

HB 2399 -- Occupational Safety and Health Administration
Construction Safety Program

Sponsor: Lembke

This bill requires any person contracting to work on the construction of public works for any public body to provide an approved 10-hour federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration Construction Safety Program for their on-site employees prior to beginning work on the project and requires the contract to include this requirement.

Any employee found on the worksite without documentation of the successful completion of the required program will be subject to immediate removal. The contractor will forfeit as a penalty to the public body \$2,500 plus \$100 for each employee hired for each calendar day, or portion thereof, that the person is employed without the required training.

Provisions for the forfeiture and payment of any associated penalty, investigative and notification requirements, and an appeal process for any determination by the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations are specified in the bill.

The bill becomes effective August 28, 2009.