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FIFTY-FIRST DAY, TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2026

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker Patterson in the Chair.

Prayer by Reverend Monsignor Robert A. Kurwicky, Chaplain.

Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving. (Colossians 4:2)

O Ancient God, who is above us and yet within us in all reverence of mind and heart, we bow our heads before You, acknowledging our dependence upon You and offering to You the loyalty and love of our humble hearts. In this day when stress could overwhelm us and a wicked spirit could engulf our hearts, keep our honor true, our hearts pure, our minds clean, and our devotion to You and our citizens simple and honest.

And the House says, "Amen!"

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

The Speaker appointed the following to act as an Honorary Page for the Day, to serve without compensation: Josiah Marimon.

The Journal of the fiftieth day was approved as printed by the following vote:

AYES: 117

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| Allen | Amato | Anderson | Appelbaum | Billington |
| Black | Boggs | Boykin | Boyko | Bromley |
| Brown | Burton | Bush | Busick | Butz |
| Byrnes | Caton | Christ | Cook | Crossley |
| Davis | Deaton | Dolan | Doll | Douglas |
| Durnell | Elliott | Falkner | Farnan | Fogle |
| Fowler | Fuchs | Gallick | Gragg | Griffith |
| Haden | Hales | Haley | Harbison | Hausman |
| Hein | Hewkin | Hinman | Hruza | Hurlbert |
| Irwin | Jacobs | Jamison | Jobe | Johnson |
| Jones 12 | Jones 88 | Jordan | Justus | Kalberloh |
| Kelley | Kimble | Lewis | Loy | Lucas |
| Mansur | Martin | Mayhew | McGaugh | McGirl |
| Meirath | Miller | Murphy | Myers | Nolte |
| Oehlerking | Overcast | Owen | Perkins | Phelps |
| Plank | Pouche | Price | Proudie | Reedy |
| Reuter | Riley | Roberts | Rush | Sassmann |
| Schmidt | Schulte | Seitz | Sharpe 4 | Shields |
| Smith 46 | Smith 68 | Smith 74 | Steinhoff | Steinmeyer |

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| Stinnett | Strickler | Taylor 48 | Terry | Thomas |
| Thompson | Titus | Van Schoiack | Verneti | Violet |
| Voss | Weber | Wellenkamp | West | Whaley |
| Williams | Wilson | Wolfen | Wright | Young |
| Zimmermann | Mr. Speaker | | | |

NOES: 000

PRESENT: 001

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ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 040

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| Aune | Banderman | Barnes | Bosley | Casteel |
| Chappell | Christensen | Clemens | Coleman | Collins |
| Costlow | Cupps | Davidson | Diehl | Ealy |
| Fountain Henderson | Hardwick | Hovis | Ingle | Keathley |
| Knight | Laubinger | Mackey | Matthiesen | Mosley |
| Murray | Parker | Peters | Pollitt | Reed |
| Riggs | Self | Sharp 37 | Simmons | Steinmetz |
| Taylor 84 | Veit | Walsh Moore | Warwick | Woods |

VACANCIES: 005

Speaker Pro Tem Perkins assumed the Chair.

SECOND READING OF SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following Senate Concurrent Resolution was read the second time:

SCS SCR 21, relating to the observance of Show-Me America 250.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following Senate Bills were read the second time:

SS#2 SB 863, relating to statewide activities associations.

SS SB 1196, relating to grants for certain workforce training programs, with an emergency clause.

SS SB 1553, relating to incentives for producing certain critical materials and pharmaceuticals.

PERFECTION OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS - INFORMAL

HCS HJR 115, relating to property tax exemptions, was taken up by Representative Griffith.

On motion of Representative Griffith, the title of **HCS HJR 115** was agreed to.

On motion of Representative Griffith, **HCS HJR 115** was adopted.

On motion of Representative Griffith, **HCS HJR 115** was ordered perfected and printed.

PERFECTION OF HOUSE BILLS - INFORMAL

HCS HB 2151, relating to grants for postsecondary education, was taken up by Representative Wilson.

On motion of Representative Wilson, the title of **HCS HB 2151** was agreed to.

On motion of Representative Wilson, **HCS HB 2151** was adopted.

On motion of Representative Wilson, **HCS HB 2151** was ordered perfected and printed.

HS HB 2576, relating to state designations, was taken up by Representative Black.

On motion of Representative Black, the title of **HS HB 2576** was agreed to.

Representative Mansur offered **House Amendment No. 1**.

House Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Substitute for House Bill No. 2576, Page 1, Section A, Line 5, by inserting after said section and line the following:

"9.025. The month of January is hereby designated as "Blood Donor Awareness Month". It is recommended to the people of this state that the month be appropriately observed through activities that increase awareness of the importance of blood donation. The state deems blood and blood products to be a critical resource and a vital public health asset that must be readily available at all times."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

On motion of Representative Mansur, **House Amendment No. 1** was adopted.

Representative Smith (46) offered **House Amendment No. 2**.

