

AMENDMENTS TO COUNCIL BILL 20-0629  
(1<sup>st</sup> Reader Copy)

By: Councilmember Henry  
{To be offered to the Labor Committee}

**Amendment No. 1 {Purpose and function paragraphs}**

On page 1, in line 2, strike “**Determination**” and substitute “**Revisions and Petitions**”; and, on that same page, in line 3, strike “determines” and substitute “revises”; and, on that same page, in line 4, strike “by” down through and including “City” in line 5.

**Amendment No. 2 {Restoration of current § 25-16(a)}**

On page 1, in line 18, before “Board”, strike the opening bracket; and, on that same page and line, after the period, strike “[ IN GENERAL.”; and, on that same page, strike lines 19 through 21 in their entirety; and, on that same page, at the beginning of line 22, strike the opening bracket; and, on page 2, in line 3, after the period, strike the closing bracket; and, on that same page, at the beginning of line 4, strike the opening bracket; and, on that same page, in line 6, after the period, strike the closing bracket.

**Amendment No. 3 {Restoration of current § 25-16(b)-(c), modifying to allow for revisions from the State prevailing wage schedule; petitions}**

On page 2, strike lines 7 through 31 and substitute:

“(b) Basis of revision.

(1) The revision may be based [on recommendations by the prevailing wage section of the Wage Commission] ON:

(I) THE PREVAILING WAGE RATE ESTABLISHED ANNUALLY FOR THE CITY BY THE MARYLAND STATE COMMISSIONER OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY; OR

(II) A PETITION FILED UNDER SUBSECTION (C) OF THIS SECTION.

(2) The schedules of prevailing hourly wage rates, including overtime rates for all hours worked on Saturdays and Sundays, and all hours worked in excess of 8

hours per day on Monday through Friday, and all hours worked on legal holidays designated as overtime holidays by the Board of Estimates may not be less in amount than the general prevailing hourly wage rates being paid to laborers, mechanics, and apprentices for doing work of a similar character in the locality in which the project is located.

- (3) These general prevailing hourly wage rates shall be determined by the Board of Estimates whose decision in the matter is final.

(C) PETITIONS.

(1) IN GENERAL.

ON PETITION, THE BOARD OF ESTIMATES MAY REVIEW AND REVISE ANY PREVAILING HOURLY WAGE RATE ESTABLISHED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION.

(2) TIMELINESS OF REQUEST.

ANY PETITION FOR RATE REVIEW UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE BOARD WITHIN 21 DAYS AFTER A CONTRACTING AGENCY PUBLISHES A REQUEST FOR BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR A PROJECT FOR WHICH THE PREVAILING HOURLY WAGE RATE WOULD BE USED FOR THE FIRST TIME FOLLOWING ITS INITIAL ESTABLISHMENT.

(D) [(c)] Authority of Board not restricted.

Nothing in this Ordinance limits or restricts in any way the power and authority of the Board of Estimates to classify the type of work to be done for the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore and to establish schedules of prevailing hourly wage rates for these classifications.”.