



**150th GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL NOTE**

BILL: SENATE BILL NO. 48
SPONSOR: Senator Walsh
DESCRIPTION: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 29 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTING.

Assumptions:

1. This Act becomes effective upon the signature of the Governor.
2. This Act requires that contractors and subcontractors, bidding on State capital projects that meet certain provisions, provide craft training for journeyman and apprentice levels through an approved State or U.S. Department of Labor program.
3. This Act requires the State Department of Labor promulgate the regulations of this Act.
4. The fiscal analysis estimates the initial need for two casual/seasonal positions, one within the Office of Management and Budget and one within the Department of Transportation, at a rate of \$13/hour, working 30 hours per week, for 42 weeks at a salary and OECs cost of \$17,907 per position. These positions will assist in verifying out-of-state and federally certified apprenticeship programs for applicable statewide construction projects.
5. Any costs associated with technology used to support the administration of the provision of this Act are assumed the responsibility of the Agency(s).

Cost:

Fiscal Year 2020: \$17,900 General Fund, \$17,900 Transportation Trust Fund
Fiscal Year 2021: \$17,900 General Fund, \$17,900 Transportation Trust Fund
Fiscal Year 2022: \$17,900 General Fund, \$17,900 Transportation Trust Fund

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