

**DRAFTER'S NOTE**  
**FROM THE**  
**LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

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Mike Tierney:

This note incorporates the changes you requested at our recent meeting as well as some follow-up suggestions from Bob DuPont at the Department of Commerce. Please note the following:

1. I have slightly modified some of the language suggested by Bob DuPont to avoid redundancies. See, for example, the definition of "construction activities" in the draft.
2. I have extended the delayed effective date so that the provisions of the draft take effect on the first day of the 24th month after publication instead of the 18th month. Please confirm that this is consistent with your intent.
3. Please look closely at the language in the draft that relates to lien rights. I want to make sure that the draft accurately reflects your intent on this issue.
4. At our meeting, I recommended that the draft include a provision giving the Department of Commerce authority to promulgate emergency rules. Upon further thought, I do not think such a provision is necessary given the long delayed effective date in the redraft. Do you concur?

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions with regard to this draft.

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