

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. ____
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Offered By

1 AMEND House Amendment No. ____ to House Bill No. 1637, Page 1, Line 4, by deleting all of
2 said line and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
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4 ""67.145. 1. No political subdivision of this state shall
5 prohibit any first responder from engaging in any political
6 activity while off duty and not in uniform, being a candidate for
7 elected or appointed public office, or holding such office unless
8 such political activity or candidacy is otherwise prohibited by
9 state or federal law.

10 2. As used in this section, "first responder" means any
11 person trained and authorized by law or rule to render emergency
12 medical assistance or treatment. Such persons may include, but
13 shall not be limited to, emergency first responders,
14 telecommunicator first responders, police officers, sheriffs,
15 deputy sheriffs, firefighters, ambulance attendants and attendant
16 drivers, emergency medical technicians, mobile emergency medical
17 technicians, emergency medical technician-paramedics, registered
18 nurses, or physicians.

19 70.631. 1. Each political subdivision may, by majority vote
20 of its governing body, elect to cover [~~emergency telecommunicators~~]
21 telecommunicator first responders, jailors, and emergency medical
22 service personnel as public safety personnel members of the system.
23 The clerk or secretary of the political subdivision shall certify
24 an election concerning the coverage of [~~emergency~~
25 ~~telecommunicators~~] telecommunicator first responders, jailors, and
26 emergency medical service personnel as public safety personnel
27 members of the system to the board within ten days after such vote.
28 The date in which the political subdivision's election becomes

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1 effective shall be the first day of the calendar month specified by
2 such governing body, the first day of the calendar month next
3 following receipt by the board of the certification of the
4 election, or the effective date of the political subdivision's
5 becoming an employer, whichever is the latest date. Such election
6 shall not be changed after the effective date. If the election is
7 made, the coverage provisions shall be applicable to all past and
8 future employment with the employer by present and future
9 employees. If a political subdivision makes no election under this
10 section, no ~~[emergency]~~ telecommunicator first responder, jailor,
11 or emergency medical service personnel of the political subdivision
12 shall be considered public safety personnel for purposes
13 determining a minimum service retirement age as defined in section
14 70.600.

15 2. If an employer elects to cover ~~[emergency~~
16 ~~telecommunicators]~~ telecommunicator first responders, jailors, and
17 emergency medical service personnel as public safety personnel
18 members of the system, the employer's contributions shall be
19 correspondingly changed effective the same date as the effective
20 date of the political subdivision's election.

21 3. The limitation on increases in an employer's contributions
22 provided by subsection 6 of section 70.730 shall not apply to any
23 contribution increase resulting from an employer making an election
24 under the provisions of this section.

25 4. The provisions of this section shall only apply to
26 counties of the third classification and any county of the first
27 classification with more than seventy thousand but fewer than
28 eighty-three thousand inhabitants and with a city of the fourth
29 classification with more than thirteen thousand five hundred but
30 fewer than sixteen thousand inhabitants as the county seat, and any
31 political subdivisions located, in whole or in part, within such
32 counties.

33 170.310. 1. For school year 2017-18 and each school year
34 thereafter, upon graduation from high school, pupils in public
35 schools and charter schools shall have received thirty minutes of
36 cardiopulmonary resuscitation instruction and training in the
37 proper performance of the Heimlich maneuver or other first aid for
38 choking given any time during a pupil's four years of high school.

39 2. Beginning in school year 2017-18, any public school or

1 charter school serving grades nine through twelve shall provide
2 enrolled students instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation.
3 Students with disabilities may participate to the extent
4 appropriate as determined by the provisions of the Individuals with
5 Disabilities Education Act or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation
6 Act. Instruction shall be included in the district's existing
7 health or physical education curriculum. Instruction shall be
8 based on a program established by the American Heart Association or
9 the American Red Cross, or through a nationally recognized program
10 based on the most current national evidence-based emergency
11 cardiovascular care guidelines, and psychomotor skills development
12 shall be incorporated into the instruction. For purposes of this
13 section, "psychomotor skills" means the use of hands-on practicing
14 and skills testing to support cognitive learning.

15 3. The teacher of the cardiopulmonary resuscitation course or
16 unit shall not be required to be a certified trainer of
17 cardiopulmonary resuscitation if the instruction is not designed to
18 result in certification of students. Instruction that is designed
19 to result in certification being earned shall be required to be
20 taught by an authorized cardiopulmonary instructor. Schools may
21 develop agreements with any local chapter of a voluntary
22 organization of first responders to provide the required hands-on
23 practice and skills testing. For purposes of this subsection,
24 first responders shall include telecommunicator first responders as
25 defined in section 650.320.

26 4. The department of elementary and secondary education may
27 promulgate rules to implement this section. Any rule or portion of
28 a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created
29 under the authority delegated in this section shall become
30 effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the
31 provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028.
32 This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the
33 powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to
34 review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a
35 rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of
36 rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August
37 28, 2012, shall be invalid and void.

