

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 761 Session of 2019

INTRODUCED BY DUSH, RYAN, KEEFER, IRVIN, JAMES, MILLARD, GROVE,  
HAHN, MENTZER AND COX, MARCH 8, 2019

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND INDUSTRY, MARCH 8, 2019

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 providing for definitions.

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

8 Section 1. Section 2(5) of the act of August 15, 1961  
9 (P.L.987, No.442), known as the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage  
10 Act, is amended to read:

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

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13 (5) "Public work" means construction, reconstruction,  
14 demolition, alteration and/or repair work other than maintenance  
15 work, done under contract and paid for in whole or in part out  
16 of the funds of a public body where the estimated cost of the  
17 total project is in excess of twenty-five thousand dollars  
18 (\$25,000), but shall not include work performed under a  
19 rehabilitation or manpower training program. The term shall not

1 include work on historic property as defined under 37 Pa.C.S. §  
2 103 (relating to definitions), property maintained by a  
3 qualified historical and archeological society that satisfies  
4 the criteria under 37 Pa.C.S. § 307 (relating to qualified  
5 historical and archeological societies), property maintained by  
6 a historic preservation organization or property maintained by a  
7 land trust that operates under the act of July 2, 1993 (P.L.359,  
8 No.50), known as the "Keystone Recreation, Park and Conservation  
9 Fund Act."

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