

# SENATE BILL NO. 850

May 01, 2024, Introduced by Senator HUIZENGA and referred to the Committee on Labor.

A bill to amend 2016 PA 407, entitled  
"Skilled trades regulation act,"  
(MCL 339.5101 to 339.6133) by adding section 218.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 218. (1) Beginning June 1, 2025, and not later than June  
2 1 of each subsequent year, the department shall post on the  
3 department's website an annual report that includes all of the  
4 following information:

5           (a) A list of each state or country from which an individual

1 was issued a license under section 219, 223, 731(5), 907(3), or  
2 1019(1), for the year covered by the report, and for which  
3 occupation the license was issued.

4 (b) All licensing compacts and multijurisdictional agreements  
5 involving occupations under this act of which this state is a part.

6 (c) For every occupation under this act, a list that includes  
7 each state and occupation for which an individual may be issued a  
8 license in this state if the individual holds a valid license for  
9 that occupation in that state and the department determines the  
10 requirements for issuing a license in that state generally meet the  
11 requirements under this act. The list described in this subsection  
12 must be provided by the department regardless of whether the  
13 department issued a license or received an application.

14 (2) Beginning June 1, 2025, and not later than June 1 of each  
15 subsequent year, the department shall review any application  
16 received under this act from an individual who holds a valid  
17 license from an equivalent licensing department, board, or  
18 authority, as determined by the department, in at least 1 other  
19 state and submit an annual report to the senate and house of  
20 representatives standing committees with jurisdiction over  
21 occupational licensing. The report must include all of the  
22 following:

23 (a) If there is an impediment to the issuance of a license to  
24 an applicant described in this subsection, a description of the  
25 impediment.

26 (b) If the impediment described under subdivision (a) is due  
27 to statute, the statutory change needed to allow the department to  
28 issue a license to an applicant described in this subsection.

29 (c) If the impediment described under subdivision (a) is not

1 due to statute, any modifications the department will make to allow  
2 the department to issue a license to an applicant described in this  
3 subsection.

4 (d) A recommendation on any licensing compacts or  
5 multijurisdictional agreements involving occupations under this act  
6 into which this state could enter.