

SENATE BILL NO. 6

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR KOENIG.

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

AN ACT

To amend chapter 288, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to employment security, with an effective date.

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

Section A. Chapter 288, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto
2 one new section, to be known as section 288.056, to read as
3 follows:

288.056. 1. This section shall be known and may be
2 cited as the "Getting Missourians Back to Work Act of 2023".

3 2. The division shall, utilizing existing department
4 resources, establish a process by which open positions
5 submitted to the department by employers will be directly
6 shared by the division with unemployment compensation
7 claimants.

8 3. The division shall establish a process by which,
9 for the purpose of helping unemployment compensation
10 claimants secure suitable work, the division shall refer
11 unemployment compensation claimants to such open positions,
12 including facilitating contact between employers and
13 claimants and monitoring whether claimants are sufficiently
14 responsive to a referral.

15 4. Failure to comply with referrals made pursuant to
16 this section shall be deemed as a failure to participate in
17 reemployment services as required by subdivision (7) of
18 subsection 1 of section 288.040.

19 **5. Claimants shall be subject to the requirements of**
20 **this section regardless of job attachment classification.**

 Section B. The enactment of section 288.056 shall
2 become effective January 1, 2024.

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