

# 2011 Significant Bills

The following is a listing of proposed legislation by bill number and sponsor, along with summary statements and current status. The full bill text can be obtained by visiting the NYS Assembly bill search system at <http://assembly.state.ny.us/leg/> or the NYS Senate at <http://www.nysenate.gov/legislation>

The State Association's Legislative Committee reviews these bills with legislative counsel, and their progress is tracked. If you have any questions or insights on a particular bill, please contact the Association office.

The current status of each bill is indicated at the end of the summary statement. This information was updated 4/8/2011.

## S76 PERALTA

Enacts the "construction safety course accountability act"

Same as A 205

SUMM : Amd S220-h, Lab L Enacts the "construction safety course accountability act"; authorizes the department of labor to license any entity or organization in the state of New York which offers an Occupational Safety and Health Administration construction safety and health course; requires any person or entity which issues an Occupational Safety and Health Administration construction and safety health course card in New York state to submit a copy to the department of labor, with the cardholder's name and address and the date of issuance.

01/05/11 REFERRED TO LABOR

## A205 LANCMAN

Enacts the "construction safety course accountability act"

Same as S 76

SUMM : Amd S220-h, Lab L Enacts the "construction safety course accountability act"; authorizes the department of labor to license any entity or organization in the state of New York which offers an Occupational Safety and Health Administration construction safety and health course; requires any person or entity which issues an Occupational Safety and Health Administration construction and safety health course card in New York state to submit a copy to the department of labor, with the cardholder's name and address and the date of issuance.

01/05/11 referred to labor

## S380 MONTGOMERY

Relates to increased participation in state contracts and subcontracts by certified minority and women owned business enterprises

Same as Uni. A 301

SUMM : Amd SS311, 312, 313, 315 & 316, Exec L; amd SS137, 139-f & 139-g, St Fin L  
Relates to increased participation in state contracts and subcontracts by certified minority and women owned business enterprises; relates to certain performance and payment bond requirements.

01/05/11 REFERRED TO FINANCE

A301 MILLMAN, DESTITO, PEOPLES-STOKES; M-S: Bing, Boyland, Cahill, Camara, Clark, Gottfried, Gunther, Hooper, Jacobs, Jaffee, Jeffries, Lifton, Lupardo, Maisel, McEneny, Pheffer, P. Rivera, Robinson, Sweeney, Towns, Weisenberg

Relates to increased participation in state contracts and subcontracts by certified minority and women owned business enterprises

Same as Uni. S 380

01/05/11 referred to governmental operations

S673 PERALTA, ADDABBO, KRUEGER

Relates to increasing the maximum benefit rate for unemployment insurance

Same as A 6137

SUMM : Amd SS518 & 590, Lab L Relates to increasing the maximum benefit rate for unemployment insurance.

01/05/11 REFERRED TO LABOR

A6137 WRIGHT, LANCMAN, ABBATE, JAFFEE, PHEFFER, COLTON, SCHROEDER, ROBINSON, ROSENTHAL, DINOWITZ, MILLMAN, CLARK, NOLAN, MARKEY, RAMOS, LIFTON, LAVINE, JEFFRIES, CASTRO, PERRY, BOYLAND, O'DONNELL, MENG, BRONSON; M-S: Aubry, Benedetto, Brennan, Cahill, Conte, Cook, Gunther, Heastie, Jacobs, Latimer, V. Lopez, Lupardo, McEneny, Paulin, Peoples-Stokes, Pretlow, Rabbitt, Russell, Schimel, Sweeney, Weinstein, Weisenberg

Relates to increasing the maximum benefit rate for unemployment insurance

Same as S 673

03/08/11 referred to labor

S699 SALAND

Relates to providing an exemption for school districts from requirements for separate specifications for public works

Same as A 3682

SUMM : Amd S308, Ed L; amd S101, Gen Muni L Provides an exemption for school districts from requirements for separate specifications for public works; permits school district to assign contract to a single responsible person, firm or corporation; permits school district to require a general contractor to submit proposed subcontractor bids; directs the commissioner of education to prepare a study on the impact of such exemption.

01/05/11 REFERRED TO EDUCATION

A3682 GALEF, PAULIN, JAFFEE, CALHOUN, SPANO, GIGLIO, KOLB, TOBACCO, BOYLAND, SCHIMMINGER; M-S: Amedore, Burling, Castelli, Crouch, Jordan, P. Lopez, Magee, McDonough, McKeivitt, Molinaro, Montesano, Murray, Saladino, Sayward, Thiele, Towns

Relates to providing an exemption for school districts from requirements for separate specifications for public works  
Same as S 699  
01/26/11 referred to education

S723 PERALTA

Relates to the dedicated occupational safety and health training and education and occupational health clinic programs fund

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S97-c, St Fin L Relates to the dedicated occupational safety and health training and education and occupational health clinic programs fund.

01/05/11 REFERRED TO FINANCE

S724 PERALTA

Requires the payment of prevailing wages on certain state university of New York construction projects

No Same as

SUMM : Add S220-i, Lab L Requires the payment of prevailing wages on construction projects involving the state university of New York, the dormitory authority or the state university construction fund and any third party.

01/05/11 REFERRED TO LABOR

S1259 ADDABBO, PARKER, PERALTA, STAVISKY

Requires prior written notice upon hiring and once annually to all employees, informing them of the types of electronic monitoring which may occur

Same as A 1485

SUMM : Add S52-a, Civ Rts L Requires prior written notice upon hiring and once annually to all employees, informing them of the types of electronic monitoring which may occur.

01/06/11 REFERRED TO CODES

A1485 ROSENTHAL, MAISEL, JAFFEE, ZEBROWSKI, REILLY, GOTTFRIED, CAHILL, KELLNER; M-S: Galef, Heastie, Pheffer, Schimel

Requires prior written notice upon hiring and once annually to all employees, informing them of the types of electronic monitoring which may occur

Same as S 1259

01/10/11 referred to labor

S1358 DILAN, DIAZ, HASSELL-THOMPSON

Extends provisions relating to owner controlled insurance programs

Same as A 3386

SUMM : Amd S2504, Ins L Extends provisions relating to owner controlled insurance programs; provides that for such purposes "public corporation" or "public authority" shall not include bridge, tunnel or omnibus facilities.

01/06/11 REFERRED TO INSURANCE

A3386 CYMBROWITZ, MORELLE, MILLMAN, WRIGHT, COOK, PERRY; M-S: Bing, Brennan, Jacobs, Jaffee, Mayersohn, J. Rivera  
Extends provisions relating to owner controlled insurance programs  
Same as S 1358  
01/25/11 referred to insurance

S1502 MAZIARZ, RANZENHOFER, GALLIVAN, GRISANTI, KENNEDY  
Relates to tuition increases, leasing, contracting, and the overall daily operation at the State University of New York at Buffalo  
No Same as  
SUMM : Amd SS355, 373 & 376, Ed L; amd SS1676 & 1680, Pub Auth L; amd SS891-a & 914-a, Gen Muni L; amd SS112, 139-j, 139-k, 163, 4 & 121, St Fin L; amd S5-a, Tax L Relates to tuition increases, leasing, contracting, and the overall daily operation at the State University of New York at Buffalo.  
01/07/11 REFERRED TO HIGHER EDUCATION

S1586 OPPENHEIMER  
Requires contractor bids on school district projects to include information on subcontractors and the commissioner of education to create surveys on the new bidding  
No Same as  
SUMM : Amd S305, Ed L; amd S101, Gen Muni L Requires contractors bidding on projects for school districts to provide information regarding proposed subcontractors; requires the commissioner to provide surveys regarding the new bidding process.  
01/10/11 REFERRED TO EDUCATION

S1770 PERKINS, DILAN  
Requires the metropolitan transportation authority to hold a public hearing prior to awarding a sole source contract without competitive bidding thereon  
Same as A 6944  
SUMM : Add S1265-c, Pub Auth L Requires the Metropolitan Transportation Authority to hold a public hearing prior to awarding a non-emergency sole source contract without competitive bidding thereon; provides requirements for notice of such hearing; provides that the public shall be heard with respect to such contract; requires the awarding resolution to state reasons therefor; makes an exception for contracts for personal or professional services.  
01/12/11 REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION

