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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prevailing Wage - Overtime**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the requirements for overtime compensation for certain  
4 employees on certain public works projects; limiting the applicability of this Act;  
5 and generally relating to overtime compensation for employees under the prevailing  
6 wage law.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 Article - State Finance and Procurement  
9 Section 17-214  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (1995 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
13 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

14 **Article - State Finance and Procurement**

15 17-214.

16 Each contractor and subcontractor under a public work contract shall pay not less  
17 than the prevailing wage rate of:

18 (1) straight time to an employee who works 8 hours or less in a single  
19 calendar day except a Sunday or legal holiday; and

20 (2) overtime to an employee for each hour the employee works:

21 (i) in excess of [8 hours in any single calendar day] 40 HOURS  
22 DURING 1 WORKWEEK; and

23 (ii) on a Sunday or legal holiday.

24 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That nothing in this Act may  
25 be construed to affect a collective bargaining agreement that is signed before October 1,  
26 1996.

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1           SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
2 October 1, 1996.