

Budget and Taxation

SB 93 Tax Credits - Employment of Individuals With Disabilities

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Position: support

People On the Go Maryland is the statewide self-advocacy organization run by and for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

People On the Go Maryland feels the additional tax credits for companies will be helpful for them to hire more people with disabilities.

Hiring people with disabilities is so important so that they can be contributing members of society, and they will pay their share of taxes. Finding employment has allowed me to feel more in control of my life and has allowed me to prepare for my future financially.

We all know that that the unemployment rate for people with disabilities is much higher than a person without a disability is.

This bill will get more people with disabilities employed and lower the gap of the unemployment rate.

We ask that you give this legislation a favorable report.

Thank you

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