

BY: Economic Matters Committee

**AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 644**  
(First Reading File Bill)

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, in line 7, strike “a”; in the same line, strike “purpose” and substitute “purposes”; and in line 11, after “circumstances;” insert “prohibiting the fringe benefit contribution amount required to be paid by certain contractors and subcontractors from exceeding a certain amount;”.

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 3, in line 13, after “**TO**” insert “**;**”

**(1)**”;

in line 17, after “**PROGRAMS**” insert “**;****AND**”

**(2) PAY ANY COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH CARRYING OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE;**

in line 23, strike “**FOR EACH COVERED CRAFT**”; in line 24, strike “**OR**”; and in line 25, after “**FUND**” insert “**;****OR**”

**(3) THE CONTRACTOR WILL MAKE PAYMENTS TO A REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM OR TO AN ORGANIZATION THAT HAS REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS**”.

On page 4, in line 5, strike “**FOR EACH COVERED CRAFT**”; in line 6, strike “**OR**”; in line 7, after “**FUND**” insert “**;****OR**”

(Over)

(3) THE SUBCONTRACTOR WILL MAKE PAYMENTS TO A REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM OR TO AN ORGANIZATION THAT HAS REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS”;

and after line 20, insert:

“(3) THE FRINGE BENEFIT CONTRIBUTION AMOUNT UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION MAY NOT EXCEED 25 CENTS PER HOUR FOR EACH WORKER IN THE COVERED CRAFT WHO IS EMPLOYED BY THE CONTRACTOR OR SUBCONTRACTOR ON THE COVERED PROJECT.”.