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## HOUSE BILL 1674

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to establishing the prevailing rate of wage based
- 2 on collective bargaining agreements or other methods if collective
- 3 bargaining agreements are not available; and amending RCW 39.12.015.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 39.12.015 and 1965 ex.s. c 133 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:
- 7 (1) All determinations of the prevailing rate of wage shall be 8 made by the industrial statistician of the department of labor and 9 industries.
- 10 (2) The industrial statistician shall establish the prevailing
  11 rate of wage by adopting the hourly wage, usual benefits, and
  12 overtime pay established in collective bargaining agreements for
- 13 those trades and occupations that have collective bargaining
- 14 <u>agreements. For trades and occupations in which there are no</u> 15 collective bargaining agreements, the industrial statistician shall
- 16 establish the prevailing rate of wage by conducting wage and hour
- 17 surveys. In instances when there are no collective bargaining
- 18 agreements and conducting wage and hour surveys is not feasible, the

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- 1 <u>industrial statistician may employ other appropriate methods to</u>
- 2 <u>establish the prevailing rate of wage.</u>

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