House Amendment No. 2

AMEND House Substitute for House Bill No. 2576, Page 2, Section 9.510, Line 5, by inserting after said section and line the following:

"9.516. June twenty-eighth each year is hereby designated as "Eliot and Muriel Battle Day" in Missouri. The citizens of this state are encouraged to participate in appropriate events and activities to celebrate the lives of Eliot Battle, the first Black faculty member at Hickman High School in Columbia, and Muriel Battle, the first Black principal in the Columbia Public School District. The couple worked as a team to ease racial tensions during the 1960s and have been recognized with schools in Columbia named in their honor: Eliot Battle Elementary School and Muriel Williams Battle High School."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

On motion of Representative Smith (46), **House Amendment No. 2** was adopted.

Representative Cook offered **House Amendment No. 3**.

House Amendment No. 3

AMEND House Substitute for House Bill No. 2576, Page 2, Section 9.501, Line 7, by inserting after said section and line the following:

"9.502. March twenty-sixth of each year is hereby designated as "Pediatric Acute-Onset Neuropsychiatric Syndrome (PANS)/Pediatric Autoimmune Neuropsychiatric Disorder Associated with Streptococcus (PANDAS) Awareness Day". The citizens of this state are encouraged to participate in appropriate events and activities to raise PANS/PANDAS awareness."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

On motion of Representative Cook, **House Amendment No. 3** was adopted.

Representative Smith (68) offered **House Amendment No. 4**.

House Amendment No. 4

AMEND House Substitute for House Bill No. 2576, Page 2, Section 9.510, Line 5, by inserting after said section and line the following:

"9.517. June third each year is hereby designated as "Josephine Baker Day" in Missouri. The citizens of this state are encouraged to participate in appropriate events and activities to celebrate the life and legacy of Josephine Baker, a global icon in the arts, human rights activism, and democracy."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

House Amendment No. 4 was withdrawn.

Representative Burton offered **House Amendment No. 5**.

House Amendment No. 5

AMEND House Substitute for House Bill No. 2576, Page 1, Section A, Line 5, by inserting after said section and line the following:

"9.358. April twenty-second each year is hereby designated as "Missouri Black Bear Awareness Day". Citizens of this state are encouraged to participate in appropriate events and activities to provide education about efforts to conserve Missouri's black bear population."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Representative Proudie raised a point of order that a member was in violation of Rule 84.

The Chair reminded members to keep their comments to the question under debate.

On motion of Representative Burton, **House Amendment No. 5** was adopted.

On motion of Representative Black, **HS HB 2576, as amended**, was adopted.

On motion of Representative Black, **HS HB 2576, as amended**, was ordered perfected and printed.

Representative Kalberloh assumed the Chair.

HCS HB 3175, relating to persons with impaired or limited ability to communicate with law enforcement, was taken up by Representative Brown.

On motion of Representative Brown, the title of **HCS HB 3175** was agreed to.

Representative Brown offered **House Amendment No. 1**.

House Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 3175, Page 1, Section 301.287, Line 5, by deleting the phrase "**motor vehicle license plate number**" and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase "**driver's license issued under chapter 302 and motor vehicle license plate or plates issued under this chapter**"; and

Further amend said bill and section, Pages 1-2, Lines 18-20, by deleting the phrase "**notify the Missouri state highway patrol of the resident's approved application and the highway patrol shall prepare an entry in the Missouri uniform law enforcement system (MULES)**" and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase "**prepare an entry in the department's records that is accessible to law enforcement via MULES and**"; and

Further amend said bill and section, Page 2, Line 22, by deleting the words "**Such entry**" and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Such entry as related to the applicant's driver's license shall remain active until the expiration of their driver's license. Such entry as related to the applicant's motor vehicle license plate or plates"; and

Further amend said bill, page, and section, Line 24, by deleting the word "**system**" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "**records.**"; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

On motion of Representative Brown, **House Amendment No. 1** was adopted.

On motion of Representative Brown, **HCS HB 3175, as amended**, was adopted.

On motion of Representative Brown, **HCS HB 3175, as amended**, was ordered perfected and printed.

HB 1736, relating to county sales taxes for park purposes, was taken up by Representative Wellenkamp.

On motion of Representative Wellenkamp, the title of **HB 1736** was agreed to.

On motion of Representative Wellenkamp, **HB 1736** was ordered perfected and printed.

HCS HBs 1887, 2361, 1913, 2862 & 2321, relating to the disclosure of digital depictions, was taken up by Representative Hausman.

Representative Hausman moved that the title of **HCS HBs 1887, 2361, 1913, 2862 & 2321** be agreed to.

Representative Mayhew offered **House Amendment No. 1**.

House Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill Nos. 1887, 2361, 1913, 2862 & 2321, Page 1, In the Title, Line 3, by deleting the phrase "disclosure of digital depictions" and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase "protection of certain individuals affected by digital media"; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

On motion of Representative Mayhew, **House Amendment No. 1** was adopted.

Representative Mayhew offered **House Amendment No. 2**.

