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HOUSE BILL NO. 554

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES COOPER (155) (Sponsor), SCHAAF, BURNETT,
DAY AND ONDER (Co-sponsors).

Read 1st time January 24, 2007 and copies ordered printed.

Read 2nd time January 25, 2007 and referred to the Committee on Health Care Policy February 13, 2007.

Reported from the Committee on Health Care Policy March 6, 2007 with recommendation that the bill Do Pass. Referred to the Committee on Rules pursuant to Rule 25(21)(f).

Reported from the Committee on Rules March 15, 2007 with recommendation that the bill Do Pass.

Taken up for Perfection April 3, 2007. Bill ordered Perfected and printed.

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 337, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to licensed professional counselors.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 337, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 337.503, to read as follows:

337.503. No official, employee, board, commission, county, municipality, school
2 district, agency of the state, or any other political subdivision thereof shall discriminate
3 between persons licensed under sections 337.500 to 337.540 when promulgating regulations
4 or when requiring or recommending services that legally may be performed by persons
5 licensed under sections 337.500 to 337.540.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.