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Re: Prevailing Wage Rates; Traffic Markings

Dear Mr. John O'Reilly:

Thank you for your recent correspondence concerning the prevailing wage rates for persons who apply traffic markings on public works projects.

The new collective bargaining agreement between the Labor Relations Division of Construction Industries of Massachusetts and the Massachusetts Laborers District Council explicitly covers "Highway lane striping and pavement arrows and markings." As a result, the Division of Occupational Safety has amended its prevailing wage schedules to reflect this information. Attached is an example prevailing wage schedule that includes the occupational classification "Painter (Traffic Markings)" followed by a total rate established by the aforementioned collective bargaining agreement.

If you have any further questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Robert J. Prezioso
Deputy Director