A6944 KAVANAGH  
Requires the metropolitan transportation authority to hold a public hearing prior to awarding a sole source contract without competitive bidding thereon  
Same as S 1770  
04/06/11 referred to corporations, authorities and commissions

S1912 SERRANO, KRUEGER, PERKINS  
Establishes an economic grant program for the Second Avenue Subway construction project area

Same as A 1116

SUMM : Add S16-u, UDC Act; add S131-a, Ec Dev L Establishes an economic grant program for the Second Avenue Subway construction project area; defines micro business.

01/14/11 REFERRED TO CORPORATIONS, AUTHORITIES AND COMMISSIONS

A1116 BING, KELLNER, GLICK, RODRIGUEZ; M-S: Boyland, Gottfried, Reilly  
Establishes an economic grant program for the Second Avenue Subway construction project area

Same as S 1912

01/05/11 referred to economic development

S1989 GOLDEN

Relates to contracts by the New York city school construction authority

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S1734, Pub Auth L Relates to contracts by the New York City school construction authority; provides that a bid shall not be rejected or be deemed invalid, impaired or in any manner defective solely for harmless, technical, or ministerial defects, where the intent is clearly discernible and unintentional, provided, however, that this section shall not be deemed to relieve any bidder from any criminal or civil liability as may be imposed by reason of his or her act, nor enlarge the actual authority of any officer of the authority, nor, except as stated in this sentence, limit any other statute or rule of law.

01/14/11 REFERRED TO CORPORATIONS, AUTHORITIES AND COMMISSIONS

S2137 SAVINO

Defines lowest responsible bidder and unfair labor practices for purposes of the prevailing wage law for public works projects

Same as A 4500

SUMM : Add S201-g, Lab L; amd S103, Gen Muni L Defines lowest responsible bidder for purposes of the prevailing wage law to include only those who have not been found guilty of an unfair labor practice within a three year period preceding the award of a public works project in order to disqualify as the lowest responsible bidder on a public works contract those bidders who have violated certain federal or state labor laws; permits challenges to the determination of the lowest possible bidder.

01/18/11 REFERRED TO LABOR

A4500 SCHROEDER

Defines lowest responsible bidder and unfair labor practices for purposes of the prevailing wage law for public works projects

Same as S 2137

02/03/11 referred to labor

S2200 KRUEGER

Enacts the New York state fair pay act

Same as A 6130

SUMM : Add Art 21 SS750 - 757, Lab L Enacts the "New York State fair pay act"; provides that it shall be an unlawful employment practice for an employer to discriminate between employees on the basis of sex, race and/or national origin by paying different wages.

01/18/11 REFERRED TO LABOR

03/18/11 NOTICE OF COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION - REQUESTED

A6130 WRIGHT, COLTON, CAHILL, LANCMAN, N. RIVERA, ROSENTHAL, LUPARDO, JAFFEE, BRONSON; M-S: Bing, Cusick, Destito, Gottfried, Gunther, Jacobs, Lifton, Magnarelli, Ramos, Weinstein

Enacts the New York state fair pay act

Same as S 2200

03/08/11 referred to labor

03/15/11 reported referred to codes

03/22/11 reported referred to ways and means

S2465 LIBOUS

Requires public contracts to include a clause authorizing contractors to recover damages for delay for itself as well as on behalf of subcontractors or materialmen

Same as A 4699

SUMM : Add S138-b, St Fin L Requires public contracts to include clauses authorizing contractors to recover damages for delay which are caused by acts or omissions by the public owner, as otherwise permitted by law, and requires the contractor, when submitting a claim, to certify that the supporting data is accurate to the best of his or her knowledge and the amount of the claim he or she believes to be the public owner's liability.

