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State of Illinois

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HB0165

Introduced 1/18/2011, by Rep. Dave Winters

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

820 ILCS 130/3

from Ch. 48, par. 39s-3

Amends the Prevailing Wage Act. Provides that prevailing wage need not be paid to workers engaged in the construction or demolition of public works when employed by or working on behalf of nonprofit organizations for educational purposes. Effective immediately.

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AN ACT concerning employment.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Prevailing Wage Act is amended by changing
Section 3 as follows:

6 (820 ILCS 130/3) (from Ch. 48, par. 39s-3)

7 Sec. 3. Not less than the general prevailing rate of hourly 8 wages for work of a similar character on public works in the 9 locality in which the work is performed, and not less than the general prevailing rate of hourly wages for legal holiday and 10 overtime work, shall be paid to all laborers, workers and 11 12 mechanics employed by or on behalf of any public body, except any person employed by or working on behalf of any nonprofit 13 14 organization for educational purposes, engaged in the construction or demolition of public works. This includes any 15 16 maintenance, repair, assembly, or disassembly work performed 17 on equipment whether owned, leased, or rented. Only such laborers, workers and mechanics as are directly employed by 18 19 contractors or subcontractors in actual construction work on 20 the site of the building or construction job, and laborers, 21 workers and mechanics engaged in the transportation of 22 materials and equipment to or from the site, but not including the transportation by the sellers and suppliers or the 23

1 manufacture or processing of materials or equipment, in the 2 execution of any contract or contracts for public works with 3 any public body shall be deemed to be employed upon public 4 works. The wage for a tradesman performing maintenance is 5 equivalent to that of a tradesman engaged in construction or 6 demolition.

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

8 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 9 becoming law.