

HB 1610 -- MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

SPONSOR: Ward

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass by consent" by the Committee on Transportation and Motor Vehicles by a vote of 18 to 0.

This bill designates a portion of U. S. Highway 67 in St. Francois County between Desloge and Bonne Terre as the "Trooper Jesse R. Jenkins Memorial Highway."

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2005, FY 2006, and FY 2007.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that it is a fitting recognition for an officer who gave his life to protect the safety of the public.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Ward; and State Highway Patrol.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

Robert Triplett, Legislative Analyst