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## **MIOSHA: ADD VOCATIONAL TRAINEES**

**House Bill 4097**

**Sponsor: Rep. Raymond Basham**  
**Committee: Employment Relations,**  
**Training and Safety**

**Complete to 2-24-99**

### **A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4097 AS INTRODUCED 2-2-99**

The bill would amend the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Act (MIOSHA) to subject people who were receiving vocational training to MIOSHA health and safety standards. More specifically, the bill would define "vocational training" to mean "instruction under a program designed to prepare individuals for gainful employment as semi-skilled or skilled workers or technicians," and would include training that was provided by secondary or postsecondary educational institutions. The bill also would amend the definitions of "employee," "employer," and "place of employment" to include references to receiving or providing vocational training.

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