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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would transfer persons employed by
9 Bishop State Community College, Southern Union
10 State Community College, Bevill State Community
11 College, and the Alabama Department of
12 Postsecondary Education, who are part of the
13 Alabama Career Center System, also known as
14 Alabama's One-Stop system, to the Alabama
15 Department of Industrial Relations under the state
16 Merit System, with all the rights and privileges of
17 being Merit System employees. The transfer would be
18 effective contingent upon federal funding.

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20 A BILL
21 TO BE ENTITLED
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24 To provide for the transfer of employees from Bishop
25 State Community College, Southern Union State Community
26 College, Bevill State Community College, and the Alabama
27 Department of Postsecondary Education, who are part of the

1 Alabama Career Center System to the Alabama Department of
2 Industrial Relations under the state Merit System, with
3 implementation contingent upon federal funding.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

5 Section 1. (a) All persons employed by Bishop State
6 Community College, Southern Union State Community College,
7 Beville State Community College, and the Alabama Department of
8 Postsecondary Education who are part of the Alabama Career
9 Center System on July 1, 2011, with no adverse effect as to
10 salary or benefits, shall be transferred, subject to the
11 contingency described in Section 2, to the Alabama Department
12 of Industrial Relations.

13 (b) All transferred employees shall be placed into
14 Merit System classifications as determined by the State
15 Personnel Department. The State Personnel Department shall
16 credit all transferred employees with his or her years of
17 service while with the Alabama Career Center System. All
18 transferred personnel shall be covered by the Merit System Act
19 and shall be entitled to all privileges and responsibilities
20 as other Merit System employees and their service and removal
21 shall be subject to the Merit System Act and the rules of the
22 State Personnel Department.

23 Section 2. Implementation of this act is contingent
24 upon federal Congressional appropriation of adequate funding
25 from the Federal Workforce Investment Act or any successor act
26 for fiscal year 2012, as determined by the Director of
27 Finance.

1 Section 3. This act shall become effective on July
2 1, 2011, following its passage and approval by the Governor,
3 or its otherwise becoming law.