

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1402

## 95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES COX (Sponsor), JONES (89), FUNDERBURK, MUNZLINGER,  
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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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### AN ACT

To repeal section 256.620, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to wells  
exempted from regulation.

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

Section A. Section 256.620, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu  
2 thereof, to be known as section 256.620, to read as follows:

256.620. **1.** Except as provided in section 256.615, operational wells in existence on  
2 September 28, 1985, shall not be required to conform to the provisions of sections 256.600 to  
3 256.640, or any rules or regulations adopted pursuant thereto unless such wells or pump  
4 installations for such wells are determined to present a threat to groundwater.

5 **2. Any water system that serves a charitable or benevolent organization, if the total**  
6 **volume of water drawn from such wells does not exceed fifteen thousand gallons per**  
7 **calendar month, shall be exempt from all rules relating to well construction except any**  
8 **rules applying to domestic wells and rules that require proof of the quantity of water**  
9 **drawn from such wells, unless such wells or pump installations for such wells are**  
10 **determined to present a threat to groundwater.**

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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.