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All New Jersey businesses must comply with the law. When some businesses don't, it's more difficult for law-abiding businesses to compete. The New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development (NJDOL) is responsible for protecting fair-minded businesses from those who undercut their workers to gain a competitive edge.


The WALL (Workplace Accountability in Labor List) is a powerful tool established by law to hold businesses accountable for failing to satisfy their outstanding liabilities to the State for violations of State wage, benefit and tax laws enforced by NJDOL. Examples of outstanding liabilities include unpaid wages due to workers, unemployment insurance contributions due to the state, or worker's compensation penalties. **Any business whose name appears on the WALL is**

prohibited from public contracting under N.J.S.A. 34:1A-1.16, the law establishing the WALL.


The WALL is maintained by NJDOL and updated monthly. Questions about the WALL should be directed to OSECInquiries@dol.nj.gov or 609-376-4952.

 **Beginning September 2023, the list will be posted on this page and available for download.**

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