House Amendment No. 2

AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill Nos. 1887, 2361, 1913, 2862 & 2321, Page 1, Section A, Line 2, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"407.3007. 1. As used in this section, the following terms mean:

(1) "Artificial intelligence" or "AI":

(a) Any artificial system that performs tasks under varying and unpredictable circumstances without significant human oversight or that can learn from experience and improve performance when exposed to data sets;

(b) An artificial system developed in computer software, physical hardware, or other computer systems that solves tasks requiring human-like perception, cognition, planning, learning, communication, or physical action;

(c) An artificial system designed to think or act like a human, including cognitive architectures and neural networks;

(d) A set of techniques, including machine learning, that is designed to approximate a cognitive task;
or

(e) An artificial system designed to act rationally, including an intelligent software agent or embodied robot that achieves goals using perception, planning, reasoning, learning, communicating, decision-making, and acting;

(2) "Mental health professional", the same as defined in section 632.005. The term "mental health professional" shall also include any person licensed in a profession regulated under chapter 337.

2. Any person or entity that develops or deploys artificial intelligence in the state shall not advertise or represent to the public that the AI is or is able to act as a mental health professional or is capable of providing therapy services, psychotherapy services, or a mental health diagnosis.

3. Any violation of this section shall be considered an unlawful practice under the Missouri merchandising practices act under this chapter.

4. The attorney general shall enforce the provisions of this section. Any individual may report violations of this section to the attorney general. If the attorney general finds that a violation occurred, the attorney general shall commence a civil action in a court of competent jurisdiction. If the court finds that a violation occurred, the court may grant damages, civil penalties, injunctive relief, attorney's fees, and any

such other relief the court finds appropriate. Notwithstanding section 407.100 to the contrary, civil penalties shall be as follows:

- (1) Ten thousand dollars for the first violation; or
- (2) Twenty thousand dollars for any subsequent violation.

407.3475. 1. The provisions of this section shall be known and may be referred to as the "Megan Meier Act".

2. For purposes of this section, the following terms mean:

(1) "Account holder", a natural person who creates, maintains, or accesses an account on a social media platform;

(2) "Age verification", a commercially reasonable method of confirming the age of an account applicant consistent with industry standards and privacy protections;

(3) "Minor", a person under eighteen years of age;

(4) "Social media platform", an online service that allows users to create accounts, create or view user-generated content, interact socially, and use algorithmically curated feeds. The term "social media platform" does not include:

(a) Services primarily used for email, direct messaging, or business collaboration;

(b) Educational platforms used by schools;

(c) Online video gaming services with integrated chat where social interaction is incidental; and

(d) Internet service providers;

(5) "Verified parent or guardian", a person with legal custody of a minor, verified through the procedures required under this section.

3. No social media platform shall permit a person under sixteen years of age to create or maintain an account separate from a parent or guardian.

4. A minor sixteen years of age or older may hold an account only with the verified consent of a parent or legal guardian.

5. Social media platforms may allow account creation but shall provide parents or guardians the ability to:

(1) Access and review account activity;

(2) Request deletion of the minor's account; and

(3) Limit messaging features between the minor and unverified adult accounts.

6. A social media platform shall implement a secure age-verification process for all Missouri users prior to account creation.

7. Age-verification data shall not be retained by the social media platform beyond what is strictly necessary for compliance with the provisions of this section.

8. Social media platforms shall use age-verification techniques that:

(1) Protect user privacy; and

(2) Are independently certifiable as compliant with standards for data minimization and security.

9. A social media platform shall immediately terminate any account determined to belong to a person under sixteen years of age.

10. A verified parent or guardian may request deletion of a minor's account and the social media platform shall comply within ten business days of such request. Social media platforms shall provide a simple, accessible process for parents or guardians to make such requests.

11. A social media platform shall not:

(1) Use addictive or manipulative design features specifically targeting minors, including infinite-scroll mechanisms or auto-playing content without time-limit controls;

(2) Permit direct messaging from adults to minors unless the adult is a verified contact who is verified by a parent or guardian; or

(3) Serve any paid advertising, sponsored content, or commercial promotion to any minor under sixteen years of age who holds an account under this section.

537.039. 1. As used in this section, the following terms mean:

(1) "Artificial intelligence", an engineered or machine-based system that varies in its level of autonomy and that can, for explicit or implicit objectives, infer from the input it receives how to generate outputs that can influence physical or virtual environments;

(2) "Explicit sexual material", any pictorial or three-dimensional material depicting human masturbation, deviant sexual intercourse, sexual intercourse, direct physical stimulation or unclothed genitals, sadomasochistic abuse, or emphasizing the depiction of postpubertal human genitals. The term "explicit sexual material" shall not include works of art or of anthropological significance.

2. No person or entity shall:

(1) Replicate or alter through the use of artificial intelligence an image or voice of an individual to generate explicit sexual material; or

(2) Use the likeness of an individual through the use of artificial intelligence for explicit sexual material

unless the person or entity has the individual's express written consent.

