

HB 501 -- MEDICAL MARIJUANA INFORMATION

SPONSOR: Schroer

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Downsizing State Government by a vote of 8 to 4.

This bill prohibits state agencies from disclosing to the federal government or any unauthorized third party a statewide list or any individual information of persons who have applied for or obtained a medical marijuana card. The penalty for violation is a class E felony.

This bill is the same as HB 198 (2021) and similar to HB 1455 (2020).

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that the bill will protect the second amendment rights as well as protect the privacy of all Missourians from the federal government.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Schroer; Arnie Dienoff; and Susan Myers.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

Written testimony has been submitted for this bill. The full written testimony can be found under Testimony on the bill page on the House website.