

SB 35 -- SAHARA'S LAW

This bill establishes Sahara's Law which authorizes, for all tax years beginning January 1, 2013, a check-off box on the Missouri individual and corporate income tax forms for contributions to the newly created Pediatric Cancer Research Trust Fund. A taxpayer may donate to the fund by designating a portion of his or her income tax refund or by a separate check. The amount of the donation must be at least \$1 on an individual return or at least \$2 on a combined return. The State Treasurer is required to distribute all moneys in the fund to CureSearch for children's cancer.

The provisions of the bill will expire December 31, 2019.