

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
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**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 1383**

"AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD TO TAKE ACTION  
AGAINST A CONTRACTOR FOR KNOWINGLY EMPLOYING WORKERS WITHOUT  
LEGAL STATUS."

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**Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 1383.**

Amend House Bill No. 1383 as engrossed, H2/11/09 (version: 02-11-2009 09:28):

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 9 and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) If after notice and hearing, a contractor licensed under this chapter is found by the Contractors Licensing Board to knowingly employ workers without legal status either directly or through a subcontractor, the board may:

(A) Impose civil penalties against the contractor in an amount not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200) per day for each day the violation continues;

(B) Suspend the contractor's certificate of license; or

(C) Revoke the contractor's certificate of license.

(2) A contractor shall not be found to knowingly employ workers without legal status if the contractor uses the federal E-verify system to verify the legal status of employees. Use of the federal E-verify system is an affirmative defense under this section."



The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_

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