HB 1228 -- Child Support Enforcement

Sponsor: Byrd

This bill moves sections of Chapter 454, RSMo, dealing with child support enforcement actions by the state to Chapter 650. Currently, the Department of Social Services is responsible for child support enforcement in Missouri. The bill makes it the responsibility of the Department of Public Safety. It repeals provisions of Chapter 454 that allowed the Division of Child Support Enforcement to administratively modify child support orders and secure liens against the property of delinquent child support obligees. The bill also makes technical and intersectional reference changes.