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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 405

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 10, after "circumstances;" insert "requiring organizations that have registered apprenticeship programs and receive certain funds to certify to the Secretary that the funds are used solely for the purpose of improving or expanding apprenticeship training in the State; requiring the Secretary to adopt regulations that establish a process for auditing organizations that have registered apprenticeship programs to ensure that certain funds received are used solely to improve and expand apprenticeship programs in the State;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 21, strike "OR"; in line 22, after "FUND" insert "; OR

(3) THE CONTRACTOR WILL MAKE PAYMENTS IN AMOUNTS DETERMINED UNDER § 17–605 OF THIS SUBTITLE TO A REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM OR TO AN ORGANIZATION THAT HAS REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING THESE PROGRAMS";

and after line 26, insert:

"(C) ORGANIZATIONS THAT HAVE REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS AND RECEIVE FUNDS FROM CONTRACTORS UNDER SUBSECTION (A)(3) OF THIS SECTION SHALL CERTIFY TO THE SECRETARY THAT ALL FUNDS RECEIVED ARE USED SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMPROVING OR EXPANDING APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING IN THE STATE.

(D) THE SECRETARY SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS FOR AUDITING ORGANIZATIONS THAT PROVIDE REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS TO ENSURE THAT ALL FUNDS RECEIVED UNDER SUBSECTION (A)(3) OF THIS SECTION ARE USED SOLELY TO IMPROVE AND EXPAND APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS IN THE STATE."

On page 4, in line 3, strike "OR"; in line 4, after "FUND" insert "; OR

(3) THE SUBCONTRACTOR WILL MAKE PAYMENTS IN AMOUNTS
DETERMINED UNDER § 17–605 OF THIS SUBTITLE TO A REGISTERED
APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM OR TO AN ORGANIZATION THAT HAS REGISTERED
APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING THESE
PROGRAMS";

after line 8, insert:

- "(C) ORGANIZATIONS THAT HAVE REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS AND RECEIVE FUNDS FROM CONTRACTORS UNDER SUBSECTION (A)(3) OF THIS SECTION SHALL CERTIFY TO THE SECRETARY THAT ALL FUNDS RECEIVED ARE USED SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMPROVING OR EXPANDING APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING IN THE STATE.
- (D) THE SECRETARY SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS FOR AUDITING ORGANIZATIONS THAT PROVIDE REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS TO ENSURE THAT ALL FUNDS RECEIVED UNDER SUBSECTION (A)(3) OF THIS SECTION ARE USED SOLELY TO IMPROVE AND EXPAND APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS IN THE STATE.";

and in line 30, after "FUND" insert ", REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM, OR AN ORGANIZATION THAT HAS REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS".