

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 598

By COMMITTEE ON WORKFORCE

April 21

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 5, delete “14” and insert “16”.

2 In line 14, delete “eight” and insert “10” and after “members” insert “, at least two of whom
3 must work or reside in rural areas of this state,”.

4 In line 15, delete the first “that” and insert “who”.

5 In line 18, delete the first “that” and insert “who”.

6 In line 21, delete the first “that” and insert “who”.

7 In line 24, delete the first “that” and insert “who”.

8 In line 26, delete “and”.

9 In line 28, delete the period and insert “; and

10 “(F) Two members who work in a community college apprenticeship or preapprenticeship pro-
11 gram, at least one of whom must be a faculty member at the community college.”.

12 On page 2, delete lines 8 and 9 and insert:

13 “(c) Improve the effectiveness of apprenticeship programs in working with contractors from ru-
14 ral areas of this state;”.

15 In line 13, delete “and”.

16 Delete line 14 and insert:

17 “(f) Examine the capacity of current apprenticeship programs to produce a sufficient number of
18 apprentices to meet current and future workforce demands; and

19 “(g) Evaluate:

20 “(A) Whether this state’s community college system can have an increased role in providing
21 preapprenticeship and apprenticeship training, particularly in rural areas of this state;

22 “(B) The flexibility of current apprenticeship programs to meet the evolving workforce needs
23 of industry; and

24 “(C) The timeliness and efficiency of new apprenticeship program approval.”.

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