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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to workforce innovation; amending s. 445.007, F.S.; authorizing designation of a regional workforce board as a one-stop operator and direct provider of certain services by agreement of the Governor and the regional designated chief elected official; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Subsection (5) of section 445.007, Florida Statutes, is amended, present subsections (6) through (8) of that section are redesignated as subsections (7) through (9), respectively, and a new subsection (6) is added to that section, to read:

445.007 Regional workforce boards.--

(5) Workforce Florida, Inc., shall implement a training program for the regional workforce boards to familiarize board members with the state's workforce development goals and strategies.

(6) The regional workforce board shall designate all local service providers and may shall not transfer this authority to a third party. In order to exercise independent oversight, The regional workforce board may shall not be designated as a one-stop operator and direct provider of intake, assessment, eligibility determinations, or other direct provider services. Such designation may occur only with the agreement of the chief

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elected official and the Governor as specified in 29 U.S.C. s.

29 <u>2832(f)(2).</u>

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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008.

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