

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 1000

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERSON.

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JOSEPH ENGLER, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 217, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to deaths occurring within a department of corrections facility.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 217, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 217.446, to read as follows:

217.446. 1. When any person under fifty years of age dies within a department
2 of corrections facility, the Missouri state highway patrol shall conduct an independent
3 death investigation.

4 2. In conducting the investigation, the highway patrol shall be granted full access
5 to any records and findings of an autopsy conducted under section 217.412.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[thus]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.