## **LEGAL SERVICES**

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## **MEMORANDUM**

February 28, 2011

**SUBJECT:** Security for injunction (HB 168, Work Order No. 27-LS0395\B)

**TO:** Representative Eric Feige

Co-Chair of the House Resources Committee

Attn: Linda Hay

FROM: Dennis C. Bailey & U

Legislative Counsel

You have requested a sectional summary of the above-described bill.

As a preliminary matter, note that a sectional summary of a bill should not be considered an authoritative interpretation of the bill and the bill itself is the best statement of its contents.

<u>Section 1.</u> Applies to a court considering the amount of security that must be provided by a person seeking an injunction or order vacating or staying the operation of a permit that affects an industrial operation. The court's consideration of the costs that an industrial operation may incur if the operation is wrongly enjoined must include an amount for payment of wages and benefits for employees, and payment to contractors and subcontractors of the industrial operation.

Defines an industrial operation to include a construction, energy, or timber activity and oil, gas, and mineral exploration, development and production.

Does not prohibit a person who is wrongly enjoined from other relief or otherwise limit the amount that a person may recover in the action.

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