

BY: Senator Mitchell

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 179
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 7, strike “authorizing” and substitute “requiring”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 8, in line 5, strike “MAY” and substitute “SHALL”; in line 7, strike “AND”; in line 8, after “ACTIVITIES” insert “WHICH DO NOT DISCRIMINATE AMONG EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION THAT IS NOT AN EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE,”; and in line 9, after “SITE” insert “; AND”

(3) ALLOW AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION THAT QUALIFIES FOR DUES DEDUCTIONS UNDER § 2-403 OF THIS ARTICLE TO:

(I) HAVE ACCESS TO SECURE FACILITIES FOR MEETINGS, INCLUDING ORIENTATION MEETINGS WITH NEW EMPLOYEES;

(II) PARTICIPATE IN EMPLOYEE HEALTH FAIRS;

(III) HOLD OPEN RECRUITING ON THE WORK SITE;

(IV) HAVE ACCESS TO SECURE BULLETIN BOARDS; AND

(V) ENGAGE IN OTHER ACTIVITIES NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE EMPLOYEE RIGHTS AND PROVIDE THE EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION ACCESS TO EMPLOYEES”.

On page 9, after line 17, insert:

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“(2) HAVE ACCESS TO THE EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION OF THEIR CHOICE ON THE WORK SITE, HOLD ORGANIZATIONAL MEETINGS ON THE WORK SITE, AND PARTICIPATE IN ACTIVITIES HELD BY AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION ON THE WORK SITE.”;

and in lines 18 and 20, strike “(2)” and “(3)” and substitute “(3)” and “(4)”.