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NEW! APPRENTICE HIRING REQUIREMENTS

On July 24, 2005, Governor Murkowski issued Administrative Order 226, which establishes a 15% goal for hiring apprentices in certain job categories on highway, airport, harbor, dam, tunnel, utility or dredging projects awarded by the Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities that exceed 2.5 million dollars. This Administrative Order will apply to all projects in these categories, advertised after September 1, 2005.

On these projects, the hours worked by apprentices will be compared to the hours worked by journey level workers to determine if the 15% goal has been met. This on-the-job training goal is critical to ensure that the Alaskan workforce is prepared for the future.

For additional details, contact the nearest Wage and Hour Office at the address listed below.

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A link to the full text of the Administrative Order follows:

<http://gov.state.ak.us/admin-orders/226.html>