01/21/11 REFERRED TO FINANCE

A4699 V. LOPEZ

Requires public contracts to include a clause authorizing contractors to recover damages for delay for itself as well as on behalf of subcontractors or materialmen

Same as S 2465

02/07/11 referred to governmental operations

S3012 ESPAILLAT

Relates to requirements for selecting the lowest responsible bidder for certain public works contracts

No Same as

SUMM : Add S135-b, St Fin L; add S100-b, Gen Muni L Relates to requirements for selecting the lowest responsible bidder for certain public works contracts; requires the submission of a questionnaire to the contracting agency and the comptroller.

02/07/11 REFERRED TO FINANCE

S3052 KRUGER

Relates to enforcement of competitive bidding law

Same as A 3617

SUMM : Add S103-g, amd SS103 & 35, Gen Muni L; add S164-a, St Fin L Enacts the "municipal competitive bidding enforcement act" to ensure local governments are provided

with the comptroller's opinions on specific procurement actions and holding political subdivisions accountable for complying with the competitive bidding law; establishes attorney general enforcement; declares bids are public records; provides office of general services shall supply bid specifications to political subdivisions.

02/07/11 REFERRED TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT

A3617 BRENNAN, MILLMAN, CLARK, DINOWITZ, ORTIZ, COLTON, SPANO, JAFFEE; M-S: Cahill, Galef, Glick, Gottfried, Markey, Pheffer, Rosenthal, Sweeney  
Relates to enforcement of competitive bidding law

Same as S 3052

01/26/11 referred to local governments

S3179 DeFRANCISCO

Relates to lien filings for retainage

Same as Uni. A 5022

SUMM : Amd S10, Lien L Provides that where the notice of lien is for retainage, the notice of lien may be filed within ninety days after the date the retainage was due to be released.

02/10/11 REFERRED TO JUDICIARY

A5022 CUSICK, CASTRO, ROBINSON; M-S: Boyland, Gunther, Mayersohn, P. Rivera  
Relates to lien filings for retainage

Same as Uni. S 3179

02/10/11 referred to judiciary

S3180 DeFRANCISCO, JOHNSON, O'MARA

Provides for a reasonable amount of construction contract sum to be deposited in a separate interest bearing escrow account with a third party escrow agent

Same as Uni. A 5023

SUMM : Amd S756-c, Gen Bus L Provides for a reasonable amount of construction contract sum to be deposited in a separate interest bearing escrow account with a third party escrow agent; provides further that the owner shall be subject to the payment of interest, in addition to the escrow interest, at the rate of one percent per month and the contractor or subcontractor shall be subject to payment of interest on the amount of retainage it holds at the rate of one percent per month.

02/10/11 REFERRED TO CONSUMER PROTECTION

A5023 CUSICK; M-S: Gunther, Hooper, Magee, Pheffer, P. Rivera, Robinson  
Provides for a reasonable amount of construction contract sum to be deposited in a separate interest bearing escrow account with a third party escrow agent

Same as Uni. S 3180

02/10/11 referred to economic development

S3181 DeFRANCISCO, JOHNSON, O'MARA

Provides for release of subcontractor's retainage held by a public owner or contractor sixty days after substantial completion of work

Same as Uni. A 5024

SUMM : Amd S139-f, St Fin L; amd S106-b, Gen Muni L Provides for release of subcontractor's retainage held by a public owner or contractor sixty days after substantial completion of work.

02/10/11 REFERRED TO FINANCE

A5024 CUSICK, GABRYSZAK; M-S: P. Rivera, Robinson

Provides for release of subcontractor's retainage held by a public owner or contractor sixty days after substantial completion of work

Same as Uni. S 3181

02/10/11 referred to governmental operations

S3182 DeFRANCISCO

Amends the dates for filing a claim and commencing an action on a bond

Same as Uni. A 5025

SUMM : Amd S137, St Fin L Provides that a laborer or materialman on a state public improvement may sue on the bond required to be posted by a contractor or subcontractor on such an improvement within 1 year after such improvement has been completed and accepted by the public owner.