3. Any individual injured by a person or entity for a violation of subsection 2 of this section may bring a cause of action against the person or entity to recover actual damages as a result of the violation. Such individual shall also be entitled to recover attorney's fees and costs."; and

Further amend said bill, Page 4, Section 537.043, Line 106, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

"573.010. As used in this chapter the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Adult cabaret", a nightclub, bar, juice bar, restaurant, bottle club, or other commercial establishment, regardless of whether alcoholic beverages are served, which regularly features persons who appear semi-nude;

(2) "**Artificially generated visual depiction**", includes depictions that are obscene and indistinguishable from a real minor, morphed from a real minor's image, or generated without any actual minor involvement;

(3) "Characterized by", describing the essential character or dominant theme of an item;

~~[(3)]~~ (4) "Child", any person under the age of fourteen;

~~[(4)]~~ (5) "Child pornography":

(a) Any obscene material or performance depicting sexual conduct, sexual contact as defined in section 566.010, or a sexual performance and which has as one of its participants or portrays as an observer of such conduct, contact, or performance a minor; or

(b) Any visual depiction **or artificially generated visual depiction**, including any photograph, film, video, picture, or computer or computer-generated image or picture, whether made or produced by electronic, mechanical, or other means, of sexually explicit conduct where:

a. The production of such visual depiction **or artificially generated visual depiction** involves the use of a minor engaging in sexually explicit conduct;

b. Such visual depiction **or artificially generated visual depiction** is a digital image, computer image, or computer-generated image that is, or is indistinguishable from, that of a minor engaging in sexually explicit conduct, in that the depiction is such that an ordinary person viewing the depiction would conclude that the depiction is of an actual minor engaged in sexually explicit conduct; or

c. Such visual depiction **or artificially generated visual depiction** has been created, adapted, or modified to show that an identifiable minor is engaging in sexually explicit conduct. "Identifiable minor" means a person who was a minor at the time the visual depiction **or artificially generated visual depiction** was created, adapted, or modified; or whose image as a minor was used in creating, adapting, or modifying the visual depiction **or artificially generated visual depiction**; and who is recognizable as an actual person by the person's face, likeness, or other distinguishing characteristic, such as a unique birthmark or other recognizable feature. The term identifiable minor shall not be construed to require proof of the actual identity of the identifiable minor;

~~[(5)]~~ (6) "Employ", "employee", or "employment", any person who performs any service on the premises of a sexually oriented business, on a full-time, part-time, or contract basis, whether or not the person is denominated an employee, independent contractor, agent, or otherwise. Employee does not include a person exclusively on the premises for repair or maintenance of the premises or for the delivery of goods to the premises;

~~[(6)]~~ (7) "Explicit sexual material", any pictorial or three-dimensional material depicting human masturbation, deviate sexual intercourse, sexual intercourse, direct physical stimulation or unclothed genitals, sadomasochistic abuse, or emphasizing the depiction of postpubertal human genitals; provided, however, that works of art or of anthropological significance shall not be deemed to be within the foregoing definition;

~~[(7)]~~ (8) "Furnish", to issue, sell, give, provide, lend, mail, deliver, transfer, circulate, disseminate, present, exhibit or otherwise provide;

~~[(8)]~~ (9) "Material", anything printed or written, or any picture, drawing, photograph, motion picture film, videotape or videotape production, or pictorial representation, **or any artificially generated visual depiction**, or any recording or transcription, or any mechanical, chemical, or electrical reproduction, or stored computer data, or anything which is or may be used as a means of communication. Material includes undeveloped photographs, molds, printing plates, stored computer data and other latent representational objects;

~~[(9)]~~ (10) "Minor", any person less than eighteen years of age;

~~[(40)]~~ (11) "Nudity" or "state of nudity", the showing of the human genitals, pubic area, vulva, anus, anal cleft, or the female breast with less than a fully opaque covering of any part of the nipple or areola;

~~[(41)]~~ (12) "Obscene", any material or performance if, taken as a whole:

(a) Applying contemporary community standards, its predominant appeal is to prurient interest in sex; and
(b) The average person, applying contemporary community standards, would find the material depicts or describes sexual conduct in a patently offensive way; and

(c) A reasonable person would find the material lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value;

~~[(42)]~~ (13) "Operator", any person on the premises of a sexually oriented business who causes the business to function, puts or keeps the business in operation, or is authorized to manage the business or exercise overall operational control of the business premises. A person may be found to be operating or causing to be operated a sexually oriented business whether or not such person is an owner, part owner, or licensee of the business;

~~[(43)]~~ (14) "Performance", any play, motion picture film, videotape, dance or exhibition performed before an audience of one or more;

~~[(44)]~~ (15) "Pornographic for minors", any material or performance if the following apply:

(a) The average person, applying contemporary community standards, would find that the material or performance, taken as a whole, has a tendency to cater or appeal to a prurient interest of minors; and

(b) The material or performance depicts or describes nudity, sexual conduct, the condition of human genitals when in a state of sexual stimulation or arousal, or sadomasochistic abuse in a way which is patently offensive to the average person applying contemporary adult community standards with respect to what is suitable for minors; and

(c) The material or performance, taken as a whole, lacks serious literary, artistic, political, or scientific value for minors;

