HB 1256 -- FIREARM TRACKING TECHNOLOGY

SPONSOR: Schroer

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on General Laws by a vote of 7 to 4. Voted "Do Pass" by the Rules-Legislative Oversight Committee by a vote of 6 to 1.

This bill states that the required use of electronic firearm tracking technology, with specified exceptions, will be unlawful. Any person violating these provisions is guilty of a class E felony.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that while there are currently no laws in Missouri that require the use of firearm tracking technology, this bill would prevent any political subdivision from instituting such a requirement.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Schroer and Tony Shepherd.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.