HCS HB 2116 -- MOTORBOAT REGULATIONS

SPONSOR: Ross

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass with HCS" by the Standing Committee on Transportation by a vote of 11 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Rules- Administrative Oversight Committee by a vote of 13 to 0.

This bill exempts certain vessels propelled by outboard jet motors and operating on non-impounded waterways from the passenger seating and guard and rail provisions of Section 306.126, RSMo.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the bill will allow certain older model flat bottom boats in excellent condition to continue to operate.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Ross.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.