

LICENSING OF NON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

- WHEREAS, There are presently no accreditation guidelines for non public schools in Missouri; and
- WHEREAS, Compulsory school attendance laws require students from the ages of seven to sixteen to attend school; and
- WHEREAS, At present, non certified and untrained teachers may open a “school” and have no requirements on number of days per year or hours per day; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Missouri Congress of Parents and Teachers, its units and councils, urge the Missouri General Assembly to require licensing of any academic school educating children between the ages of five, on or before October 1, to sixteen, setting minimum standards for qualifications of teachers, number of school days and hours of attendance.

Adopted 1982