

HCS HB 2161 -- DRIVER'S LICENSE APPLICATION INFORMATION

SPONSOR: Guest

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass by consent" by the Committee on Real ID and Personal Privacy by a vote of 11 to 0.

Currently, the sale of driver's license application information to other organizations or states for commercial purposes is prohibited. This substitute specifies that "commercial purposes" will not include driver's license application information used, compiled, or obtained solely for purposes expressly allowed under the Missouri or federal Drivers Privacy Protection Act.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2011, FY 2012, and FY 2013.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that "commercial purposes" is too vague and clarification is needed to ensure that legal uses of the data are not prohibited.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Guest; and Reed Elsevier Incorporated.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.