

HB 1760 -- EMPLOYMENT DISCRIMINATION

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This bill prohibits discrimination based upon a person's sexual orientation. Such discrimination includes unlawful housing practices, denial of loans or other financial assistance, denial of membership into an organization relating to the selling or renting of dwellings, unlawful employment practices, and denial of the right to use public accommodations.

The bill changes the laws regarding complaints filed with the Missouri Commission on Human Rights by revising the definition of "discrimination" to include unfair treatment based on sexual orientation. It specifies that discrimination includes any unfair treatment based on a person's presumed or assumed characteristics. The bill also defines "sexual orientation".

This bill is similar to HB 275 (2021) and HB 1737 (2022).