



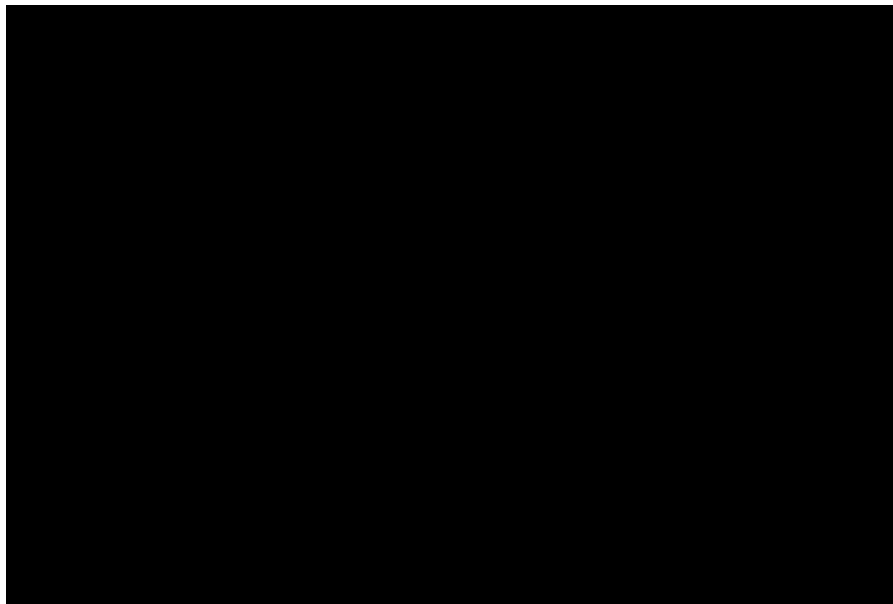
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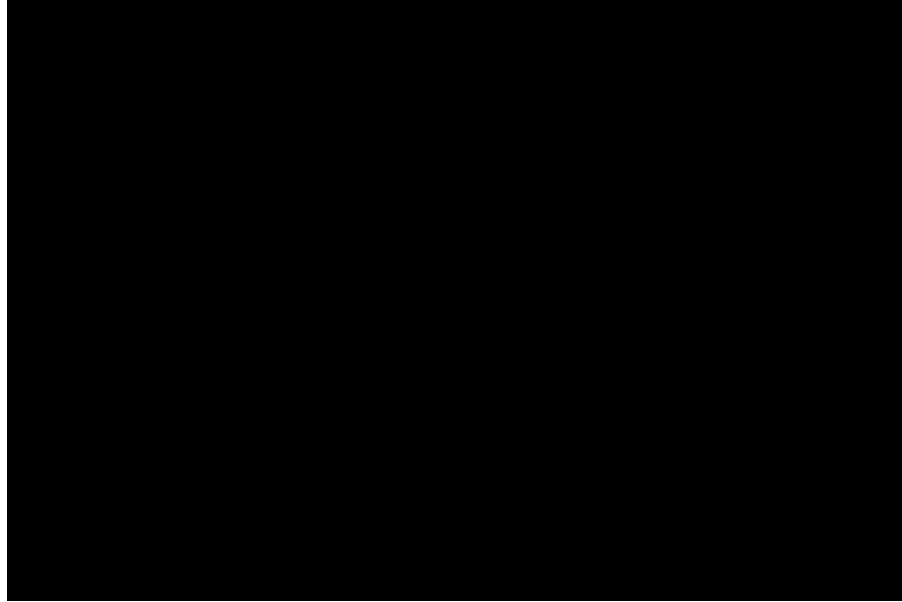
Laurie Scott, Minister of Labour explained, "Our government is working harder, smarter and more efficiently to make life better for the people of Ontario. Our reforms put money back into the economy, so job creators can invest in new equipment and create good jobs."



Ontario's Labour Minister Laurie Scott.



17,600 new jobs were created in the last report from Ontario January 4, 2019.



Reforms to WSIB, skilled trades and less red tape may boost the construction industry.



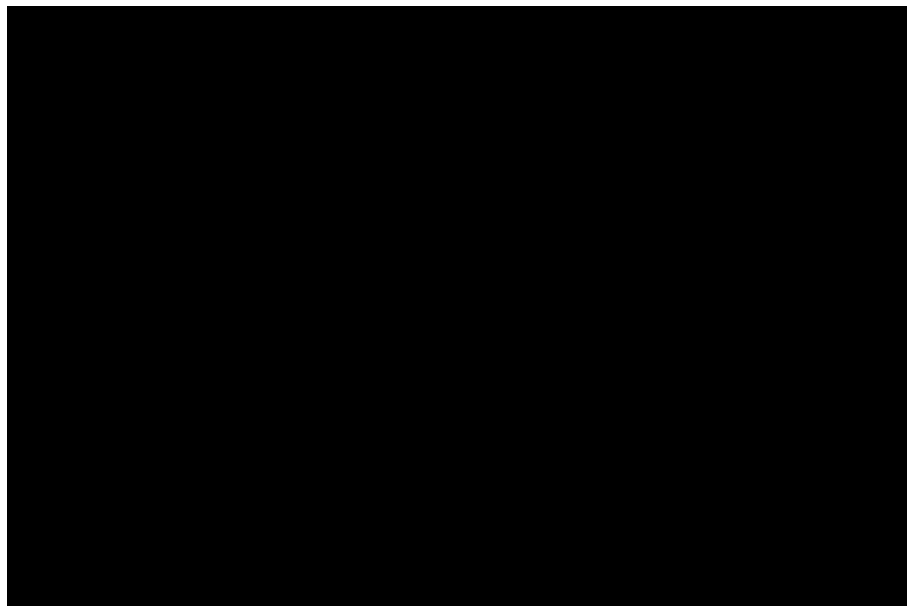
Restoring Ontario's Competitiveness Act, 2018 was designed to "level the playing field for all construction workers building public infrastructure.

- *Making Ontario Open for Business Act, 2018*
- *Restoring Ontario's Competitiveness Act, 2018*

- *Labour Relations Amendment Act (Protecting Ontario's Power Supply), 2018*

- *Pay Transparency Act, 2018*

"In the new year we will continue our efforts to make it easier to start or grow a business and invest in Ontario, building an economy that benefits all in this province," Scott said. "I am proud to lead a Ministry responsible for dynamic labour markets and safe workplaces."



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