

SCS SB 525 -- EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS

SPONSOR: Scott (Wasson)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass" by the Special Committee on Professional Registration and Licensing by a vote of 11 to 0.

This substitute adds crematory to the definition of "funeral establishment" and updates the laws regarding death certificates.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2008, FY 2009, and FY 2010.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that the bill updates the statutes to include crematories which are being used more frequently.

Testifying for the bill was Senator Scott.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.