

68A Stat. 737-825.
82 Stat. 260.
"Installment date."

day after the date of enactment of this Act. With respect to any declaration or payment of estimated tax before such first installment date, sections 6015, 6154, 6654, and 6655 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 shall be applied without regard to the amendments made by this section. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "installment date" means any date on which, under section 6153 or 6154 of such Code (whichever is applicable), an installment payment of estimated tax is required to be made by the taxpayer.

SEC. 6. EXTENSION OF WITHHOLDING TAX.

26 USC 3402.
Ante, p. 42;
Post, pp.686-705.

(a) Section 3402 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (relating to income tax collected at source) is amended—

(1) by striking out "July 31, 1969" in subsection (a) (1) and inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 1969";

(2) by striking out "August 1, 1969" in subsection (a) (2) and inserting in lieu thereof "January 1, 1970"; and

(3) by striking out "August 1, 1969" in subsection (c) (6) and inserting in lieu thereof "January 1, 1970".

Effective date.

(b) The amendments made by this section shall apply with respect to wages paid after July 31, 1969, and before January 1, 1970.

Approved August 7, 1969.

Public Law 91-54

AN ACT

August 9, 1969
[H. R. 10946]

To promote health and safety in the building trades and construction industry in all Federal and federally financed or federally assisted construction projects.

Contract Work
Hours Standards
Act, amendment.
Construction
industry, health
and safety
standards.
76 Stat. 357.
40 USC 327
note.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Contract Work Hours Standards Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"SEC. 107. (a) It shall be a condition of each contract which is entered into under legislation subject to Reorganization Plan Numbered 14 of 1950 (64 Stat. 1267), and is for construction, alteration, and/or repair, including painting and decorating, that no contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work shall require any laborer or mechanic employed in the performance of the contract to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous, or dangerous to his health or safety, as determined under construction safety and health standards promulgated by the Secretary by regulation based on proceedings pursuant to section 553 of title 5, United States Code, provided that such proceedings include a hearing of the nature authorized by said section. In formulating such standards, the Secretary shall consult with the Advisory Committee created by subsection (e).

80 Stat. 383.

Noncompliance.

"(b) The Secretary is authorized to make such inspections, hold such hearings, issue such orders, and make such decisions based on findings of fact, as are deemed necessary to gain compliance with this section and any health and safety standard promulgated by the Secretary under subsection (a), and for such purposes the Secretary and the United States district courts shall have the authority and jurisdiction provided by sections 4 and 5 of the Act of June 30, 1936 (41 U.S.C. 38, 39). In the event that the Secretary of Labor determines noncompliance under the provisions of this section after an opportunity for an adjudicatory hearing by the Secretary of any condi-

49 Stat. 2038.
Opportunity
for hearing.

tion of a contract of a type described in clause (1) or (2) of section 103(a) of this Act, the governmental agency for which the contract work is done shall have the right to cancel the contract, and to enter into other contracts for the completion of the contract work, charging any additional cost to the original contractor. In the event of noncompliance, as determined by the Secretary after an opportunity for an adjudicatory hearing by the Secretary, of any condition of a contract of a type described in clause (3) of section 103(a), the governmental agency by which financial guarantee, assistance, or insurance for the contract work is provided shall have the right to withhold any such assistance attributable to the performance of the contract. Section 104 of this Act shall not apply to the enforcement of this section.

“(c) The United States district courts shall have jurisdiction for cause shown, in any actions brought by the Secretary, to enforce compliance with the construction safety and health standard promulgated by the Secretary under subsection (a).

“(d) (1) If the Secretary determines on the record after an opportunity for an agency hearing that, by repeated willful or grossly negligent violations of this Act, a contractor or subcontractor has demonstrated that the provisions of subsections (b) and (c) are not effective to protect the safety and health of his employees, the Secretary shall make a finding to that effect and shall, not sooner than thirty days after giving notice of the findings to all interested persons, transmit the name of such contractor or subcontractor to the Comptroller General.

