(House Bill 835)

AN ACT concerning

Labor and Employment – Incentive Programs for Hiring and Retraining – List

FOR the purpose of requiring the Maryland Department of Labor to develop a list of any federal or State incentive programs available to an employer who hires and trains formerly incarcerated individuals; requiring the Department to make the list available on the main page of the Department's website; and generally relating to a list of incentive programs for hiring and retraining formerly incarcerated individuals.

BY adding to

Article – Labor and Employment Section 11–605 Annotated Code of Maryland (2016 Replacement Volume and 2019 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – Labor and Employment

11-605.

(A) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DEVELOP A LIST OF ANY FEDERAL OR STATE INCENTIVE PROGRAMS AVAILABLE TO AN EMPLOYER WHO HIRES AND TRAINS FORMERLY INCARCERATED INDIVIDUALS.

(B) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE THE LIST ACCESSIBLE ON THE MAIN PAGE OF THE DEPARTMENT'S WEBSITE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2020.

Enacted under Article II, § 17(c) of the Maryland Constitution, May 8, 2020.

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