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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **35A-6-102** is amended to read:

35A-6-102. Definitions.

As used in this chapter and in Title 34, Labor in General:

(1) "Apprentice" means an individual [~~at least 16 years of age~~] who has entered into:

(a) a written agreement approved by the [~~Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training~~] Office of Apprenticeship with an employer or the employer's agent, an association of employers, an organization of employees, or a joint committee representing employers and employees; [~~or~~]

(b) an apprenticeship that meets [~~Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training Standards~~] Office of Apprenticeship standards; or

(c) an apprenticeship that can be completed at no charge to the participant where the participant learns and works ~~H~~→ with registered standards ←~~H~~ to learn a set of skills that result in the participant qualifying for a state license or certification or earning industry recognized credentials at the completion of the apprenticeship.

(2) "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Apprenticeship Programs described in Section 35A-6-105.

[~~(2)~~] (3) [~~"Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training"~~] "Office of Apprenticeship" means the federal agency designated by the United States Department of Labor to oversee apprenticeship programs.

Section 2. Section **35A-6-105** is enacted to read:

35A-6-105. Commissioner of Apprenticeship Programs.

(1) There is created the position of Commissioner of Apprenticeship Programs within the department.

(2) The commissioner shall be appointed by the executive director and chosen from one or more recommendations provided by a majority vote of the State Workforce Development Board.

(3) The commissioner may be terminated without cause by the executive director.

(4) The commissioner shall:

(a) promote and educate the public, including high school guidance counselors and