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By Committee on Commerce & Labor

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1 On page 16, after line 12, insert the following:

2 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 11.** (1)(a) Three staff members, one being a
3 working supervisor, must be added to the department of labor and
4 industries' fraud audit infraction and revenue contractor fraud team.

5 (b) The department of labor and industries and the employment
6 security department shall hire more auditors to assist with their
7 enforcement activities relating to the underground economy in the
8 construction industry. At a minimum, the department of labor and
9 industries shall hire three more auditors.

10 (2) If funds are made available in the 2008 supplemental budget,
11 money must be dedicated to the attorney general's office to be used in
12 the enforcement of contractor compliance cases."

13 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any
14 internal references accordingly.

EFFECT: Requires: (1) The Department of Labor and Industries (L&I) to add three staff to the FAIR (Fraud Audit Infraction and Revenue) contractor fraud team; (2) L&I and the Employment Security Department to hire more auditors, with L&I to hire at least three more auditors; and (3) if funds are available in the 2008 supplemental budget, dedication of funds to the Attorney General's Office to be used for contractor compliance cases.

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