

# HOUSE BILL No. 4176

February 2, 2005, Introduced by Reps. Farrah, Bieda, Vagnozzi, Gleason, Condino, Clack, Murphy, Brown and Gonzales and referred to the Committee on Employment Relations, Training, and Safety.

A bill to amend 1936 (Ex Sess) PA 1, entitled  
"Michigan employment security act,"  
by amending the title and section 5b (MCL 421.5b), the title as  
amended by 1991 PA 10 and section 5b as added by 2002 PA 192.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

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### TITLE

An act to protect the welfare of the people of this state  
through the establishment of an unemployment compensation fund, and  
to provide for the disbursement thereof; to create certain other  
funds; to create the ~~Michigan employment security commission~~  
**UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE AGENCY**, and to prescribe its powers and  
duties; to provide for the protection of the people of this state  
from the hazards of unemployment; to levy and provide for

1 contributions from employers; to provide for the collection of such  
2 contributions; to enter into reciprocal agreements and to cooperate  
3 with agencies of the United States and of other states charged with  
4 the administration of any unemployment insurance law; to furnish  
5 certain information to certain governmental agencies for use in  
6 administering public benefit and child support programs and  
7 investigating and prosecuting fraud; to provide for the payment of  
8 benefits; to provide for appeals from redeterminations, decisions,  
9 and notices of assessments; ~~and~~ **TO PROVIDE** for referees and a  
10 board of review to hear and decide the issues arising from  
11 redeterminations, decisions, and notices of assessment; to provide  
12 for the cooperation of this state and compliance with the  
13 provisions of the social security act and the Wagner-Peyser act  
14 passed by the Congress of the United States of America; to provide  
15 for the establishment and maintenance of free public employment  
16 offices; to provide for the transfer of funds; to make  
17 appropriations for carrying out the provisions of this act; to  
18 prescribe remedies and penalties for the violation of the  
19 provisions of this act; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts  
20 inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

21       Sec. 5b. (1) The ~~bureau of worker's and unemployment~~  
22 ~~compensation~~ **UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE AGENCY** is created within the  
23 department of ~~consumer and industry services~~ **LABOR AND ECONOMIC**  
24 **GROWTH.**

25       (2) The ~~bureau~~ **AGENCY** shall be headed by a director. ~~who~~  
26 ~~shall be appointed by the governor.~~

27       (3) All of the authority, powers, functions, duties, and

responsibilities of the unemployment agency provided under this act are transferred to the ~~bureau~~ **UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE AGENCY** as provided in Executive Order No. ~~2002-1~~ **2003-18**.

(4) All of the powers, functions, duties, and responsibilities of the director of the unemployment agency, defined as the director of employment security in Executive Order No. 1997-12, provided under this act are transferred to the director **OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE AGENCY** as provided in Executive Order No. ~~2002-1~~ **2003-18**.

Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect unless all of the following bills of the 93rd Legislature are enacted into law:

(a) Senate Bill No.\_\_\_\_ or House Bill No. 4174(request no. 01676'05).

(b) Senate Bill No.\_\_\_\_ or House Bill No. 4175(request no. 01677'05).

(c) Senate Bill No.\_\_\_\_ or House Bill No. 4177(request no. 01679'05).

(d) Senate Bill No.\_\_\_\_ or House Bill No. 4178(request no. 01680'05).