

HOUSE BILL No. 4474

March 15, 2001, Introduced by Rep. Kuipers and referred to the Committee on Conservation and Outdoor Recreation.

A bill to amend 1965 PA 166, entitled

"An act to require prevailing wages and fringe benefits on state projects; to establish the requirements and responsibilities of contracting agents and bidders; and to prescribe penalties,"

by amending section 1 (MCL 408.551).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1. As used in this act:

2 (a) "Construction mechanic" means a skilled or unskilled
3 mechanic, laborer, worker, helper, assistant, or apprentice work-
4 ing on a state project. ~~but shall~~ CONSTRUCTION MECHANIC DOES
5 not include executive, administrative, professional, office, or
6 custodial employees.

7 (b) "State project" means new construction, alteration,
8 repair, installation, painting, decorating, completion,
9 demolition, conditioning, reconditioning, or improvement of
10 public buildings, schools, works, bridges, highways, or roads

1 authorized by a contracting agent. STATE PROJECT DOES NOT
2 INCLUDE THE CONSTRUCTION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, INSTALLATION,
3 PAINTING, COMPLETION, DEMOLITION, CONDITIONING, RECONDITIONING,
4 OR IMPROVEMENT OF A BRIDGE FOR SNOWMOBILES LOCATED ON THE RECREA-
5 TIONAL SNOWMOBILE TRAIL SYSTEM IN THIS STATE.

6 (c) "Contracting agent" means any officer, school board,
7 board or commission of ~~the~~ THIS state, or a state institution
8 supported in whole or in part by state funds, authorized to enter
9 into a contract for a state project or to perform a state project
10 by the direct employment of labor.

11 (d) "Commissioner" means the department of labor.

12 (e) "Locality" means the county, city, village, township, or
13 school district in which the physical work on a state project is
14 to be performed.