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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

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ALLOWAY AND MENSCH, MARCH 14, 2011

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REFERRED TO LABOR AND INDUSTRY, MARCH 14, 2011

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of August 15, 1961 (P.L.987, No.442), entitled  
2 "An act relating to public works contracts; providing for  
3 prevailing wages; imposing duties upon the Secretary of Labor  
4 and Industry; providing remedies, penalties and repealing  
5 existing laws," further defining "public work."

6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
7 hereby enacts as follows:

8 Section 1. The definition of "public work" in section 2(5)  
9 of the act of August 15, 1961 (P.L.987, No.442), known as the  
10 Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act, amended August 9, 1963  
11 (P.L.653, No.342), is amended to read:

12 Section 2. Definitions.--As used in this act--

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14 (5) "Public work" means construction, reconstruction,  
15 demolition, alteration and/or repair work other than maintenance  
16 work, done under contract and paid for in whole or in part out  
17 of the funds of a public body where the estimated cost of the  
18 total project is in excess of [twenty-five thousand dollars  
19 (\$25,000)] two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), but shall

1 not include work performed under a rehabilitation or manpower  
2 training program.

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4 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.