

## H.B. 240

### SOCIAL SERVICES - EMPLOYMENT FIRST PRIORITY

Representative **Ronda Rudd Menlove** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 37 through 42:*

37           35A-3-103.5. Employment first emphasis on the provision of services.  
38           (1) When providing services to a person with a disability **in the programs provided** under this  
          chapter, the  
39 department shall, within funds appropriated by the Legislature and in accordance with the  
40 requirements of federal and state law **and memorandums of understanding between the department and**  
**other state entities that provide services to a person with a disability** , give priority to providing services  
that assist ~~{the}~~ **an eligible** person  
41 in obtaining and retaining meaningful and gainful employment that enables the person to earn  
42 sufficient income to:

2. *Page 2, Lines 52 through 58:*

52           (ii) ~~{**entrepreneurship**}~~ **self-employment** ;  
53           (d) developing partnerships with potential employers;  
54           (e) maximizing **appropriate** employment training opportunities;  
55           (f) coordinating services with other government agencies and community resources;  
56           (g) to the extent possible, eliminating practices and policies that interfere with the  
57 policy described in Subsection (1); and  
58           (h) arranging sub-minimum wage work or volunteer work **for an eligible person** when employment  
at market

3. *Page 2, Line 58:*

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at market

4. *Page 3, Lines 78 through 87:*

78           (c) ~~{**expecting, encouraging, providing, and rewarding**}~~ **setting expectations, providing**  
**appropriate services toward, and recognizing success in** ;  
79           (i) integrated employment in the workplace at competitive wages and benefits; and  
80           (ii) ~~{**entrepreneurship**}~~ **self-employment** ;  
81           (d) developing partnerships with potential employers;

- 82 (e) ~~{maximizing}~~ - providing appropriate employment training opportunities;
- 83 (f) coordinating services with other government agencies and community resources included in the  
Workforce Investment System ;
- 84 (g) to the extent possible, eliminating practices and policies that interfere with the  
85 policy described in Subsection (1); and
- 86 (h) arranging ~~{sub-minimum wage work or volunteer work when employment at market~~  
87 rates cannot be obtained} for alternative work experience leading to competitive, integrated  
employment, including work-based training, volunteer work, and internships .

5. Page 4, Lines 107 through 110:

- 107 (i) integrated employment in the workplace at competitive wages and benefits; and
- 108 (ii) ~~{entrepreneurship}~~ self-employment ;
- 109 (d) developing partnerships with potential employers;
- 110 (e) maximizing appropriate employment training opportunities;