

Floor Amendment to SB 429

1 Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 AN ACT changing statutory references from the "Workforce Investment Act" to the
4 "Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act" and relative to the provision of
5 aggregate statistical reports to certain workforce training programs.
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7 Amend RSA 282-A:118, V as inserted by section 2 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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9 V. That for the purpose of assessing governmental performance and accountability, the
10 commissioner of the department of employment security may provide information to the Wage
11 Record Interchange System, ***the Wage Record Interchange System 2, the Federal Employment***
12 ***Data Exchange System, or any other similar system or combination thereof in effect on or***
13 ***before July 1, 2018*** developed by the U.S. Department of Labor as administered by the U.S.
14 Department of Labor, or its designee, and utilized by each state's Performance Accountability and
15 Customer Information Agency (PACIA). The use of the information shall be limited to the purposes
16 contained in the federal [~~Workforce Investment Act~~] ***Workforce Innovation and Opportunity***
17 ***Act of 2014*** or the Wagner-Peyser Act. ***The department may only provide aggregate***
18 ***statistical reports to entities participating in federal or state supported workforce***
19 ***training programs and only for purposes of assessment and evaluation of those programs.***
20 ***The department shall require any such qualifying entity to enter into an agreement with***
21 ***the department which sets forth terms and conditions that are consistent with federal and***
22 ***state law prior to being provided any aggregate statistical reports.*** Information under this
23 paragraph shall only be provided upon a finding by the commissioner that sufficient guarantees of
24 continued confidentiality are in place;

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill changes statutory references from the "Workforce Investment Act" to the "Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act." This bill also restricts the provision of certain aggregate statistical reports to entities participating in federal or state supported workforce training programs.