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HB0082, Unfair employment practices.

Sponsors: Representative(s) Byrd and Connolly and Senator(s) Hastert

Aye votes: Representatives Barbuto, Blake, Blikre, Bonner, Botten, Brown, Byrd, Campbell, Cannady, Childers, Connolly, Craft, Esquibel, K., Freeman, Gingery, Goggles, Greene, Harshman, Harvey, Illoway, Kasperik, Krone, Loucks, Petroff, Roscoe, Steward, Throne, Wallis, Zwonitzer, Dn. and Zwonitzer, Dv.

Nay votes: Representatives Berger, Brechtel, Buchanan, Burkhart, Davison, Edmonds, Eklund, Gay, Greear, Hunt, Jaggi, Kroeker, Lockhart, Lubnau, Madden, McKim, McOmie, Miller, Moniz, Nicholas, B., Patton, Peasley, Pederson, Petersen, Quarberg, Semlek, Shepperson, Stubson, Teeters and Vranish

Comments

To the list of illegal reasons to discriminate against someone in employment adds having opposed a practice already unlawful, or having participated in an unlawful employment discrimination act. Balances free market vs. civil rights.

It is not the governments responsibility, nor is it in any constitution, to ensure that a person has employment, or that an employer treats the person fairly. It is a person's responsibility to make him or herself valuable to an employer. Further, if an employer in a community is unfair it the responsibility of the community to avoid shopping at that business if they do not like the activities of the business. It is not the responsibility of government.

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