02/10/11 REFERRED TO FINANCE

A5025 CUSICK, MAGNARELLI, TITONE, ROBINSON; M-S: P. Rivera

Amends the dates for filing a claim and commencing an action on a bond

Same as Uni. S 3182

02/10/11 referred to codes

S3183 DeFRANCISCO

Makes indemnification agreements relating to construction contracts void as against public policy

Same as Uni. A 5026

SUMM : Amd S5-322.1, Gen Ob L Makes indemnification agreements, relating to construction contracts void as against public policy.

02/10/11 REFERRED TO JUDICIARY

A5026 CUSICK, ROBINSON; M-S: P. Rivera

Makes indemnification agreements relating to construction contracts void as against public policy

Same as Uni. S 3183

02/10/11 referred to judiciary

S3273 HASSELL-THOMPSON

Enacts the "Omnibus Prevailing Wage Enforcement Act"

No Same as

SUMM : Add S223-a, amd SS220, 231 & 233, Lab L; amd S103, Gen Muni L; amd SS87 & 89, Pub Off L; amd SS1 & 2, Chap 511 of 1995 Enacts the "Omnibus Prevailing Wage Enforcement Act"; creates the office of the prevailing wage fraud inspector general for

increased vigilance in the effort to achieve prevailing wage enforcement; allows public authorities to require that successful bidders for public works jobs participate in a state-sponsored apprenticeship program; makes related provisions.

02/15/11 REFERRED TO LABOR

S3730 OPPENHEIMER, DIAZ, DILAN, KRUEGER, SAMPSON

Provides public and private employees right to review personnel file

Same as A 2314

SUMM : Add S211-b, Lab L; add S153, Civ Serv L Provides public and private employees right to review personnel file.

03/02/11 REFERRED TO LABOR

A2314 HEASTIE, WRIGHT, GABRYSZAK, COLTON, BRONSON

Provides public and private employees right to review personnel file

Same as S 3730

01/18/11 referred to labor

S3999 RANZENHOFER, DeFRANCISCO, GRISANTI, JOHNSON, KLEIN, MAZIARZ, SALAND  
Creates a jobs development incentive income tax credit available to employers who employ individuals previously receiving unemployment

No Same as

SUMM : Amd SS210 & 606, Tax L Creates a job development incentive income tax credit available to employers who employ individuals previously receiving unemployment.

03/11/11 REFERRED TO INVESTIGATIONS AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

S4105 MARCELLINO

Enacts the healthy, safe and energy efficient outdoor lighting act to reduce harmful outdoor lighting

No Same as

SUMM : Add Art 20 SS20-0101 - 20-0115, En Con L; amd S44, Pub Serv L Enacts the healthy, safe and energy efficient outdoor lighting act to reduce harmful outdoor lighting; sets standards for outdoor lighting; provides for the designation of dark-sky preserves; defines light trespass; provides for distribution to customers by electric corporations or municipalities providing electric service of an informational pamphlet relating to outdoor lighting.

03/17/11 REFERRED TO ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

S4129 GOLDEN, ADDABBO, AVELLA, LANZA, MONTGOMERY, SQUADRON

Relates to payment of independent contractors

Same as A 6698

SUMM : Add SS196-b & 196-c, Lab L Relates to payment of independent contractors and authorizes the department of labor to investigate complaints, make claims for compensation, assess liquid damages, civil penalties and criminal penalties, and authorizes the award of attorney fees and liquidated damages.

Criminal Sanction Impact.

03/21/11 REFERRED TO LABOR

A6698 SILVER, WRIGHT, BRENNAN, MILLMAN, LENTOL, GLICK, GOTTFRIED,  
ABBATE, KAVANAGH, LANCMAN, O'DONNELL, PRETLOW, ROSENTHAL

Relates to payment of independent contractors

Same as S 4129

Criminal Sanction Impact.

03/24/11 referred to labor

S4178 MAZIARZ, AVELLA, BONACIC, KRUEGER, OPPENHEIMER

New York solar industry development and jobs act of 2011

Same as A 5713

SUMM : Add S66-m, Pub Serv L; amd S1005, ren SS1020-hh - 1020-jj to be SS1020-ii -  
1020-kk, add S1020-hh, Pub Auth L Creates the New York solar industry development and  
jobs act; relates to procurement of solar renewable energy credits; establishes schedule  
with annual percentages to be met for compliance years.

