

SENATE BILL NO. 777

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR BRATTIN.

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary

AN ACT

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

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 "Employment Security and Job Referrals Act of
3 2022".

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

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

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

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

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