~~[(45)]~~ (16) "Premises", the real property upon which a sexually oriented business is located, and all appurtenances thereto and buildings thereon, including but not limited to the sexually oriented business, the grounds, private walkways, and parking lots or parking garages or both;

~~[(46)]~~ (17) "Promote", to manufacture, issue, sell, provide, mail, deliver, transfer, transmute, publish, distribute, circulate, disseminate, present, exhibit, or advertise, or to offer or agree to do the same, by any means including a computer;

~~[(47)]~~ (18) "Regularly", the consistent and repeated doing of the act so described;

~~[(48)]~~ (19) "Sadomasochistic abuse", flagellation or torture by or upon a person as an act of sexual stimulation or gratification;

~~[(49)]~~ (20) "Semi-nude" or "state of semi-nudity", the showing of the female breast below a horizontal line across the top of the areola and extending across the width of the breast at such point, or the showing of the male or female buttocks. Such definition includes the lower portion of the human female breast, but shall not include any portion of the cleavage of the female breasts exhibited by a bikini, dress, blouse, shirt, leotard, or similar wearing apparel provided the areola is not exposed in whole or in part;

~~[(20)]~~ (21) "Sexual conduct", actual or simulated, normal or perverted acts of human masturbation; deviate sexual intercourse; sexual intercourse; or physical contact with a person's clothed or unclothed genitals, pubic area, buttocks, or the breast of a female in an act of apparent sexual stimulation or gratification or any sadomasochistic abuse or acts including animals or any latent objects in an act of apparent sexual stimulation or gratification;

~~[(21)]~~ (22) "Sexually explicit conduct", actual or simulated:

(a) Sexual intercourse, including genital-genital, oral-genital, anal-genital, or oral-anal, whether between persons of the same or opposite sex;

(b) Bestiality;

(c) Masturbation;

(d) Sadistic or masochistic abuse; or

(e) Lascivious exhibition of the genitals or pubic area of any person;

~~[(22)]~~ (23) "Sexually oriented business" includes:

(a) An adult bookstore or adult video store. "Adult bookstore" or "adult video store" means a commercial establishment which, as one of its principal business activities, offers for sale or rental for any form of consideration any one or more of the following: books, magazines, periodicals, or other printed matter, or photographs, films, motion pictures, video cassettes, compact discs, digital video discs, slides, or other visual representations which are characterized by their emphasis upon the display of specified sexual activities or specified anatomical areas. A principal business activity exists where the commercial establishment:

- a. Has a substantial portion of its displayed merchandise which consists of such items; or
- b. Has a substantial portion of the wholesale value of its displayed merchandise which consists of such items; or
- c. Has a substantial portion of the retail value of its displayed merchandise which consists of such items; or
- d. Derives a substantial portion of its revenues from the sale or rental, for any form of consideration, of such items; or
- e. Maintains a substantial section of its interior business space for the sale or rental of such items; or
- f. Maintains an adult arcade. "Adult arcade" means any place to which the public is permitted or invited wherein coin-operated or slug-operated or electronically, electrically, or mechanically controlled still or motion picture machines, projectors, or other image-producing devices are regularly maintained to show images to five or fewer persons per machine at any one time, and where the images so displayed are characterized by their emphasis upon matter exhibiting specified sexual activities or specified anatomical areas;

(b) An adult cabaret;

(c) An adult motion picture theater. "Adult motion picture theater" means a commercial establishment where films, motion pictures, video cassettes, slides, or similar photographic reproductions, which are characterized by their emphasis upon the display of specified sexual activities or specified anatomical areas are regularly shown to more than five persons for any form of consideration;

(d) A semi-nude model studio. "Semi-nude model studio" means a place where persons regularly appear in a state of semi-nudity for money or any form of consideration in order to be observed, sketched, drawn, painted, sculptured, photographed, or similarly depicted by other persons. Such definition shall not apply to any place where persons appearing in a state of semi-nudity do so in a modeling class operated:

- a. By a college, junior college, or university supported entirely or partly by taxation;
- b. By a private college or university which maintains and operates educational programs in which credits are transferable to a college, junior college, or university supported entirely or partly by taxation; or
- c. In a structure:
 - (i) Which has no sign visible from the exterior of the structure and no other advertising that indicates a semi-nude person is available for viewing; and
 - (ii) Where, in order to participate in a class, a student must enroll at least three days in advance of the class;

(e) A sexual encounter center. "Sexual encounter center" means a business or commercial enterprise that, as one of its principal purposes, purports to offer for any form of consideration physical contact in the form of wrestling or tumbling between two or more persons when one or more of the persons is semi-nude;

~~[(23)]~~ (24) "Sexual performance", any performance, or part thereof, which includes sexual conduct by a child who is less than eighteen years of age;

~~[(24)]~~ (25) "Specified anatomical areas" include:

(a) Less than completely and opaquely covered: human genitals, pubic region, buttock, and female breast below a point immediately above the top of the areola; and

(b) Human male genitals in a discernibly turgid state, even if completely and opaquely covered;

~~[(25)]~~ (26) "Specified sexual activity", includes any of the following:

- (a) Intercourse, oral copulation, masturbation, or sodomy; or
- (b) Excretory functions as a part of or in connection with any of the activities described in paragraph (a) of this subdivision;

~~[(26)]~~ (27) "Substantial", at least thirty percent of the item or items so modified;

~~[(27)]~~ (28) "Visual depiction", includes undeveloped film and videotape, and data stored on computer disk or by electronic means which is capable of conversion into a visual image.