Notice of findings.

“(2) The Comptroller General shall distribute each name so transmitted to him to all agencies of the Government. Unless the Secretary otherwise recommends, no contract subject to this section shall be awarded to such contractor or subcontractor or to any person in which such contractor or subcontractor has a substantial interest until three years have elapsed from the date the name is transmitted to the Comptroller General. If, before the end of such three-year period, the Secretary, after affording interested persons due notice and opportunity for hearing, is satisfied that a contractor or subcontractor whose name he has transmitted to the Comptroller General will thereafter comply responsibly with the requirements of this section, he shall terminate the application of the preceding sentence to such contractor or subcontractor (and to any person in which the contractor or subcontractor has a substantial interest); and when the Comptroller General is informed of the Secretary's action he shall inform all agencies of the Government thereof.

Contract awards, prohibition.

“(3) Any person aggrieved by the Secretary's action under subsections (b) or (d) may, within sixty days after receiving notice thereof, file with the appropriate United States court of appeals a petition for review of such action. A copy of the petition shall be forthwith transmitted by the clerk of the court to the Secretary, who shall thereupon file in the court the record upon which he based his action, as provided in section 2112 of title 28, United States Code. The findings of fact by the Secretary, if supported by substantial evidence, shall be final. The court shall have power to make and enter a decree enforcing, modifying, and enforcing as so modified, or setting aside in whole or in part, the order of the Secretary or the appropriate Government agency. The judgment of the court shall be subject to review by the Supreme Court of the United States upon certiorari or certification as provided in section 1254 of title 28, United States Code.

Judicial review.

72 Stat. 941;
80 Stat. 1323.

62 Stat. 928.

Advisory Com-
mittee on
Construction
Safety and
Health.

“(e) (1) The Secretary shall establish in the Department of Labor an Advisory Committee on Construction Safety and Health (hereinafter referred to as the ‘Advisory Committee’) consisting of nine members appointed, without regard to the civil service laws, by the Secretary. The Secretary shall appoint one such member as Chairman. Three members of the Advisory Committee shall be persons representative of contractors to whom this section applies, three members shall be persons representative of employees primarily in the building trades and construction industry engaged in carrying out contracts to which this section applies, and three public representatives who shall be selected on the basis of their professional and technical competence and experience in the construction health and safety field.

“(2) The Advisory Committee shall advise the Secretary in the formulation of construction safety and health standards and other regulations, and with respect to policy matters arising in the administration of this section. The Secretary may appoint such special advisory and technical experts or consultants as may be necessary to carry out the functions of the Advisory Committee.

Compensation,
travel ex-
penses, etc.

“(3) Members of the Advisory Committee shall, while serving on the business of the Advisory Committee, be entitled to receive compensation at rates fixed by the Secretary, but not exceeding \$100 per day, including traveltime; and while so serving away from their homes or regular places of business, they may be allowed travel expenses, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, as authorized by section 5703 of title 5 of the United States Code for persons in the Government service employed intermittently.

Post, p. 190.

Safety pro-
grams, pro-
motion.

“(f) The Secretary shall provide for the establishment and supervision of programs for the education and training of employers and employees in the recognition, avoidance, and prevention of unsafe working conditions in employments covered by the Act, and to collect such reports and data and to consult with and advise employers as to the best means of preventing injuries.”

76 Stat. 357.
40 USC 327
note.

SEC. 2. The first section and section 2 of the Act of August 13, 1962, are each amended by inserting “and Safety” after “Hours” each time it appears.

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Public Law 91-55

August 9, 1969
[S. J. Res. 85]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To provide for the designation of the period from August 26, 1969, through September 1, 1969, as “National Archery Week”.

National
Archery Week.
Proclamation.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation designating the seven-day period beginning August 26, 1969, and ending September 1, 1969, as “National Archery Week”, and inviting the Governors and mayors of State and local governments of the United States to issue similar proclamations.

Approved August 9, 1969.