# CHAPTER 116L

# MINNESOTA JOB SKILLS PARTNERSHIP

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#### 116L.01 DEFINITIONS.

Subdivision 1. Generally. For the purposes of sections 116L.01 to 116L.05 the terms defined in this section have the meanings given them.

- Subd. 2. Partnership. "Partnership" means the Minnesota job skills partnership created by section 116L.02.
- Subd. 3. Board. "Board" means the partnership board created by section 116L.03.

**History**: 1983 c 334 s 1

NOTE: This section is repealed June 30, 1989. See Laws 1983, chapter 334, section 7, as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 401, section 36, and Laws 1987, chapter 386, article 10, section 8 as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 384, article 3. section 27.

## 116L.02 JOB SKILLS PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM.

The Minnesota job skills partnership program is created to act as a catalyst to bring together employers with specific training needs with educational or other nonprofit institutions which can design programs to fill those needs. The partnership shall work closely with employers to train and place workers in identifiable positions as well as assisting educational or other nonprofit institutions in developing training programs that coincide with current and future employer requirements. The partnership shall provide grants to educational or other nonprofit institutions for the purpose of training displaced workers. A participating business must match the grant-in-aid made by the Minnesota job skills partnership. Preference must be given to a business located in a rural area. The match may be in the form of funding, equipment, or faculty.

**History:** 1983 c 334 s 2; 1987 c 386 art 10 s 1

NOTE: This section is repealed June 30, 1989. See Laws 1983 chapter 334, section 7, as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 401, section 36, and Laws 1987, chapter 386, article 10, section 8 as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 384, article section 27.

### 116L.03 BOARD.

Subdivision 1. Members. The partnership shall be governed by a board of 11 directors.

- Subd. 2. Appointment. The Minnesota job skills partnership board consists of: eight members appointed by the governor, the commissioner of trade and economic development, the commissioner of jobs and training, and the state director of vocational technical education.
- Subd. 3. Qualifications. Members must have expertise in, and be representative of the following fields of education, job skills training, labor, business, and government.
  - Subd. 4. Chair. The chair shall be appointed by the governor.
- Subd. 5. Terms. The terms of appointed members shall be for four years except for the initial appointments. The initial appointments of the governor shall have the following terms: two members each for one, two, three, and four years.
  - Subd. 6. [Repealed, 1987 c 386 art 10 s 7;1987 c 401 s 39]
- Subd. 7. Offices. The higher education coordinating board shall provide staff and administrative services for the board.

History: 1983 c 289 s 115 subd 1; 1983 c 334 s 3; 1984 c 544 s 84; 1984 c 642 s 3;

ISp1985 c 14 art 9 s 5,75; 1986 c 444; 1987 c 312 art 1 s 26 subd 2; 1987 c 386 art 10 s 2-5

NOTE: This section is repealed June 30, 1989. See Laws 1983, chapter 334, section 7, as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 401, section 36, and Laws 1987, chapter 386, article 10, section 8 as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 384, article 3, section 27.

## 116L.04 PARTNERSHIP POWER.

Subdivision 1. Grants-in-aid. The partnership may provide grants-in-aid to educational or other nonprofit institutions using the following guidelines:

- (a) The educational or other nonprofit institution is a provider of training within the state in either the public or private sector;
  - (b) The program involves skills training that is an area of employment need; and
- (c) Preference will be given to educational or other nonprofit institutions which serve economically disadvantaged people, minorities, or those who are victims of economic dislocation.

Grants shall not exceed \$200,000 to any one institution.

Subd. 2. Information. The board may collect and disseminate information concerning areas of projected employment need. The board may also prepare and publish studies, organize conferences, and conduct special projects which will increase knowledge and communication in the areas of employment need, skills training, and education.

Subd. 3. [Repealed, 1987 c 403 art 2 s 164]

**History**: 1983 c 334 s 4; 1Sp1985 c 14 art 9 s 6

NOTE: This section is repealed June 30, 1989. See Laws 1983, chapter 334, section 7, as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 401, section 36, and Laws 1987, chapter 386, article 10, section 8 as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 384, article 3, section 27.

## 116L.05 FUNDING.

Subdivision 1. Federal job training funds. The board may use federal job training program moneys and is authorized to receive those funds.

Subd. 2. Grants, gifts. The board may accept gifts and grants of any type from any source.

History: 1983 c 334 s 5

NOTE: This section is repealed June 30, 1989. See Laws 1983, chapter 334, section 7, as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 401, section 36, and Laws 1987, chapter 386, article 10, section 8 as amended by Laws 1987, chapter 384, article 3, section 27.