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Anna Hui was originally appointed Director of the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations in March of 2017 by Gov. Eric Greitens (R), making her the first Asian American to serve in the governor's cabinet in Missouri history. Ms. Hui was recently reappointed as Director in December 2024 by Gov. Mike Kehoe (R). Ms. Hui served as the Associate Deputy Secretary of Labor at the Department of Labor during President George W. Bush's Administration. After leaving federal service in 2009, and until she returned to Illinois in 2015, she was Chief of Staff to former Department of Labor Secretary Elaine Chao. From 2015 to 2017, Anna served as Assistant Director and later as Acting Director of the Illinois Department of Labor, where she implemented major reforms in process and program efficiency.