

**SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL NO. 739**

A bill to amend 1966 PA 331, entitled  
"Community college act of 1966,"  
by amending section 161 (MCL 389.161), as amended by 2015 PA 130.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 161. As used in this chapter:

2           (a) "Agreement" means a written agreement between an employer  
3 and a community college district concerning a project and any  
4 amendments to that agreement.

5           (b) "Bond" or "bonds" means bonds, notes, or other debt issued  
6 by a community college district under this chapter.

7           (c) "Employer" means a person that is engaged in business and  
8 has employees in this state.

9           (d) "New job" means a full-time job in this state that meets



1 all of the following:

2 (i) Except as provided in subparagraph (ii) or (iii), is a new,  
3 existing, or expanding business of an employer.

4 (ii) Is not a job of a recalled worker, a replacement job, or  
5 any other job that existed in the employer's business within the 1-  
6 year period preceding the date of an agreement.

7 (iii) Is not a job that is part of an employer's business  
8 operation located in a municipality in this state, if that job  
9 existed in a business operation or a substantially similar business  
10 operation of the employer formerly located in another municipality  
11 in this state, the employer moved that business operation or  
12 substantially similar business operation to its current location,  
13 and the employer closed or substantially reduced that former  
14 business operation or substantially similar business operation.

15 (iv) Results in a net increase in employment in this state for  
16 that employer.

17 (v) The wage paid for the job is equal to or exceeds ~~175%~~125%  
18 of the state minimum wage.

19 (e) "New jobs credit from withholding" means the credit  
20 described in section 163.

21 (f) "New jobs training program" or "program" means the project  
22 or projects established by a community college district for the  
23 creation of jobs by providing education and training or retraining  
24 of workers for new jobs.

25 (g) "Program costs" means all necessary and incidental costs  
26 of providing program services.

27 (h) "Program services" includes, but is not limited to, any of  
28 the following:

29 (i) Training or retraining for new jobs.



- 1           (ii) Adult basic education and job-related instruction.  
2           (iii) Developmental, readiness, and remedial education.  
3           (iv) Vocational and skill-assessment services and testing.  
4           (v) Training facilities, equipment, materials, and supplies.  
5           (vi) Administrative expenses for the new jobs training program.  
6           (vii) Subcontracted services with public universities and  
7 colleges in this state, private colleges or universities, or any  
8 federal, state, or local departments or agencies.  
9           (viii) Contracted or professional services.
- 10          (i) "Project" means a training arrangement that is the subject  
11 of an agreement entered into between the community college district  
12 and an employer to provide program services.
- 13          (j) "State minimum wage" means the minimum hourly wage rate in  
14 effect as of the date the employer and the community college  
15 district enter into the agreement to establish the project under  
16 former 1964 PA 154 or under the workforce opportunity wage act,  
17 2014 PA 138, MCL 408.411 to 408.424, as applicable.
- 18          Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect  
19 unless all of the following bills of the 101st Legislature are  
20 enacted into law:
- 21          (a) Senate Bill No. 740.  
22          (b) Senate Bill No. 741.  
23          (c) House Bill No. 5527.