



OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING REFORM

WHAT:

4 legislative proposals focused on reforming Illinois' professional regulatory process. Included are:

- Guarding Against Unnecessary and Burdensome Licenses
- Eliminating Unnecessary and Burdensome Licenses
- Growing Illinois' Workforce and Tax Base
- Reduce Recidivism and Grow the Workforce

IMPORTANCE:

Requiring business owners, entrepreneurs, and employees to obtain unnecessary and overly restrictive licenses hurts the Illinois economy. It is imperative that policymakers identify, eliminate, and phase out unnecessary and burdensome occupational licenses that hurt individuals, businesses, and our economy. Additionally, Illinois can expand its workforce and tax base by honoring occupational licenses from other states and promoting an effort to hire citizens returning to the workforce after incarceration.

CURRENT STATUS:

These items are currently circulating in our SBAC Small Business Package that is being shared with Illinois Lawmakers.

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