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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6815**

**BILL NUMBER: SB 418**

**NOTE PREPARED: Jan 5, 2011**

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Common Construction Wage.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Sen. Kruse

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FUNDS AFFECTED:  GENERAL  
 DEDICATED  
 FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State & Local

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill provides that the committee established in a county to determine the common construction wage for the county does not need to meet more often than once every three months and that the common construction wage determined at a meeting applies to all public works contracts awarded within the three months following the meeting. (Currently the committee must meet for each project.) The bill also removes a requirement that the Department of Workforce Development (DWD) must provide reports for each meeting of the committee.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2011.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** Removing the requirement that the DWD must provide reports for each meeting of the committee could reduce administrative expenses for the DWD.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:** The impact will depend on local action and will vary from unit to unit.

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** DWD.

**Local Agencies Affected:** Government units awarding contracts.

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