

SHB 1395 - H AMD 3003

By Representative Boehnke

1 On page 1, beginning on line 5, strike all of section 1 and
2 insert the following:

3 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The purpose of this act is to:

4 (1) Increase the cost of housing by making direct contractors pay
5 both the subcontractors and the subcontractors' employees for the
6 same work performed by the subcontractors' employees; and

7 (2) Further increase the cost of housing by making direct
8 contractors the new entities responsible for enforcing state wage
9 laws on behalf of the state of Washington, with the cost being paid
10 by the purchaser of the home, commercial property, or other building
11 or structure."

EFFECT: Strikes the intent section and establishes new intent language stating that the purposes of the act are to:

(1) Increase the cost of housing by making direct contractors pay both the subcontractors and the subcontractors' employees for the same work performed by the subcontractors' employees; and

(2) Further increase the cost of housing by making direct contractors the new entities responsible for enforcing state wage laws on behalf of the state of Washington, with the cost being paid by the purchaser of the home, commercial property, or other building or structure.

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