03/22/11 REFERRED TO ENERGY AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS

A5713 ENGLEBRIGHT, CAHILL, SCHIMEL, BRENNAN, ROSENTHAL, CRESPO,  
LIFTON, COLTON, LUPARDO, PAULIN, HOYT, LATIMER; M-S: Bing, Boyle, Castelli,  
Heastie, Katz, Lentol, McEneny, Millman, Raia, Reilly, Sweeney, Wright

New York solar industry development and jobs act of 2011

Same as S 4178

02/25/11 referred to ways and means

03/02/11 reference changed to energy

A100 LATIMER, ORTIZ, COLTON, PHEFFER; M-S: DenDekker

Requires the posting of a statement of wage rates and supplements; provides penalties for  
failure to do so

No Same as

SUMM : Amd SS220, 220-b, 231, 233, 234 & 235, Lab L Provides that the failure of a  
contractor or sub-contractor on a public works project to post a statement of wage rates  
and supplements shall be subject to prosecution as a misdemeanor and subject to a civil  
penalty of not less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars; provides for the  
maintenance and production on the job site of "sign-in" and "sign-out" sheets upon the  
request of the fiscal officer.

Criminal Sanction Impact.

01/05/11 referred to labor

03/15/11 reported referred to codes

A915 DESTITO, MORELLE

Relates to prequalification of bidders on public works projects

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S103, Gen Muni L Relates to the prequalification of bidders seeking to bid or  
enter into contracts for public works in the city of New York.

01/05/11 referred to local governments

A1478 ROSENTHAL, ENGLEBRIGHT, PAULIN, LUPARDO, CAHILL, BROOK-KRASNY; M-S: Boyland, Brennan, Destito, Dinowitz, Gabryszak, Galef, Glick, Gottfried, Latimer, V. Lopez, McEneny, Millman, O'Donnell, Ortiz, Pheffer, Sweeney, Towns  
Enacts the healthy, safe and energy efficient outdoor lighting act to reduce harmful outdoor lighting

No Same as

SUMM : Add Art 20 SS20-0101 - 20-0115, En Con L; amd S44, Pub Serv L Enacts the healthy, safe and energy efficient outdoor lighting act to reduce harmful outdoor lighting; sets standards for outdoor lighting; provides for the designation of dark-sky preserves; provides for distribution to customers by electric corporations or municipalities providing electric service of an informational pamphlet relating to outdoor lighting.

01/10/11 referred to environmental conservation

03/15/11 reported referred to ways and means

A2309 GUNTHER, SCHIMMINGER, MILLMAN, SCHROEDER, LUPARDO, COLTON, CUSICK, ZEBROWSKI, PEOPLES-STOKES, JAFFEE, HOOPER; M-S: Brook-Krasny, Castelli, Cook, Heastie, Latimer, Magee, Markey, Ortiz, Pheffer, Reilly, J. Rivera, Robinson, Sweeney, Weisenberg

Creates a small business electric energy tax credit

No Same as

SUMM : Amd SS210 & 606, Tax L Creates a small business electric energy tax credit; specifies that the amount of credit shall be equal to the product of \$0.02 per kilowatt hour; sets limit of no more than 19 full-time employees in New York State; determines that if the business is located at the primary residence of a sole proprietor, the business is not eligible for the tax credit.

01/18/11 referred to ways and means

A2313 HEASTIE, ZEBROWSKI

Requires timely payments and interest in the event that payments are untimely to contractors

No Same as

SUMM : Add Art 37-B SS806 - 809, Gen Bus L Requires timely payments and interest in the event that payments are untimely to contractors.

01/18/11 referred to consumer affairs and protection

A2389 LANCMAN, LUPARDO, STEVENSON, SCHROEDER, WEPRIN; M-S: Brennan, Destito, McEneny

Enacts the "occupational safety and health funding act"

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S97-c, St Fin L Enacts the "occupational safety and health funding act"; relates to the dedicated occupational safety and health training and education and occupational health clinic programs fund.

