HB 2403 -- OFFICIAL STATE THEATRE

SPONSOR: Muntzel

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Special Committee on Tourism by a vote of 7 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules-Legislative Oversight by a vote of 10 to 0.

This bill designates the Lyceum Theatre in Arrow Rock, Missouri as the official State Theatre of Missouri.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the Lyceum Theatre is the second oldest regional theater in Missouri and produces all of the productions in-house. This bill would bring recognition to the theater, which is centrally located in the state.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Muntzel; Brad Jones; Doug Crews, Arrow Rock Lyceum Theatre; and Quin Gresham, Arrow Rock Lyceum Theatre.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.