SB 299 -- ST. LOUIS SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

SPONSOR: Coleman (Wright-Jones, 63)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass by consent" by the Committee on Elementary and Secondary Education by a vote of 15 to 0.

This bill removes the remaining references to principals from the City of St. Louis tenure statute.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2006, FY 2007, and FY 2008.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the law was revised in 1998 to remove City of St. Louis principal tenure, but was overlooked in this section.

Testifying for the bill were Senator Coleman; and St. Louis Board of Education.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

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