38 190.091. 1. As used in this section, the following terms
39 mean:

1 (1) "Bioterrorism", the intentional use of any microorganism,
2 virus, infectious substance, or biological product that may be
3 engineered as a result of biotechnology or any naturally occurring
4 or bioengineered component of any microorganism, virus, infectious
5 substance, or biological product to cause death, disease, or other
6 biological malfunction in a human, an animal, a plant, or any other
7 living organism to influence the conduct of government or to
8 intimidate or coerce a civilian population;

9 (2) "Department", the Missouri department of health and
10 senior services;

11 (3) "Director", the director of the department of health and
12 senior services;

13 (4) "Disaster locations", any geographical location where a
14 bioterrorism attack, terrorist attack, catastrophic or natural
15 disaster, or emergency occurs;

16 (5) "First responders", state and local law enforcement
17 personnel, telecommunicator first responders, fire department
18 personnel, and emergency medical personnel who will be deployed to
19 bioterrorism attacks, terrorist attacks, catastrophic or natural
20 disasters, and emergencies.

21 2. The department shall offer a vaccination program for first
22 responders who may be exposed to infectious diseases when deployed
23 to disaster locations as a result of a bioterrorism event or a
24 suspected bioterrorism event. The vaccinations shall include, but
25 are not limited to, smallpox, anthrax, and other vaccinations when
26 recommended by the federal Centers for Disease Control and
27 Prevention's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices.

28 3. Participation in the vaccination program shall be
29 voluntary by the first responders, except for first responders who,
30 as determined by their employer, cannot safely perform emergency
31 responsibilities when responding to a bioterrorism event or
32 suspected bioterrorism event without being vaccinated. The
33 recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's
34 Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices shall be followed when
35 providing appropriate screening for contraindications to
36 vaccination for first responders. A first responder shall be
37 exempt from vaccinations when a written statement from a licensed
38 physician is presented to their employer indicating that a vaccine
39 is medically contraindicated for such person.

1 4. If a shortage of the vaccines referred to in subsection 2
2 of this section exists following a bioterrorism event or suspected
3 bioterrorism event, the director, in consultation with the governor
4 and the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, shall
5 give priority for such vaccinations to persons exposed to the
6 disease and to first responders who are deployed to the disaster
7 location.

8 5. The department shall notify first responders concerning
9 the availability of the vaccination program described in subsection
10 2 of this section and shall provide education to such first
11 responders and their employers concerning the vaccinations offered
12 and the associated diseases.

13 6. The department may contract for the administration of the
14 vaccination program described in subsection 2 of this section with
15 health care providers, including but not limited to local public
16 health agencies, hospitals, federally qualified health centers, and
17 physicians.

18 7. The provisions of this section shall become effective upon
19 receipt of federal funding or federal grants which designate that
20 the funding is required to implement vaccinations for first
21 responders in accordance with the recommendations of the federal
22 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Advisory Committee on
23 Immunization Practices. Upon receipt of such funding, the
24 department shall make available the vaccines to first responders as
25 provided in this section.

26 210.493. 1. Officers, managers, contractors, volunteers with
27 access to children, and"; and

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29 Further amend said amendment, Page 3, Line 30, by inserting after
30 all of said line the following:

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32 "Further amend said bill and page, Section 570.212, Line 11, by
33 inserting after all of said section and line the following:

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35 "650.320. For the purposes of sections 650.320 to 650.340,
36 the following terms mean:

37 (1) "Board", the Missouri 911 service board established in
38 section 650.325;

39 (2) "Public safety answering point", the location at which

1 911 calls are answered;

2 (3) "Telecommunicator first responder", any person employed
3 as an emergency telephone worker, call taker or public safety
4 dispatcher whose duties include receiving, processing or
5 transmitting public safety information received through a 911
6 public safety answering point.

7 650.340. 1. The provisions of this section may be cited and
8 shall be known as the "911 Training and Standards Act".

9 2. Initial training requirements for [~~telecommunicators~~]
10 telecommunicator first responders who answer 911 calls that come to
11 public safety answering points shall be as follows:

12 (1) Police telecommunicator first responder, 16 hours;

13 (2) Fire telecommunicator first responder, 16 hours;

14 (3) Emergency medical services telecommunicator first
15 responder, 16 hours;

16 (4) Joint communication center telecommunicator first
17 responder, 40 hours.

18 3. All persons employed as a telecommunicator first responder
19 in this state shall be required to complete ongoing training so
20 long as such person engages in the occupation as a telecommunicator
21 first responder. Such persons shall complete at least twenty-four
22 hours of ongoing training every three years by such persons or
23 organizations as provided in subsection 6 of this section.

24 4. Any person employed as a telecommunicator on August 28,
25 1999, shall not be required to complete the training requirement as
26 provided in subsection 2 of this section. Any person hired as a
27 telecommunicator or a telecommunicator first responder after August
28 28, 1999, shall complete the training requirements as provided in
29 subsection 2 of this section within twelve months of the date such
30 person is employed as a telecommunicator or telecommunicator first
31 responder.

32 5. The training requirements as provided in subsection 2 of
33 this section shall be waived for any person who furnishes proof to
34 the committee that such person has completed training in another
35 state which is at least as stringent as the training requirements
36 of subsection 2 of this section.

37 6. The board shall determine by administrative rule the
38 persons or organizations authorized to conduct the training as
39 required by subsection 2 of this section.

1 7. This section shall not apply to an emergency medical
2 dispatcher or dispatch agency as defined in section 190.100, or a
3 person trained by an entity accredited or certified under section
4 190.131, or a person who provides prearrival medical instructions
5 who works for an agency which meets the requirements set forth in
6 section 190.134."; and"; and

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

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11 THIS AMENDMENT AMENDS 3817H01.19H.