

## 96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2009 and 2010 SB3813

Introduced 2/11/2010, by Sen. Mike Jacobs

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

820 ILCS 130/2 from Ch. 48, par. 39s-2 820 ILCS 130/3 from Ch. 48, par. 39s-3

Amends the Prevailing Wage Act. Defines "aggregate material". Provides that regardless of location laborers, workers, and mechanics who produce aggregate material that is incorporated, directly or indirectly, into a public works, and regardless of location all laborers, workers and mechanics who process aggregate material into concrete, cement or asphalt that is incorporated, directly or indirectly, into a public works shall be deemed to be employed upon public works.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

STATE MANDATES ACT MAY REQUIRE REIMBURSEMENT 1 AN ACT concerning employment.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Prevailing Wage Act is amended by changing Sections 2 and 3 as follows:
- 6 (820 ILCS 130/2) (from Ch. 48, par. 39s-2)
- Sec. 2. This Act applies to the wages of laborers, mechanics and other workers employed in any public works, as hereinafter defined, by any public body and to anyone under contracts for public works. This includes any maintenance, repair, assembly, or disassembly work performed on equipment whether owned, leased, or rented.
- 13 As used in this Act, unless the context indicates
  14 otherwise:
- "Public works" means all fixed works constructed or 15 16 demolished by any public body, or paid for wholly or in part 17 out of public funds. "Public works" as defined herein includes all projects financed in whole or in part with bonds, grants, 18 19 loans, or other funds made available by or through the State or any of its political subdivisions, including but not limited 20 21 to: bonds issued under the Industrial Project Revenue Bond Act 22 (Article 11, Division 74 of the Illinois Municipal Code), the Industrial Building Revenue Bond Act, the Illinois Finance 23

Authority Act, the Illinois Sports Facilities Authority Act, or 1 2 the Build Illinois Bond Act; loans or other funds made 3 available pursuant to the Build Illinois Act; or funds from the Fund for Illinois' Future under Section 6z-47 of the State 5 Finance Act, funds for school construction under Section 5 of the General Obligation Bond Act, funds authorized under Section 6 7 3 of the School Construction Bond Act, funds for school infrastructure under Section 6z-45 of the State Finance Act, 8 9 and funds for transportation purposes under Section 4 of the 10 General Obligation Bond Act. "Public works" also includes all 11 projects financed in whole or in part with funds from the 12 Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity under the 13 Illinois Renewable Fuels Development Program Act for which there is no project labor agreement. "Public works" also 14 15 includes all projects at leased facility property used for 16 airport purposes under Section 35 of the Local Government 17 Act. "Public works" also includes Facility Lease the construction of a new wind power facility by a business 18 19 designated as a High Impact Business under Section 5.5(a)(3)(E) 20 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act. "Public works" does not include work done directly by any public utility company, 21 22 whether or not done under public supervision or direction, or 23 paid for wholly or in part out of public funds. "Public works" does not include projects undertaken by the owner at an 24 25 owner-occupied single-family residence or at an owner-occupied 26 unit of a multi-family residence.

"Construction" means all work on public works involving laborers, workers or mechanics. This includes any maintenance, repair, assembly, or disassembly work performed on equipment whether owned, leased, or rented.

"Locality" means the county where the physical work upon public works is performed, except (1) that if there is not available in the county a sufficient number of competent skilled laborers, workers and mechanics to construct the public works efficiently and properly, "locality" includes any other county nearest the one in which the work or construction is to be performed and from which such persons may be obtained in sufficient numbers to perform the work and (2) that, with respect to contracts for highway work with the Department of Transportation of this State, "locality" may at the discretion of the Secretary of the Department of Transportation be construed to include two or more adjacent counties from which workers may be accessible for work on such construction.

"Public body" means the State or any officer, board or commission of the State or any political subdivision or department thereof, or any institution supported in whole or in part by public funds, and includes every county, city, town, village, township, school district, irrigation, utility, reclamation improvement or other district and every other political subdivision, district or municipality of the state whether such political subdivision, municipality or district operates under a special charter or not.

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- The terms "general prevailing rate of hourly wages", 1 2 "general prevailing rate of wages" or "prevailing rate of 3 wages" when used in this Act mean the hourly cash wages plus 4 fringe benefits for training and apprenticeship programs 5 approved by the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau 6 Apprenticeship and Training, health and welfare, insurance, vacations and pensions paid generally, in the locality in which 7 the work is being performed, to employees engaged in work of a 8 9 similar character on public works.
- The term "aggregate material" when used in this Act means
  rock, gravel, sand, pebbles, dirt, soil, clay, bitumen,
  cultured polymer, cement, concrete, asphalt and like
  materials.
- 14 (Source: P.A. 95-341, eff. 8-21-07; 96-28, eff. 7-1-09; 96-58, eff. 1-1-10; 96-186, eff. 1-1-10; revised 8-20-09.)
- 16 (820 ILCS 130/3) (from Ch. 48, par. 39s-3)
  - Sec. 3. Not less than the general prevailing rate of hourly wages for work of a similar character on public works in the locality in which the work is performed, and not less than the general prevailing rate of hourly wages for legal holiday and overtime work, shall be paid to all laborers, workers and mechanics employed by or on behalf of any public body engaged in the construction or demolition of public works. This includes any maintenance, repair, assembly, or disassembly work performed on equipment whether owned, leased, or rented.

1 Only such laborers, workers and mechanics as are directly 2 employed by contractors or subcontractors in actual construction work on the site of the building or construction 3 job, and regardless of location all laborers, workers and 4 5 mechanics who produce aggregate material that is incorporated, 6 directly or indirectly, into a public works, and regardless of 7 location all laborers, workers and mechanics who process aggregate material into concrete, cement or asphalt that is 8 9 incorporated, directly or indirectly, into a public works, and 10 laborers, workers and mechanics engaged in the transportation 11 of materials and equipment to or from the site, but not 12 including the transportation by the sellers and suppliers or 13 manufacture or processing of materials, excluding 14 aggregate materials, or equipment, in the execution of any 15 contract or contracts for public works with any public body 16 shall be deemed to be employed upon public works. The wage for 17 a tradesman performing maintenance is equivalent to that of a tradesman engaged in construction or demolition. 18

19 (Source: P.A. 95-341, eff. 8-21-07; 96-186, eff. 1-1-10.)