

2024 South Dakota Legislature House Bill 1058

Introduced by: The Committee on Commerce and Energy at the request of the Department of Labor and Regulation

1 An Act to modify agency reporting requirements on licensure, certification, job 2 placements, and the labor market.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That § 13-1-60 be AMENDED:

5 **13-1-60.** If any department, board, or commission of the state administers a 6 licensure or certification examination to any person who completed a degree program at 7 an institution under the control of the Board of Regents, the department, board, or 8 commission shall annually must report to the Board of Regents and the Department of 9 Labor and Regulation the following:

- 10 (1) The number of persons who completed a degree program at each institution under
 11 the control of the Board of Regents to whom the department, board, or commission
 12 administered a licensure or certification examination during that year; and
- 13 (2) The number of persons in subdivision (1) who successfully passed the licensure or
 14 certification examination, including any subparts of any licensure or certification
 15 process.
- 16 Section 2. That § 13-1-61 be AMENDED:

17 13-1-61. If any department, board, or commission of the state administers a
 18 licensure or certification examination to any person who completes a degree program or
 19 a training program at a public technical college in the state, the department, board, or
 20 commission shall annually must report to the Board of Technical Education and the
 21 Department of Labor and Regulation the following:

22 (1) The number of persons who completed a degree program or training program at
 23 each public technical college in the state and to whom the department, board, or
 24 commission administered a licensure or certification examination during that year;
 25 and

(2) The number of persons in subdivision (1) who successfully passed the licensure or
 certification examination, including any subparts of any licensure or certification
 process.

4 Section 3. That § 13-1-63 be REPEALED:

5 The Department of Labor and Regulation shall annually work with the Board of 6 Regents to determine the job placement outcomes for those persons completing a degree 7 program at an institution under the control of the Board of Regents. The department shall 8 also annually work with the Board of Technical Education to determine the job placement 9 outcomes for those persons completing a degree program or training program at a public 10 technical college in the state.

11 Section 4. That § 13-1-64 be REPEALED:

12 The Department of Labor and Regulation shall compile the information received

13 pursuant to § 13-1-63 and provide it to the Executive Board of the Legislative Research

14 Council no later than November fifteenth of each year.

15 Section 5. That § 60-6-23 be REPEALED:

- 16 The department shall publish a bulletin in which shall be made public all possible 17 information with regard to the state of the labor market, including reports of the 18 businesses of the various public employment offices.
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