



House of Representatives

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House Bill No. 6121
As Amended by House Amendment
Schedule "A"

Approved by the Legislative Commissioner
April 28, 2021

***AN ACT CONCERNING A WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PIPELINE
FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Department of Economic and
2 Community Development shall incorporate into the state workforce
3 strategy a plan to establish a workforce development pipeline program
4 for persons with disabilities, which shall incentivize businesses to
5 provide training programs, offer modified interviews and reserve
6 market-rate, full-time jobs for persons with disabilities. Such plan shall
7 be developed not later than November 1, 2021, and provide for
8 implementation of such plan not later than July 1, 2022. The
9 Commissioner of Economic and Community Development shall submit
10 recommendations for any requisite legislative proposals for the
11 implementation of such plan to the joint standing committee of the
12 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to commerce.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

It is anticipated that the Department of Economic and Community Development can carry out the planning required by the bill without requiring additional resources.

House Amendment "A" clarified that such planning must be incorporated into the state workforce strategy and altered the timeline of planning under the bill, which has no fiscal impact.

The Out Years

There is no fiscal impact in the outyears.

OLR Bill Analysis

HB 6121 (as amended by House "A")

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SUMMARY

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Special Acts.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Commerce Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 23 Nay 0 (03/18/2021)