

SCS HB 152 -- SCHOOL OFFICERS

This bill allows the school board of any school district to commission school officers to enforce laws relating to crimes committed on school premises, at school activities, and on school buses through a memorandum of understanding with each law enforcement agency and county sheriff's office that has law enforcement jurisdiction over the school district's premises and location of school activities if the memorandum does not grant statewide arrest authority. Currently, only the school board of the Blue Springs School District has this authority.

The bill requires the Missouri State Training Center for the D.A.R.E. Program to develop the curriculum and certification requirements for school resource officers and specifies the minimum training requirements.