

HB 2195 -- STATE HISTORICAL DOG

SPONSOR: Hoskins

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Standing Committee on Trade and Tourism by a vote of 12 to 0. Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Select Committee on Rules by a vote of 6 to 0.

This bill designates the dog known as "Old Drum" as the historical dog of Missouri.

This bill is similar to HB 723 (2015).

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that the bill will help promote tourism and the state's history. The "Eulogy to Old Drum" coined the phrase "Man's Best Friend".

Testifying for the bill was Representative Hoskins.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.