01/18/11 referred to labor

A2714 CALHOUN; M-S: Conte

Authorizes preference of certain bidders to public contracts

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S103, Gen Muni L Authorizes the state and certain public entities to grant a preference in the letting of contracts to bidders who have paid state and local taxes for a period of at least 3 years and submitted a bid within 5% of the lowest responsible bid and upon a 2/3 vote of the local legislative body that such award would benefit the local economy.

01/20/11 referred to local governments

A2887 MORELLE, HOYT; M-S: Cook, Destito

Provides an exemption from real property taxes, levies and assessments for telecommunications companies that place fiber optic cable in service

No Same as

SUMM : Add S431, RPT L Provides an exemption from real property taxes, levies and assessments for telecommunications companies that place fiber optic cable in service.

01/20/11 referred to real property taxation

A3106 CALHOUN, FINCH; M-S: Burling, Thiele

Relates to specifications for work pertaining to school building construction projects

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S101, Gen Muni L Relates to specifications for work pertaining to school building construction projects; provides that such specifications may provide for assignment of responsibility for supervision and coordination of any or all of the contracts for such work to a single responsible and reliable person, firm or corporation; makes related provisions.

01/24/11 referred to local governments

A3578 SPANO, DESTITO, MILLMAN, JAFFEE, MAISEL, LANCMAN, STEVENSON, HOOPER; M-S: Abbate, Gottfried, McEneny, Paulin, Perry, Pheffer

Requires proper occupational safety equipment and a safe working environment for employees, subcontractors and employees of subcontractors

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S5, Pub Serv L Requires proper occupational safety equipment and a safe working environment for employees, subcontractors and employees of subcontractors.

01/25/11 referred to labor

A3826 MORELLE, SCHIMMINGER, CANESTRARI, MAGEE, CAHILL, ZEBROWSKI, COOK, MAGNARELLI, GUNTHER, V. LOPEZ, HOYT, P. RIVERA, ENGLEBRIGHT; M-S: Benedetto, Boyland, Brennan, Camara, Corwin, Destito, Galef, Hawley, Kolb, Latimer, Lavine, Lifton, Lupardo, Robinson, Titus, Towns, Weisenberg

Eliminates the twenty million dollar cap on civic facilities authorized to be financed by industrial development agencies and authorities

No Same as

SUMM : Amd SS874, 854, 859-a, 862 & 859, Gen Muni L; amd S2306, Pub Auth L; amd S15, Chap 66 of 1994 Relates to funding of certain civic facilities by industrial development agencies.

01/27/11 referred to local governments

A4238 CAMARA, BROOK-KRASNY, COLTON, CLARK

Establishes the lighting efficiency and toxics reduction act

No Same as

SUMM : Add Art 50 SS50-0101 - 50-0113, En Con L Establishes the lighting efficiency and toxics reduction act.

02/02/11 referred to environmental conservation

A4279 P. RIVERA, JAFFEE

Requires transparent methods of subcontracting by general contractors who enter public work contracts with the New York state dormitory authority

No Same as

SUMM : Amd SS1676-a & 1678, Pub Auth L Requires transparent methods of subcontracting by general contractors who enter public work contracts with the New York state dormitory authority.

02/02/11 referred to corporations, authorities and commissions

A5240 HOOPER; M-S: Clark, Destito, Mayersohn, Perry, Pheffer, J. Rivera, Towns, Wright  
Requires that the owner shall have fifteen days from the approximate or estimated completion date specified in the contract for inspection of contracted home improvement

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S771, Gen Bus L Requires that the owner shall have fifteen days from the approximate or estimated completion date specified in the contract for inspection of contracted home improvements prior to final payment therefor.

02/14/11 referred to consumer affairs and protection

A5338 BRONSON

Enacts the "regional labor protection act of 2011"

No Same as

SUMM : Add S220-i, Lab L Enacts the regional labor protection act of 2011 requiring the use of qualified local labor by contractors awarded projects in the construction of public works providing for the expenditure of state public money when the unemployment rate for construction workers is six percent or higher for three consecutive months.

