HCR 40 -- IRELAND

SPONSOR: Baringer

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Special Committee on Tourism by a vote of 8 to 0. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules-Legislative Oversight by a vote of 10 to 0.

This Resolution recognizes and celebrates the special relationship between the United States and Ireland.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say this bill recognizes the on-going relationship and economic opportunity between Missouri and the country of Ireland. There are now Irish caucuses in all 50 states. Several Irish owned companies are located in Missouri.

Testifying in person for the bill were Representative Baringer 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 and witnesses testifying online can be found under Testimony on the bill page on the House website.