

HB 291 -- Small Business and Entrepreneurial Growth Act

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This bill establishes the Small Business and Entrepreneurial Growth Act for small business employers who expand their business by increasing the number of jobs and meeting certain qualifications. Beginning January 1, 2008, a qualified employer can retain the Missouri withholding tax from the salaries of the newly created jobs for one year; or if the employer pays more than 50% of the cost of the premiums for health insurance for all employees, the withholding tax can be retained for two years.