

House File 2165

H-8048

1 Amend House File 2165 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, before line 1 by inserting:

3 <Section 1. Section 261.131, subsection 1, paragraphs d and
4 f, Code 2022, are amended to read as follows:

5 *d. "Credential"* means a postsecondary certificate, diploma,
6 or degree, conferring no more than an associate degree, awarded
7 by an eligible institution and earned in a program of study
8 that leads to a high-demand job and is authorized for federal
9 student aid under Tit. IV of the federal Higher Education Act
10 of 1965, as amended. "Credential" also means a postsecondary
11 certificate, diploma, or degree, conferring no more than an
12 associate degree, awarded by an eligible institution and earned
13 in a program of study that leads to employment as an emergency
14 medical technician or as a paramedic.

15 *f. "Eligible program"* means a program of study or an
16 academic major jointly approved by the commission and the
17 department of workforce development, in consultation with an
18 eligible institution, that leads to a credential aligned with a
19 high-demand job designated by the workforce development board
20 or a community college pursuant to section 84A.1B, subsection
21 14. If the board or a community college removes a high-demand
22 job from a list created under [section 84A.1B, subsection 14](#),
23 an eligible student who received a scholarship for a program
24 based on that high-demand job shall continue to receive the
25 scholarship until achieving a postsecondary credential, up to
26 an associate degree, as long as the student continues to meet
27 all other eligibility requirements. "Eligible program" also
28 means a program of study or an academic major that leads to
29 a credential aligned with employment as an emergency medical
30 technician or as a paramedic.>

31 2. By renumbering as necessary.

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