

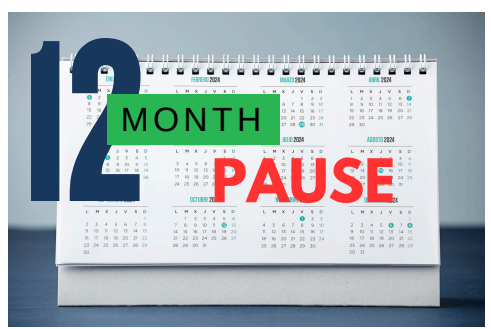


PRE-REGULATORY IMPACT AND OCCUPATIONAL REVIEW (PRIOR) ACT HB3651 / SB2402

Unchecked Occupational Licensing Burdens Businesses

The list of occupational licenses that exist in the State of Illinois is extensive and some cause unnecessary red tape for small businesses and workers. The goal of HB3651 and SB2402 is to provide a temporarily pause on new occupational licenses while ensuring legislators have all the data needed before enacting new licenses.

The Solution: A Smarter Approach to Licensing



This legislation provides for a **temporary pause on the creation of new occupational licenses** and provides that a **Pre-Regulatory Impact Assessment** is completed and presented to the General Assembly before a new occupational license is created or expanded.

As part of this review, **evidence demonstrating the need for a license** and its broader impact will need to be presented, along with an **impartial cost analysis of new licensing proposals** to ensure feasibility and necessity.

By implementing a pre-regulatory review and requiring fiscal analysis, this legislation promotes transparency and accountability in the licensing process. This is an important way to unleash Illinois entrepreneurs and supplement our workforce!