573.550. 1. A person commits the offense of providing explicit sexual material to a student if such person is affiliated with a public or private elementary or secondary school in an official capacity and, knowing of its content and character, such person provides, assigns, supplies, distributes, loans, or coerces acceptance of or the approval of the providing of explicit sexual material to a student or possesses with the purpose of providing, assigning, supplying, distributing, loaning, or coercing acceptance of or the approval of the providing of explicit sexual material to a student.

2. The offense of providing explicit sexual material to a student is a class A misdemeanor.

3. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Explicit sexual material", any pictorial, three-dimensional, or visual depiction **or artificially generated visual depiction**, including any photography, film, video, picture, or computer-generated image, showing human masturbation, deviate sexual intercourse as defined in section 566.010, sexual intercourse, direct physical stimulation of genitals, sadomasochistic abuse, or emphasizing the depiction of postpubertal human genitals; provided, however, that works of art, when taken as a whole, that have serious artistic significance, or works of anthropological significance, or materials used in science courses, including but not limited to materials used in biology, anatomy, physiology, and sexual education classes shall not be deemed to be within the foregoing definition;

(2) "Person affiliated with a public or private elementary or secondary school in an official capacity", an administrator, teacher, librarian, media center personnel, substitute teacher, teacher's assistant, student teacher, law enforcement officer, school board member, school bus driver, guidance counselor, coach, guest lecturer, guest speaker, or other nonschool employee who is invited to present information to students by a teacher, administrator, or other school employee. Such term shall not include a student enrolled in the elementary or secondary school."; and

Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

On motion of Representative Mayhew, **House Amendment No. 2** was adopted.

On motion of Representative Hausman, **HCS HBs 1887, 2361, 1913, 2862 & 2321, as amended**, was adopted.

On motion of Representative Hausman, **HCS HBs 1887, 2361, 1913, 2862 & 2321, as amended**, was ordered perfected and printed.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Joint Resolution was referred to the Committee indicated:

HCS HJR 159 - Fiscal Review

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

HB 2436 - Fiscal Review

HCS HB 2474 - Fiscal Review

HB 2287 - Health and Mental Health

HB 2556 - Health and Mental Health

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS

The following Senate Bill was referred to the Committee indicated:

SS#2 SB 863 - Corrections and Public Institutions

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Children and Families, Chairman Jones (88) reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Children and Families, to which was referred **HB 3322**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (14): Dolan, Elliott, Hausman, Jamison, Jones (88), Laubinger, Loy, Mansur, Peters, Proudie, Schmidt, Steinmetz, Terry and Violet

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Costlow, Gragg and Kelley

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Children and Families, to which was referred **HB 3470**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (14): Dolan, Elliott, Hausman, Jamison, Jones (88), Laubinger, Loy, Mansur, Peters, Proudie, Schmidt, Steinmetz, Terry and Violet

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Costlow, Gragg and Kelley

Committee on Crime and Public Safety, Chairman Myers reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 1868** and **HB 3257**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Cook, Irwin, Jones (88), Myers, Schulte, Seitz, Violet and West

Noes (2): Anderson and Fuchs

Absent (9): Banderman, Bosley, Collins, Hovis, Phelps, Price, Sharp (37), Taylor (48) and Williams

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 3017**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Cook, Irwin, Jones (88), Myers, Schulte, Seitz, Violet and West

Noes (2): Anderson and Fuchs

Absent (9): Banderman, Bosley, Collins, Hovis, Phelps, Price, Sharp (37), Taylor (48) and Williams

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **SS SJR 87**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Cook, Irwin, Jones (88), Myers, Schulte, Seitz, Violet and West

Noes (2): Anderson and Fuchs

Absent (9): Banderman, Bosley, Collins, Hovis, Phelps, Price, Sharp (37), Taylor (48) and Williams

Committee on Emerging Issues, Chairman Christ reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Emerging Issues, to which was referred **SS SB 1421**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Christ, Hausman, Hinman, Hruza, Jones (12), Oehlerking, Peters and Price

Noes (3): Fuchs, Thomas and Weber

Absent (3): Davidson, Hurlbert and Overcast

Committee on Legislative Review, Chairman Pollitt reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Legislative Review, to which was committed **HCS HBs 3068 & 3049, as amended**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Crossley, Diehl, Doll, Hausman, Hurlbert, Laubinger, Perkins and Pollitt

Noes (1): Fuchs

Absent (1): Keathley

Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, Chairman Byrnes reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, to which was referred **HB 3381**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (12): Amato, Brown, Byrnes, Gallick, Hales, Meirath, Oehlerking, Reuter, Rush, Walsh Moore, Wellenkamp and Wolfen

