

SCS HB 1634 -- MILITARY DISCHARGE RECORDS; REPRODUCTION OF VITAL RECORDS

This bill provides that all images of military discharge records older than 75 years are deemed principally of historical or genealogical interest and will be open records.

The State Registrar of the Department of Health and Senior Services is required to accurately reproduce vital records with durable materials. The device used to produce a record must accurately reproduce and perpetuate the original record in all details. The bill requires that death records over 50 years old be transferred to the Missouri State Archives and will be open records.