

HB 1436 -- COUNTY DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY RESOURCE BOARDS

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This bill provides that all funds collected for the purpose of establishing and maintaining the county or city sheltered workshop, residence, facility, related services, or any combination thereof must be deposited in a special fund and will be expended only upon approval of the board as follows:

(1) Funds for the operation and maintenance of sheltered workshops that are compliant with board funding request requirements;

(2) No board of directors established under Section 205.968, RSMo, shall require additional certifications or requirements for a compliant and credentialed applicant that are contrary to, or not currently required by, rules and standards developed and adopted by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education for the operation of a sheltered workshop; and

(3) This section must not be construed to prohibit board expenditures from being used for the purposes of residence, facility, related services, or any combination thereof in addition to using board expenditures for the establishment or maintenance of the county or city sheltered workshop.