

HCS HB 2445 -- ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO CONTROL FUND

SPONSOR: Conway (104)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass with Amendments" by the Standing Committee on Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness by a vote of 11 to 0. Voted "Do Pass with HCS" by the Select Committee on State and Local Government by a vote of 10 to 0.

This bill specifies that the Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Control Fund shall be a dedicated fund used solely by the Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Control within the Department of Public Safety for administration, implementation, and enforcement of the sections specified in the bill.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that this bill would not allow the regulation and enforcement of the Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Control to dwindle like it has been for the last several years. We need to keep these funds to be used as they are expected to be used.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Conway.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.