

Submitter: James White

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Labor and Workplace Standards

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB426

This is a bad bill for everyone. It passes the burden of wage payment from the subcontractor who hired the employee onto a third party, the general contractor or property owner. Put the requirement on the subcontractor themselves, where it actually belongs.

Do you pay the obligations of someone outside a contract? I certainly wouldn't. This bill could all but eliminate subcontractors from being hired, or allowed to be hired, raising the cost of contractor projects for the end user, the property owner.

I urge a NO vote.