HB 2415 -- LEGISLATIVE EMPLOYEES

SPONSOR: Kolkmeyer

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass by Consent" by the Administration and Accounts by a vote of 8 to 0. Voted "Do Pass- Consent" by the Standing Committee on Consent and House Procedure by a vote of 13 to 0.

Currently, the Senate and House of Representatives must pass a resolution allowing employees to continue in employment after ajournment of a regular session or sine die adjournment of the General Assembly. This bill removes the requirement of passing a resolution to continue in employment.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that there is no reason to continue to require the House of Representatives to file a resolution every year.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Kolkmeyer.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

OTHERS: Others testifying on the bill say that there have been years that the resolution was not filed and everyone was still paid. This bill would not prohibit the Senate from continuing to pass a resolution every year.

Testifying on the bill was Dana Rademan Miller, Missouri House Of Representatives.