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## SENATE BILL No. 93

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DIGEST OF SB 93 (Updated February 13, 2019 3:32 pm - DI 110)

**Citations Affected:** IC 5-28; IC 21-18.

**Synopsis:** Let Indiana Work for You program. Requires the commission for higher education (commission) to establish, in coordination with the department of workforce development (department) and the Indiana economic development corporation (corporation), the Let Indiana Work for You program (program) to: (1) provide to colleges and universities information concerning workforce opportunities in Indiana and other benefits of residing and working in Indiana after graduating from the college or university; and (2) implement the program. Provides that, if a college or university approves of the information under the program for distribution to students of the college or university, the: (1) commission, in coordination with the department and the corporation, shall provide the information to the college or university; and (2) college or university shall present-in person or use other communication mediums to provide the information to students of the college or university. Requires the Indiana economic development corporation to assemble and provide to the commission and the department information concerning the economic benefits of residing and working in Indiana.

**Effective:** July 1, 2019.

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**Ruckelshaus, Spartz, Ford J.D.,  
Raatz, Kruse**

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January 3, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Education and Career Development.  
February 14, 2019, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2018 Regular and Special Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning higher education.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 5-28-6-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.121-2016,  
2 SECTION 14, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 1. The corporation shall do the following:  
4 (1) Create and regularly update a strategic economic development  
5 plan that includes the following:  
6 (A) Identification of specific economic regions within Indiana  
7 and methods by which the corporation will implement more  
8 regional collaboration between the corporation and the various  
9 local economic development organizations within these  
10 regions.  
11 (B) Methods by which the corporation will implement more  
12 collaboration between the corporation and the various state  
13 economic development organizations within the states  
14 contiguous to Indiana.  
15 (2) Establish strategic benchmarks and performance measures.  
16 (3) Monitor and report on Indiana's economic performance.  
17 (4) Market Indiana to businesses worldwide.

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- 1 (5) Assist Indiana businesses that want to grow.  
 2 (6) Solicit funding from the private sector for selected initiatives.  
 3 (7) Provide for the orderly economic development and growth of  
 4 Indiana.  
 5 (8) Establish and coordinate the operation of programs commonly  
 6 available to all citizens of Indiana to implement a strategic plan  
 7 for the state's economic development and enhance the general  
 8 welfare.  
 9 (9) Evaluate and analyze the state's economy to determine the  
 10 direction of future public and private actions, and report and make  
 11 recommendations to the general assembly in an electronic format  
 12 under IC 5-14-6 with respect to the state's economy. The report  
 13 prepared under this subdivision must include recommendations  
 14 for strategies and plans for collaboration by the corporation with:  
 15 (A) local economic development organizations within  
 16 geographic regions in Indiana; and  
 17 (B) the various state economic development organizations  
 18 within the states contiguous to Indiana.  
 19 **(10) Assemble and provide information to the commission for  
 20 higher education and the department of workforce  
 21 development concerning the economic benefits of residing and  
 22 working in Indiana as required under IC 21-18-15-4(b).**  
 23 SECTION 2. IC 21-18-15 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
 24 AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 25 JULY 1, 2019]:  
 26 **Chapter 15. Let Indiana Work for You Program**  
 27 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "corporation" refers to the**  
 28 **Indiana economic development corporation established by**  
 29 **IC 5-28-3-1.**  
 30 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "department" refers to the**  
 31 **department of workforce development.**  
 32 **Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "program" refers to the Let**  
 33 **Indiana Work for You program established under section 4 of this**  
 34 **chapter.**  
 35 **Sec. 4. (a) The commission shall, in coordination with the**  
 36 **department and the corporation, establish a Let Indiana Work for**  
 37 **You program to provide to colleges and universities as provided**  
 38 **under this chapter information for college and university students**  
 39 **concerning:**  
 40 **(1) workforce opportunities in Indiana; and**  
 41 **(2) other benefits of residing and working in Indiana after**  
 42 **graduating from the college or university.**



1           (b) The corporation shall assemble and provide to the  
2 commission and the department information concerning the  
3 economic benefits of residing and working in Indiana.

4           **Sec. 5. The commission, in coordination with the department  
5 and the corporation, shall do the following:**

6           (1) Subject to section 6 of this chapter, not later than the  
7 2019-2020 academic year, implement the program at state  
8 educational institutions selected by the commission.

9           (2) Subject to section 6 of this chapter, not later than the  
10 2020-2021 academic year, implement the program at:

11           (A) all state educational institutions; and

12           (B) other colleges and universities that elect to participate  
13 in the program.

14           **Sec. 6. If a college or university approves of the information  
15 described in section 4 of this chapter for distribution to the  
16 students of the college or university, the:**

17           (1) commission, in coordination with the department and the  
18 corporation, shall provide the information to the college or  
19 university in:

20           (A) a written or electronic format; or

21           (B) both a written and electronic format; and

22           (2) college or university shall:

23           (A) present in-person;

24           (B) use other communication mediums to provide; or

25           (C) both present in-person and use other communication  
26 mediums to provide;

27 to students of the college or university the information  
28 described in section 4 of this chapter.



## COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Education and Career Development, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 93, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 2, line 37, delete "college and university students" and insert **"colleges and universities as provided under this chapter"**.

Page 2, line 38, after "information" insert **"for college and university students"**.

Page 3, line 5, delete "Not" and insert **"Subject to section 6 of this chapter, not"**.

Page 3, line 8, delete "Not" and insert **"Subject to section 6 of this chapter, not"**.

Page 3, delete lines 13 through 21, begin a new paragraph and insert:

**"Sec. 6. If a college or university approves of the information described in section 4 of this chapter for distribution to the students of the college or university, the:**

**(1) commission, in coordination with the department and the corporation, shall provide the information to the college or university in:**

**(A) a written or electronic format; or**

**(B) both a written and electronic format; and**

**(2) college or university shall:**

**(A) present in-person;**

**(B) use other communication mediums to provide; or**

**(C) both present in-person and use other communication mediums to provide;**

**to students of the college or university the information described in section 4 of this chapter."**

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 93 as introduced.)

RAATZ, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0.

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