

S.F. No. 1566 – Prevailing wage requirements for economic development projects

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S.F. 1566 provides additional requirements surrounding prevailing wage requirements for economic development projects covered by M.S. 116J.871.

Section 1. **Prevailing wage required.** [116J.871, subd. 2] **Paragraph (a)** provides that financial assistance for economic development projects as defined under the statute are subject to prevailing wage reporting and record keeping requirements and enforcement by the Department of Labor and Industry.

Paragraph (b) specifies that the state agency awarding the financial assistance is considered the contracting authority and the project is considered a public works project. Requires the person receiving or benefiting from the financial assistance to notify all employers on the project of the record keeping and reporting requirements. Requires the employer to submit the required information to the contracting authority.