**The Senate Minute: Digital Audio File Script on SB 731**

Missouri senators may examine expanding conceal-carry laws.

Wednesday saw the Missouri Senate [Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety Committee](http://www.senate.mo.gov/tran/) hear testimony on [Senate Bill 731](http://www.senate.mo.gov/16info/bts_web/Bill.aspx?SessionType=R&BillID=22246427), which would remove the current ban on carrying concealed firearms in higher education institutions.

Senator Brian Munzlinger of Williamstown is the sponsor…

**Munzlinger 1 / Runs :11 / OC: have that right.**

*“Well, this is our Second Amendment rights. That Second Amendment right allows us the ability to protect ourselves, and when we face danger — if you’re trained — then you should have that right.”*

During discussion, Sen. Maria Chappelle-Nadal of University City said colleges and universities may have to be considered differently…

**Chappelle-Nadal 2 / Runs :11 / OC: to Lincoln University.**

*“Students on college campuses…there so many variables that we have to consider. I had a parent who called me. Her child goes to Lincoln University.”*

No final committee action has yet been taken on Senate Bill 731.

Reporting for the Missouri Senate, I’m Dean Morgan.