

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 2409

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE PERSON.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 160, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to skilled trade classes in charter schools.

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

Section A. Chapter 160, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 160.416, to read as follows:

3 **160.416. 1. As used in this section, "skilled trade" means any agriculture or**
4 **career and technical education skill referred to in sections 170.017 and 170.029.**

5 **2. Every charter school established under sections 160.400 to 160.425 shall offer**
6 **and make available skilled trade courses to all pupils in grades nine to twelve.**

7 **3. Any teacher of a skilled trade course shall be classified by trade and shall be**
8 **certified by the state to teach any skilled trade required for a skilled trade class the**
9 **teacher teaches.**

10 **4. The department of elementary and secondary education shall withhold all**
11 **funding provided under state law from any charter school that does not comply with**
12 **this section until the charter school complies with this section.**

13 **5. This section shall apply to all school years beginning on or after July 1, 2023.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.