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2017 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 141

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

WORKFORCE COMMISSION. Reauthorizes the Incumbent Worker Training Program. (gov sig)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1553(G), relative to the Incumbent Worker Training Program; to extend the termination date of the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 23:1553(G) is hereby amended and reacted to read as follows:

§1553. Noncharging of benefits; recoupment; social charge account; social charge tax rate

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G. The Incumbent Worker Training Program reauthorization shall be expressly renewed by the legislature prior to July 1, ~~2018~~ **2020**, in order for amounts to be charged and credited to the Incumbent Worker Training Account in the following calendar year for use in funding the program.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become

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effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Carla S. Roberts.

DIGEST

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Present law provides for a special fund within the Employment Security Administration Fund (i.e. the fund in which employers deposit their unemployment insurance taxes).

Present law provides that moneys from the special fund are to be used only for the purpose of upgrading employee job skills through training.

Present law provides that the Incumbent Worker Training Program reauthorization shall be expressly renewed by the legislature prior to July 1, 2018, in order for amounts to be charged and credited to the Incumbent Worker Training Account in the following calendar year for use in funding the program.

Proposed law extends the authorization of the Incumbent Worker Training Program from July 1, 2018, to July 1, 2020.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 23:1553(G))

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