR: Wright-Jones (Morris)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass" by the Committee on Corrections and Public Institutions by a vote of 11 to 0.

This substitute authorizes the Governor to convey certain state property located in the counties of Boone, Cape Girardeau, Clinton, Cooper, Greene, Jasper, and Macon and the City of St. Louis.

The substitute contains an emergency clause for the provisions regarding certain conveyances in the counties of Boone and Greene.

FISCAL NOTE: Estimated Effect on General Revenue Fund of an income of \$0 or Unknown to a cost of \$305,814 in FY 2010, an income of \$0 or Unknown to a cost of \$148,062 in FY 2011, and an income of \$0 or Unknown to a cost of \$145,631 in FY 2012. Estimated Cost on Other State Funds of \$158,000 in FY 2010, \$0 in FY 2011, and \$0 in FY 2012.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the federal government has approved a new bridge over the Mississippi River in St. Louis but the Department of Transportation needs some property belonging to the Department of Corrections for an exit ramp.

Testifying for the bill were Senator Wright-Jones; and Department of Transportation.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.