Noes (0)

Absent (5): Black, Falkner, Fowler, Mosley and Smith (68)

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, to which was referred **SB 1351**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (12): Amato, Brown, Byrnes, Gallick, Hales, Meirath, Mosley, Oehlerking, Reuter, Rush, Walsh Moore and Wellenkamp

Noes (2): Smith (68) and Wolfen

Absent (3): Black, Falkner and Fowler

Committee on Consent and Procedure, Vice Chair Hovis reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Consent and Procedure, to which was referred **HCS SS SCS SBs 907, 1154 & 1272**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass - Not Consent** by the following vote:

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Ayes (6): Appelbaum, Falkner, Kalberloh, Mosley, Pouche and Reed

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Hovis, Matthiesen and Thompson

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Consent and Procedure, to which was referred **SCS SB 1142**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass - Consent** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Appelbaum, Falkner, Kalberloh, Mosley, Pouche and Reed

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Hovis, Matthiesen and Thompson

Committee on Rules - Legislative, Chairman Cupps reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HB 1752**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Billington, Boggs, Bosley, Boykin, Cupps, Fowler, Ingle, Pollitt and Steinmeyer

Noes (3): Mayhew, Pouche and West

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HCS HB 1817**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (11): Billington, Boggs, Bosley, Boykin, Cupps, Fowler, Ingle, Pollitt, Pouche, Steinmeyer and West

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Mayhew

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HB 2000**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (10): Billington, Boggs, Boykin, Cupps, Fowler, Ingle, Pollitt, Pouche, Steinmeyer and West

Noes (1): Bosley

Absent (1): Mayhew

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HB 2206**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Billington, Boggs, Fowler, Ingle, Pollitt, Pouche, Steinmeyer and West

Noes (2): Boykin and Cupps

Present (1): Bosley

Absent (1): Mayhew

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HCS HBs 2278 & 2403**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Billington, Boggs, Cupps, Fowler, Pouche, Steinmeyer and West

Noes (3): Bosley, Boykin and Ingle

Present (1): Pollitt

Absent (1): Mayhew

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HCS HBs 2951, 2958 & 2977**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (11): Billington, Boggs, Bosley, Boykin, Cupps, Fowler, Ingle, Mayhew, Pollitt, Steinmeyer and West

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Pouche

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HB 3423**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Billington, Boggs, Cupps, Fowler, Pouche, Steinmeyer and West

Noes (3): Bosley, Boykin and Ingle

Absent (2): Mayhew and Pollitt

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HB 3510**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (10): Billington, Boggs, Bosley, Boykin, Cupps, Fowler, Ingle, Pouche, Steinmeyer and West

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Mayhew and Pollitt

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS - RULES

The following House Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

HCS HB 3304 - Rules - Administrative

HCS HB 3314 - Rules - Legislative

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS - RULES

The following Senate Bill was referred to the Committee indicated:

HCS SS#2 SB 1233 - Rules - Administrative

The following members' presence was noted: Aune, Banderman, Barnes, Bosley, Casteel, Christensen, Clemens, Coleman, Costlow, Davidson, Diehl, Ealy, Fountain Henderson, Hardwick, Hovis, Ingle, Knight, Laubinger, Mackey, Matthiesen, Mosley, Murray, Parker, Peters, Pollitt, Reed, Riggs, Self, Sharp (37), Simmons, Steinmetz, Taylor (84), Veit, Walsh Moore, Warwick, and Woods.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Representative Riley, the House adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 15, 2026.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

BUDGET

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 8:30 AM, House Hearing Room 3.
Public hearing will be held: SB 1470

COMMERCE

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6.
Public hearing will be held: SB 1020, HB 3093

CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Thursday, April 16, 2026, 8:30 AM, House Hearing Room 5.
Public hearing will be held: HB 3193, HB 3320
Executive session will be held: SB 953

CORRECTIONS AND PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 12:15 PM or upon adjournment of Financial Institutions (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 1.
Executive session will be held: HCR 29, SB 945, HB 2414

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 12:00 PM or upon morning recess (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 3489

Executive session will be held: HB 2126, HB 2197, HCR 31

EMERGING ISSUES

Thursday, April 16, 2026, 9:00 AM, House Hearing Room 3.

Public hearing will be held: SCS SB 959

Executive session will be held: SS SCS SB 905

ETHICS

Thursday, April 23, 2026, 9:00 AM, House Hearing Room 4.

Portions of this meeting may be closed under the authority of Article III, Sections 18 and 20, of the Constitution of Missouri, House Rule 37, House Resolution 141, and RSMo 610.021(1), (3), (13) and (14) to discuss Complaint 26-01.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 12:00 PM or upon morning recess (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 1.

Executive session will be held: SS SB 834

FISCAL REVIEW

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 9:30 AM, House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session will be held: HCS HB 2741, HCS HB 2474

Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

Pending referrals.

Added HB 2474.

