**Section 240.540 Criminal Penalties**

a) Any contractor or individual who willfully violates the Act or this Part, or obstructs the Director of Labor or his or her representatives in the enforcement of the Act, shall be subject to penalties up to double the statutory amount, punitive damages, and/or criminal penalties as set forth in Section 45 of the Act.

b) Anyone attempting to induce an individual to waive any provision of the Act shall be guilty of a Class C misdemeanor.