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STATE AUDITORS OFFICE

The Honorable Nicole Galloway  
State Auditor  
State Capitol Building  
Jefferson City, MO 65101

RE: Petition approval request from Mike Louis regarding a proposed referendum petition for Senate Substitute 2 for Senate Bill 19 (2018-R001)

Dear Auditor Galloway:

Enclosed please find a referendum petition sample sheet for Senate Substitute 2 for Senate Bill 19 filed by Mike Louis on February 6, 2017.

We are referring the enclosed petition sample sheet to you for the purposes of preparing a fiscal note and fiscal note summary as required by Section 116.332, RSMo. Section 116.175.2, RSMo requires the state auditor to forward the fiscal note and fiscal note summary to the attorney general within twenty days of receipt of the petition sample sheet.

Thank you for your immediate consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

John R. Ashcroft

cc: Hon. Joshua D. Hawley  
Sheri Hoffman  
Trish Vincent

County \_\_\_\_\_

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It is a class A misdemeanor punishable, notwithstanding the provisions of section 560.021, RSMo, to the contrary, for a term of imprisonment not to exceed one year in the county jail or a fine not to exceed ten thousand dollars or both, for anyone to sign any referendum petition with any name other than his or her own, or knowingly to sign his or her name more than once for the same measure for the same election, or to sign a petition when such person knows he or she is not a registered voter.

**PETITION FOR REFERENDUM**

To the Honorable John P. (Jay) Ashcroft, Secretary of State for the state of Missouri:

We, the undersigned, registered voters of the state of Missouri and \_\_\_\_\_ County (or city of St. Louis), respectfully order that Senate Substitute Number 2 for Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An Act To amend chapter 290, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to labor organizations, with penalty provisions," passed by the 99<sup>th</sup> general assembly of the state of Missouri, at the first regular session of the 99<sup>th</sup> general assembly, shall be referred to the voters of the State of Missouri, for their approval or rejection, at the general election to be held on the 6th day of November, 2018, unless the general assembly shall designate another date, and each for himself or herself says: I have personally signed this petition; I am a registered voter of the state of Missouri and \_\_\_\_\_ County (or city of St. Louis); my registered voting address and name of the city, town or village in which I live are correctly written after my name.

[OFFICIAL BALLOT TITLE]

CIRCULATOR'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF MISSOURI,

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being first duly sworn, say (print or type names of signers)  
(Petition Circulator's Printed Name)

NAME (Signature)	DATE SIGNED	REGISTERED VOTING ADDRESS (Street) (City, Town or Village)	Zip Code	Congr. Dist.	NAME (Printed or Typed)
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signed this page of the foregoing petition, and each of them signed his or her name thereto in my presence; I believe that each has stated his or her name, registered voting address and city, town or village correctly, and that each signer is a registered voter of the state of Missouri and \_\_\_\_\_ County.

FURTHERMORE, I HEREBY SWEAR OR AFFIRM UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT ALL STATEMENTS MADE BY ME ARE TRUE AND CORRECT AND THAT I HAVE NEVER BEEN CONVICTED OF, FOUND GUILTY OF, OR PLED GUILTY TO ANY OFFENSE INVOLVING FORGERY.

I am at least 18 years of age. I do \_\_\_ do not \_\_\_ (check one) expect to be paid for circulating this petition. If paid, list the payer

Signature of Affiant (Person obtaining signatures)

Street address of Affiant

Printed Name of Affiant

City, State and Zip Code of Affiant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A.D. \_\_\_\_\_.

Signature of Notary

Notary Public (Seal)

Address of Notary

My commission expires:

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MO. SECRETARY OF STATE

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SENATE SUBSTITUTE NO. 2 FOR

# SENATE BILL NO. 19

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 290, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to labor organizations, with penalty provisions.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

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Section A. Chapter 290, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 290.590, to read as follows:

**290.590. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:**

(1) "Employer", any individual, organization, partnership, state agency, political subdivision, corporation, or other legal entity which employs or has employed one or more individuals performing services for the entity within this state; and

(2) "Labor organization", any organization of any kind or agency, or employee representation committee or union which exists for the purpose in whole or in part of dealing with employers concerning wages, rates of pay, hours of work, other conditions of employment, or other forms of compensation.

2. No person shall be required as a condition or continuation of employment to:

(1) Become, remain, or refrain from becoming a member of a labor organization;

(2) Pay any dues, fees, assessments, or other similar charges however denominated of any kind or amount to a labor organization; or

(3) In lieu of the payments listed under subdivision (2) of this subsection, pay to any charity or other third party any amount equivalent to, or on a pro rata basis, any dues, fees, assessments, or other charges required of members of a labor organization.

3. Any agreement, understanding, or practice, written or oral, implied or expressed, between any labor organization and employer



25 that violates the rights of employees as guaranteed under this section  
26 is unlawful, null and void, and of no legal effect.

27 4. Any person who violates or directs another to violate any  
28 provision of this section shall be guilty of a class C misdemeanor.

29 5. (1) Any person injured as a result of any violation or  
30 threatened violation of this section shall be entitled to injunctive relief  
31 against any and all violators or persons threatening violations.

32 (2) Any person injured as a result of any violation or threatened  
33 violation of this section may recover any and all damages of any  
34 character resulting from such violation or threatened violation  
35 including costs and reasonable attorney fees. Such remedies shall be  
36 independent of and in addition to the other penalties and remedies  
37 prescribed under this section.

38 6. The prosecuting attorney or circuit attorney with jurisdiction  
39 over the location where a violation or threatened violation of this  
40 section occurs or the attorney general of this state shall investigate  
41 complaints of violation or threatened violation of this section,  
42 prosecute any person violating this section, and use all means at their  
43 command to ensure the effective enforcement of this section.

44 7. This section shall not apply:

45 (1) To employers and employees covered by the federal Railway  
46 Labor Act;

47 (2) To federal employers and employees;

48 (3) To employers and employees on exclusive federal enclaves;

49 (4) Where this section conflicts with or is preempted by federal  
50 law; or

51 (5) To any agreement between an employer and a labor  
52 organization entered into before the effective date of this section but  
53 shall apply to any such agreement upon its renewal, extension,  
54 amendment, or modification in any respect after the effective date of  
55 this section.

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