AMENDED

GENERAL LAWS

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 3:30 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: SB 1119

Executive session will be held: SS#3 SB 1062

GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY

Thursday, April 16, 2026, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 3108, HB 2589, SS SCS SBs 977 & 1011

Executive session will be held: HB 2809

Added SB 977 and HB 2809.

AMENDED

HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH

Thursday, April 16, 2026, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2903, HB 3379, SS SCS SB 1015

Executive session will be held: HB 2370, HB 3278, HB 1638

There will be a presentation on the Special Needs Tracking & Awareness Response System (STARS), by Nick Salzmann.

JUDICIARY

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 12:00 PM or upon morning recess (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 3054

Executive session will be held: HB 2666

LEGISLATIVE REVIEW

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 9:00 AM, House Hearing Room 7.

Executive session will be held: SB 1544

PENSIONS

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 4:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 6.

Executive session will be held: HB 3479

RULES - ADMINISTRATIVE

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 9:00 AM, House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session will be held: HCS SS SCS SBs 835 & 1111, HCS SS SCS SB 1087,
HCS HB 2123, HB 2912

Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON TAX REFORM

Thursday, April 16, 2026, 9:30 AM, House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2515

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON TOURISM

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 12:00 PM or upon morning recess (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2213, HB 3216, SB 1613

Executive session will be held: SS SB 1000

TRANSPORTATION

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 4:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 3317

Executive session will be held: HB 1798, HB 1831, HB 2328, HB 2553, SB 1408

This hearing will only be held if Tuesday's hearing is cancelled.

Added SB 1408 and removed HB 3317 from Executive Session.

AMENDED

UTILITIES

Wednesday, April 15, 2026, 9:00 AM, House Hearing Room 1.
Executive session will be held: HB 2248, SB 1629

HOUSE CALENDAR

FIFTY-SECOND DAY, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2026

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS FOR PERFECTION - INFORMAL

HJR 124 - Cook
HCS HJRs 122, 104 & 149 - McGaugh
HJR 130 - Seitz

HOUSE BILLS FOR PERFECTION - INFORMAL

HB 1802 - Matthiesen
HCS HB 2765 - Justus
HCS HBs 2142 & 2058 - Wellenkamp
HB 1906 - McGaugh
HB 2170 - Sassmann
HB 1624 - Sassmann
HCS HBs 1945 & 2570 - Hruza
HB 2468 - Phelps
HCS HB 2902 - Mayhew
HCS HB 2925 - Fowler
HB 2267 - Taylor (48)
HCS HB 2714 - Diehl
HB 1828 - Violet
HCS HB 2034 - Caton
HCS HBs 1850 & 1975 - Hewkin
HCS HB 3004 - Harbison
HS HCS HBs 3068 & 3049 - Myers
HCS HBs 3283 & 3306 - Brown
HCS HBs 2817 & 2961 - Overcast
HB 2162 - Dolan
HCS HB 2297 - Haden
HB 3249 - Hruza
HB 3095 - Brown
HCS HB 2536 - Laubinger
HCS HB 2269 - Taylor (48)
HB 2855 - Voss
HCS HB 2234 - Byrnes
HB 2516 - Byrnes
HCS HBs 1941, 2279 & 1681 - Hruza
HB 3003 - Steinmeyer
HCS HBs 2709 & 2671 - Reedy

HCS HB 2713 - Diehl
HB 1834 - Kelley
HB 2164 - Dolan
HB 2945 - Hardwick
HCS HB 1939 - Murphy
HB 1997 - Irwin
HB 1853 - Hewkin
HB 2458 - Dolan
HCS HBs 2115 & 1876 - McGaugh
HB 2830 - Collins
HB 2107 - West
HCS#2 HB 2668 - Keathley
HB 2859 - Matthiesen
HB 1771 - Amato
HB 1759 - McGirl
HCS HBs 3012, 2997 & 3058 - Kelley
HCS HBs 2751, 2831 & 2695 - Perkins
HB 2686 - Knight
HB 1651 - Jordan
HB 2694 - Steinmeyer
HCS HBs 2365, 2490 & 2249 - Schulte
HB 2717 - Diehl
HB 3303 - Williams
HB 2874 - Phelps
HCS HB 2868 - Parker
HCS HB 2195 - Reedy

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING

HCR 48 - Davis
HCR 23 - Perkins

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING

HCS HJR 159, (Fiscal Review 4/14/26) - Thompson

HOUSE BILLS FOR THIRD READING

HCS HB 2741, (Fiscal Review 4/9/26) - Caton
HCS HB 2474, (Fiscal Review 4/14/26) - Voss
HCS HB 3076 - Justus
HB 2436, (Fiscal Review 4/14/26) - Van Schoiack

HOUSE BILLS FOR THIRD READING - INFORMAL

HCS HB 3005 - Justus
HB 1881 - Allen

SENATE BILLS FOR THIRD READING

HCS SS SCS SBs 907, 1154 & 1272 - Seitz
HCS SB 982 - Myers

ACTIONS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV, SECTION 27

CCS SS SCS HCS HB 2 - Deaton
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