



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 619**

LCO No. 1576



Referred to Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Introduced by:  
SEN. MARTIN, 31st Dist.

**AN ACT INCREASING THE PREVAILING WAGE FOR NEW  
CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATIONS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General  
Assembly convened:

- 1 That subsection (h) of section 31-53 of the general statutes be
- 2 amended to increase (1) the total cost threshold for new construction of
- 3 any public works project from one million dollars to five million dollars,
- 4 and (2) the total cost threshold for any remodeling, refinishing,
- 5 refurbishing, rehabilitation, alteration or repair of any public works
- 6 project from one hundred thousand dollars to five hundred thousand
- 7 dollars.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To increase the prevailing wage thresholds for new construction and  
renovations on any public works project.