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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 832

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 832, AS AMENDED, by
3 replacing everything after the enacting clause with the
4 following:

5 "Section 5. The Illinois Literacy Act is amended by
6 changing Section 20 as follows:

7 (15 ILCS 322/20)

8 Sec. 20. Illinois Literacy Council.

9 (a) The Council shall facilitate the improvement of
10 literacy levels of Illinois citizens by providing a forum from
11 which representatives from throughout the State can promote
12 literacy, share expertise, and recommend policy.

13 (b) The Council shall be appointed by and be responsible
14 to the Governor. The Secretary of State shall serve as
15 chairman. The Council shall advise the Governor and other
16 agencies on strategies that address the literacy needs of the

1 State, especially with respect to the needs of workplace
2 literacy, family literacy, program evaluation, public
3 awareness, and public and private partnerships.

4 (c) The Council will determine its own procedures and the
5 number, time, place, and conduct of its meetings. It shall
6 meet at least 4 times a year. The Council may be assisted in
7 its activities by the Literacy Office. Council members shall
8 not receive compensation for their services.

9 (d) The Council's membership shall consist of
10 representatives of public education, public and private sector
11 employment, labor organizations, community literacy
12 organizations, libraries, volunteer organizations, the Office
13 of the Secretary of State, ~~the Department of Commerce and~~
14 ~~Economic Opportunity,~~ the Illinois Community College Board,
15 the Department of Employment Security, the Department of Human
16 Services, the State Board of Education, and the Department of
17 Corrections, ~~and the Prairie State 2000 Authority.~~

18 (e) The Council members representing State agencies shall
19 act as an interagency coordinating committee to improve the
20 system for delivery of literacy services, provide pertinent
21 information and agency comments to Council members, and
22 implement the recommendations forwarded by the Council and
23 approved by the Governor.

24 (f) The Secretary of State, in consultation with the
25 Council, shall expend moneys to perform Council functions as
26 authorized by this Act from the Literacy Advancement Fund, a

1 special fund hereby created in the State Treasury. All moneys
2 received from an income tax checkoff for the Literacy
3 Advancement Fund as provided in Section 507I of the Illinois
4 Income Tax Act shall be deposited into the Fund.

5 (Source: P.A. 94-793, eff. 5-19-06.)

6 Section 10. The Department of Commerce and Economic
7 Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois
8 is amended by changing Sections 605-460 and 605-1007 as
9 follows:

10 (20 ILCS 605/605-460)

11 Sec. 605-460. Engineering excellence program.

12 (a) Coordination between engineering schools and private
13 business is an important tool in fostering innovation.
14 Universities have eager students, experienced faculty, and
15 state-of-the-art research facilities. Businesses have existing
16 markets, production capital, and evolving needs. The General
17 Assembly believes that universities and businesses should
18 share resources to allow students to participate in the
19 research and development area of innovative design and to
20 allow businesses to benefit from the developing skills of
21 these students.

22 (b) In order to facilitate engineering excellence, the
23 Department ~~may shall~~ develop a program to achieve the goals
24 set forth in subsection (a). Under this program, the

1 Department ~~may~~ must:

2 (1) Annually contact the State's major public and
3 private universities with engineering schools.

4 (2) Request a one-page written summary of the
5 internship, externship, or residency programs operated by
6 the engineering college of each of the contacted
7 universities.

8 (3) Identify the manufacturing businesses within 50
9 miles of each university that responded under paragraph
10 (2) that could benefit from assistance in the area of
11 innovative design.

12 (4) Send a letter to each manufacturer identified
13 under paragraph (3), informing it of the university's
14 program and advising the business to contact the
15 university if it wishes to participate in the engineering
16 school's program.

17 (c) The Department may ~~shall~~ adopt rules for the
18 implementation of this Section.

19 (Source: P.A. 97-721, eff. 6-29-12.)

20 (20 ILCS 605/605-1007)

21 Sec. 605-1007. New business permitting portal.

22 (a) By July 1, 2017, the Department shall, subject to
23 appropriation, create and maintain, in consultation with the
24 Department of Innovation and Technology, a website to help
25 persons wishing to create new businesses or relocate

1 businesses to Illinois. The Department shall consult with at
2 least one organization representing small businesses in this
3 State while creating the website.

4 (b) The website shall include:

5 (1) an estimate of license and permitting fees for
6 different businesses;

7 (2) State government application forms for business
8 licensing or registration;

9 (3) hyperlinks to websites of the responsible agency
10 or organization responsible for accepting the application;
11 and

12 (4) contact information for any local government
13 permitting agencies that may be relevant.

14 (c) The Department shall contact all agencies to obtain
15 business forms and other information for this website. Those
16 agencies shall respond to the Department before July 1, 2016.

17 (d) The website shall also include some mechanism for the
18 potential business owner to request more information from the
19 Department that may be helpful in starting the business,
20 including, but not limited to, State-based incentives that the
21 business owner may qualify for when starting or relocating a
22 business.

23 (e) The Department shall update the website at least once
24 a year before July 1. The Department shall request that other
25 State agencies report any changes in applicable application
26 forms to the Department by June 1 of every year after 2016.

1 (Source: P.A. 99-134, eff. 1-1-16; 100-611, eff. 7-20-18.)

2 (20 ILCS 605/605-110 rep.)

3 (20 ILCS 605/605-205 rep.)

4 (20 ILCS 605/605-340 rep.)

5 (20 ILCS 605/605-575 rep.)

6 (20 ILCS 605/605-825 rep.)

7 (20 ILCS 605/605-860 rep.)

8 Section 15. The Department of Commerce and Economic
9 Opportunity Law of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois
10 is amended by repealing Sections 605-110, 605-205, 605-340,
11 605-575, 605-825, and 605-860.

12 (20 ILCS 630/11 rep.)

13 (20 ILCS 630/17 rep.)

14 Section 20. The Illinois Emergency Employment Development
15 Act is amended by repealing Sections 11 and 17.

16 (20 ILCS 3987/Act rep.)

17 Section 25. The Local Government Consolidation Commission
18 Act of 2011 is repealed.

19 (30 ILCS 375/3 rep.)

20 Section 30. The Local Government Debt Offering Act is
21 amended by repealing Section 3.

1 (310 ILCS 30/2 rep.)

2 Section 35. The Redevelopment Project Rehousing and
3 Capital Improvements Act is amended by repealing Section 2.

4 Section 40. The Bikeway Act is amended by changing Section
5 4 as follows:

6 (605 ILCS 30/4) (from Ch. 121, par. 604)

7 Sec. 4. In expending funds available for purposes of this
8 Act, the Department shall cooperate with municipalities,
9 townships, counties, road districts, park districts and other
10 appropriate agencies and organizations and, where possible and
11 practicable, shall allocate its expenditures among the several
12 regions of the State, proportionally to the bicycling
13 population.

14 The Secretary of Transportation shall serve as chairman of
15 and shall at least quarterly convene an interagency council on
16 the bikeways program, comprised of the Director of Natural
17 Resources, the Director of Commerce and Economic Opportunity
18 or his or her designee, the State Superintendent of Education,
19 a county engineer or county superintendent of highways chosen
20 by the statewide association of county engineers, a
21 representative of the Cook County Forest Preserve District,
22 and the Secretary of Transportation, for the purpose of
23 determining policy and priorities in effectuating the purposes
24 of this Act.

1 (Source: P.A. 94-793, eff. 5-19-06.)

2 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
3 becoming law."