SB0275/793028/1

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AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 275, AS AMENDED (Third Reading File Bill)

On page 2 of the Economic Matters Committee Amendments (SB0275/383324/1), in line 8 of Amendment No. 2, strike "<u>2022</u>" and substitute "<u>2025</u>"; and in line 13, strike "<u>2023</u>" and substitute "<u>2025</u>".

On page 4 of the Economic Matters Committee Amendments, in line 2 of Amendment No. 2, strike "<u>2023</u>" and substitute "<u>2025</u>"; and in line 9, strike "<u>(B)</u>" and substitute "<u>(C)</u>".

On page 5 of the Economic Matters Committee Amendments, in Amendment No. 3, strike beginning with "<u>, notwithstanding</u>" in line 2 down through "<u>Act</u>," in line 3 and substitute "<u>:</u>

(a) On or before June 1, 2023, the Secretary of Labor shall set";

in line 5, strike "<u>that is set under § 8–601(d)</u>" and substitute "<u>under § 8–601(a)</u>"; strike beginning with "<u>on</u>" in line 6 down through "<u>be</u>" in line 7 and substitute "<u>effective</u> <u>October 1, 2023.</u>

- (b) The rate and percentages set under subsection (a) of this section shall be:
 - (1) based on the study required under Section 11(2) of this Act; and

<u>(2)</u>";

and in line 7, strike the second "2023" and substitute "2025".

On page 32 of the bill, after line 15, insert:

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"<u>SECTION 11. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED</u>, That, on or before December 1, 2022, the Secretary of Labor shall:

(1) conduct the cost analysis described in § 8.3–601(b) of the Labor and Employment Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act;

(2) <u>conduct the study and make recommendations as described in § 8.3–</u> 601(c) of the Labor and Employment Article, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act; and

(3) report the findings and recommendations to the Senate Finance Committee, the House Economic Matters Committee, and the Joint Committee on Administrative, Executive, and Legislative Review in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article.".

On page 6 of the Economic Matters Committee Amendments, in line 16 of Amendment No. 3, strike "<u>11.</u>" and substitute "<u>12.</u>"; in the same line, strike "<u>12.</u>" and substitute "<u>13.</u>"; and in line 19, strike "<u>11</u>" and substitute "<u>12</u>".