

# Senate Study Bill 1192

SENATE/HOUSE FILE \_\_\_\_\_  
BY (PROPOSED DEPARTMENT OF  
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BILL)

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## A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to asbestos removal and encapsulation regulations  
2 as enforced by the labor commissioner.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:  
4 TLSB 1349DP 82  
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1 1 Section 1. Section 88B.1, subsection 1, Code 2007, is  
1 2 amended to read as follows:  
1 3 1. "Asbestos project" means an activity involving the  
1 4 removal or encapsulation of asbestos and affecting a building  
1 5 or structure. "Asbestos project" includes the preparation of  
1 6 the project site through the transportation of the  
1 7 asbestos-containing materials off the premises. "Asbestos  
1 8 project" includes the removal or encapsulation of building  
1 9 materials containing asbestos from the site of a building or  
1 10 structure demolition or collapse.  
1 11 Sec. 2. Section 88B.11, Code 2007, is amended to read as  
1 12 follows:  
1 13 88B.11 BIDS FOR GOVERNMENTAL PROJECTS.  
1 14 A state agency or political subdivision shall not accept a  
1 15 bid in connection with any asbestos project from a business  
1 16 entity that does not hold a permit from the division at the  
1 17 time the bid is submitted, unless the business entity provides  
1 18 the state agency or political subdivision with written proof  
1 19 that ensures that the business entity has contracted to have  
1 20 the asbestos removal or encapsulation performed by a licensed  
1 21 contractor.

### EXPLANATION

1 22 This bill redefines an asbestos project as an asbestos  
1 23 removal or encapsulation activity that affects a building or  
1 24 structure, and includes removing materials containing asbestos  
1 25 from the site of a demolition or collapse. An asbestos  
1 26 project is further defined as including the preparation of the  
1 27 site through the transportation of the asbestos-containing  
1 28 materials from the site.  
1 29 The bill allows a state agency or political subdivision to  
1 30 accept a bid for an asbestos project if the business entity  
1 31 making the bid contracts to have the work done by a licensed  
1 32 asbestos contractor.  
1 33 LSB 1349DP 82  
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