PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE REPORT

2017 Legislative Session

Reference No.: Wage Determination Board

Appointment

Draft No.: 1

Committee: PSFM

Date:

10/26/2017

Action:

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REPORT: Favorable, 5-0 (In Favor: Council Members Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Taveras, and Turner.)

The Public Safety and Fiscal Management Committee convened on October 26, 2017 to interview the nominee for the Wage Determination Board. The Board's chief responsibility is to establish schedules of prevailing hourly rates of wages for workers and apprentices on public works projects.

Mr. Orlando Bonilla, a resident of Laurel, Maryland, is being appointed as the Labor representative on the Board. Mr. Bonilla is currently employed as the International Representative for the Laborers' International Union of North America (LIUNA), Mid-Atlantic Regional office, where he provides management and organization support for LIUNA district council offices. He also works with union signatory employers to gather/submit wages and benefit data to maintain union prevailing wages on construction projects funded by federal, state and local governments.

During the Committee, Mr. Bonilla explained his role as a labor representative and talked about the Wage Determination process.

After a very thorough discussion, the Public Safety and Fiscal Management Committee voted the nomination of Mr. Orlando Bonilla out favorably, 5-0.