

HB 1998 -- SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS APPRECIATION

SPONSOR: Morse (151)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass-Consent" by the Special Committee on Student Accountability by a vote of 9 to 0. Voted "Do Pass-Consent" by the Standing Committee on Consent and House Procedure by a vote of 11 to 0.

This bill designates May 10 of each year as "School Bus Drivers' Appreciation Day" to express appreciation for the dedicated drivers who transport children safely to school every day.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that school bus drivers serve a valuable function and are often the first and last representatives for the school district that a student sees.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Morse.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.