

~~(D) IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN APPROVED AND REGISTERED WORK-BASED LEARNING PROGRAM, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL HIRE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT INDIVIDUALS WHO:~~

~~(1) DEMONSTRATE POTENTIAL FOR BEING SUCCESSFUL EMPLOYEES IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY; AND~~

~~(2) ARE SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS, INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE RECEIVED A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA, INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE ENROLLED IN A PROGRAM TO RECEIVE A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR EQUIVALENCY, OR INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE ATTENDING AN INSTITUTION OF POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION ARE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:~~

~~(I) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS A SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENT,~~

~~(II) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS RECEIVED A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA AND IS LESS THAN 23 YEARS OF AGE;~~

~~(III) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS ENROLLED IN A PROGRAM TO RECEIVE A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR EQUIVALENCY, OR~~

~~(IV) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS ATTENDING AN INSTITUTION OF POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION.~~

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That:

(a) There shall be a Task Force to Study School Construction Work-Based Learning and Apprenticeship Programs consisting of the following members:

(1) 1 member of the Senate of Maryland, appointed by the President of the Senate;

(2) 1 member of the House of Delegates, appointed by the Speaker of the House;

(3) 3 representatives from each of three county boards of education active in work-based learning programs, appointed by the Governor;

(4) The State Superintendent of Schools, or a designee of the State Superintendent;

(5) 1 representative from the Interagency Committee on School Construction, appointed by the Governor;

(6) 2 members of the Building and Construction Trades Council, appointed by the Governor;

(7) 2 training directors from an apprenticeship program approved by the Apprenticeship and Training Council, appointed by the Secretary of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation;

(8) 2 representatives from the Associated Building Contractors Associated, appointed by the Secretary of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation; and