HCS#2 SB 710 -- SCHOOL PLANNING

SPONSOR: Beck (Baker)

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass with HCS No. 2" by the Standing Committee on Downsizing State Government by a vote of 10 to 1. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules- Administrative Oversight by a vote of 7 to 0 with 1 Present.

The following is a summary of the House Committee Substitute for SB 710.

Please see the Summary Sheet for a detailed list of the additional language added to the House Committee Substitute.

The following is a summary of the public testimony from the committee hearing. The testimony was based on the Senate Perfected version of the bill.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that this is a much needed thing for schools to have. Some schools already require a plan for students with epilepsy or seizure disorders, but it is not required. We need to make sure all schools have a plan for students with epilepsy or seizure disorders.

Testifying for the bill were Senator Beck; Andrew Young; Carla Duvall; Heather M Bequette; Kayci Capps; Laura Roeseler, Epilepsy Foundation of Missouri and Kansas; Laura Thrall, Epilepsy Foundation; Stacey Perry; Susan Gibson; Tina Gates; Victoria I Hodges; Missouri State Medical Association; Holly Brady, Purple Peace Foundation; Shannon Walter; and Arnie C. Dienoff.

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.