HOUSE BILL No. 4351

February 17, 2005, Introduced by Rep. Hildenbrand and referred to the Committee on
Employment Relations, Training, and Safety.

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 working

4 on a state project but ~~shall~~ **DOES** not include executive,

5 administrative, professional, office, or custodial employees.

6   (b) "State project" means new construction, alteration,

7 repair, installation, painting, decorating, completion, demolition,

8 conditioning, reconditioning, or improvement of public buildings,

1 ~~schools,~~ works, bridges, highways, or roads authorized by a

2 contracting agent.

3   (c) "Contracting agent" means any officer, ~~school board,~~

4 board or commission of the state, or a state institution supported

5 in whole or in part by state funds, authorized to enter into a

6 contract for a state project or to perform a state project by the

7 direct employment of labor. **CONTRACTING AGENT DOES NOT INCLUDE A**

8 **SCHOOL DISTRICT OR A BOARD OR AGENT ACTING ON BEHALF OF A SCHOOL**

9 **DISTRICT.**

10   (d) "Commissioner" means the department of labor **AND ECONOMIC**

11 **GROWTH.**

12   (e) "Locality" means the county, city, village, **OR** township ~~,~~

13 ~~or school district~~ in which the physical work on a state project

14 is to be performed.

15   **(F) "SCHOOL DISTRICT" MEANS A SCHOOL DISTRICT, LOCAL ACT**

16 **SCHOOL DISTRICT, OR INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT AS THOSE TERMS ARE**

17 **DEFINED IN THE REVISED SCHOOL CODE, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1 TO**

18 **380.1852, OR A PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMY ESTABLISHED UNDER THE REVISED**

19 **SCHOOL CODE, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1 TO 380.1852.**