## SENATE BILL NO. 163

## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR COLEMAN.

0945S.01I KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

## **AN ACT**

To amend chapter 173, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to state contracts for job training programs.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 173, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto

- 2 one new section, to be known as section 173.661, to read as
- 3 follows:
  - 173.661. 1. The department of higher education and
- 2 workforce development may enter into contracts with private
- 3 entities that offer job training programs to individuals.
- 4 Each contract shall contain a provision for payments from
- 5 the department to the private entity based on the state
- 6 income tax liability of each individual who completes
- 7 training provided by the private entity as provided in
- 8 subsection 2 of this section. Such contracts shall contain
- 9 a provision allowing payments made under this section to
- 10 continue for up to twelve years.
- 11 2. The amount of such payments shall be equal to fifty
- 12 percent of the difference between the individual's state
- 13 income tax liability:
- 14 (1) Before the individual receives training from the
- 15 private entity; and
- 16 (2) After the individual completes the training and
- 17 receives an increase in income as a result of such training.

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3. The department may promulgate all necessary rules and regulations for the administration of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2023, shall be invalid and void.