



NOTICE OF LABOR COMPLIANCE PROGRAM APPROVAL

This notice is given in accordance with California Code of Regulations, Title 8, Chapter 8, Subchapter 4. Awarding Body Compliance Programs (Section 16429).

In December 1990, the **California Department of Transportation** (Caltrans) received final approval from the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) to administer its own Labor Compliance Program (LCP) on public works contracts. Caltrans has authorization through DIR to monitor and enforce payment of State prevailing wages.

Any work defined as “Public Works” according to California Labor Code 1720 and 1771 is subject to the payment of prevailing wages. A limited exemption from prevailing wages pursuant to Labor Code Section 1771.5(a) applies to contracts under the jurisdiction of the Caltrans LCP.

Employees who are working on public works projects are entitled to the payment of prevailing wages. As an approved LCP, Caltrans may review and audit certified payrolls submitted by public works contractors to ensure employees are receiving correct wages.

Caltrans’ LCP will respond to inquiries or complaints from workers who believe they are not receiving the appropriate prevailing wage rate. Workers may contact the Caltrans District/Region Labor Compliance office at the address and phone number listed below:

California Department of Transportation
SELECT DISTRICT