

**SB 5517**

**Bureau of Labor and Industries**

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SB 5517 is the budget bill for the Bureau of Labor and Industries. The Bureau's mission is to protect employment rights, advance employment opportunities, and protect access to housing and public accommodations free from discrimination.

The budget recommended by the Subcommittee is \$12,045,974 General Fund; \$11,112,760 Other Funds; \$1,483,701 Federal Funds; and \$1,236,000 Other Funds Nonlimited. The recommended budget enhances the agency's current service level by adding two positions. An additional Training and Development Specialist is recommended for the Technical Assistance to Employers program, to be funded with sales and seminar revenue. An administrative support position for the BOLI-ODOT Heavy Highway Supportive Services program that was added in the February 2014 legislative session is recommended for continuation, and is funded with Federal Funds that are granted to ODOT and transferred to BOLI to serve women, minorities and other special populations that are training for highway construction industry jobs.

The Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee recommends SB 5517 be amended by the -2 amendment and be reported out do pass, as amended.