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1 AN ACT Relating to establishing the prevailing rate of wage based
2 on collective bargaining agreements or other methods if collective
3 bargaining agreements are not available; and amending RCW 39.12.015.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 39.12.015 and 1965 ex.s. c 133 s 2 are each amended to
6 read as follows:

7 (1) All determinations of the prevailing rate of wage shall be made
8 by the industrial statistician of the department of labor and
9 industries.

10 (2) The industrial statistician shall establish the prevailing rate
11 of wage by adopting the hourly wage, usual benefits, and overtime pay
12 established in collective bargaining agreements for those trades and
13 occupations that have collective bargaining agreements. For trades and
14 occupations in which there are no collective bargaining agreements, the
15 industrial statistician shall establish the prevailing rate of wage by
16 conducting wage and hour surveys. In instances when there are no
17 collective bargaining agreements and conducting wage and hour surveys

1 is not feasible, the industrial statistician may employ other
2 appropriate methods to establish the prevailing rate of wage.

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