02/16/11 referred to labor

A5716 JORDAN, CORWIN, BURLING, P. LOPEZ, MONTESANO, FINCH, AMEDORE,  
MOLINARO; M-S: Blankenbush, Crouch, Goodell, Hawley, Oaks, Sayward

Amends definition of prevailing rate of wage

No Same as

SUMM : Amd SS220, 230 & 234, Lab L Amends definition of prevailing rate of wage.

02/25/11 referred to labor

A5863 BRENNAN; M-S: Jacobs

Relates to awards of certain contracts to small businesses or businesses certified under article 15-A of the executive law

No Same as

SUMM : Amd S1678, Pub Auth L Relates to awards of certain contracts to small businesses or businesses certified under article 15-A of the executive law.

03/02/11 referred to corporations, authorities and commissions

A5938 BRONSON, STEVENSON

Provides that every procurement contract entered into by a state agency shall contain a statement from the contractor that no forced labor was used

No Same as

SUMM : Add S148, St Fin L Provides that every contract entered into by a state agency for the procurement of equipment, materials or supplies shall contain a statement in which the contractor attests that no foreign made equipment, materials or supplies furnished to the state pursuant to the contract have been produced in whole or in part by forced labor, convict labor or indentured servitude; provides sanctions for violations; provides waivers for good faith violations.

03/03/11 referred to labor

A6032 BRENNAN; M-S: Jacobs, Rosenthal, Spano

Establishes statewide cable franchises for the purposes of competitive cable service

No Same as

SUMM : Add Art 11-A SS231 - 246, Pub Serv L Establishes statewide cable franchises for the purposes of competitive cable service, promoting the widespread development of high-capacity broadband internet access, and increasing the availability and quality of services in this key economic development area, and ensuring the safety, reliability, and affordability of telecommunications services.

03/04/11 referred to corporations, authorities and commissions

A6289 NOLAN, COOK, WEPRIN, JAFFEE, BARRON, GIBSON, JACOBS, CASTRO, WEISENBERG, BENEDETTO, SIMOTAS, N. RIVERA, STEVENSON, LANCMAN, CAHILL, SPANO, SCHIMEL, TITUS, MOYA, HOOPER; M-S: Abbate, Boyland, Brennan, Glick, Gottfried, Heastie, McEneny, Pheffer, Scarborough, Weinstein

Provides benefits for injury, sickness, pregnancy or family leave

No Same as

SUMM : Amd Work Comp L, generally; amd S1113, Ins L Provides workers' compensation benefits for injury or sickness, pregnancy or family leave; applies to an employee and to family members taking family leave to care for an employee.

03/11/11 referred to labor

A6366A SWEENEY, DESTITO, GOTTFRIED, MILLMAN, DINOWITZ, ENGLEBRIGHT, JAFFEE, LUPARDO, COLTON, CAHILL, ROSENTHAL, KAVANAGH, SCHIMEL, GALEF, FARRELL, PAULIN, P. RIVERA, ABINANTI, BRONSON; M-S: Boyland, Brennan, Castelli, Glick, Hooper, Hoyt, Jacobs, Latimer, Pheffer, Reilich, Weinstein, Weisenberg, Wright  
Enacts the "New York state healthy and green procurement act"

No Same as

SUMM : Amd SS160 & 161, add S164-a, St Fin L; amd S261, Ec Dev L; amd S3-0311, En Con L Enacts the "New York state healthy and green procurement act".

03/15/11 referred to governmental operations

03/22/11 reported referred to ways and means

04/04/11 amend and recommit to ways and means

04/04/11 print number 6366a

A6593 P. RIVERA

Provides that subcontractors on minority and women-owned business enterprise contracts shall be subject to the same supervision as contractors are

No Same as

SUMM : Amd SS312, 313-a, 315, 316 & 316-a, Exec L Expands the application of provisions relating to minority and women-owned business enterprises to subcontractors.

03/22/11 referred to governmental operations