



General Assembly

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**Amendment**

LCO No. 4973

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Offered by:  
REP. FARR, 19<sup>th</sup> Dist.

To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 332

File No. 223

Cal. No. 517

**"AN ACT INCREASING THE MINIMUM WAGE."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 31-58a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2004*):

5 (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (j) of section 31-58,  
6 as amended by section 1 of this act, minors between the ages of sixteen  
7 and eighteen years who are employees of the state or any political  
8 subdivision thereof shall be paid a minimum wage of not less than  
9 eighty-five per cent of the minimum fair wage as defined in said  
10 subsection, and notwithstanding the provisions of said subsection,  
11 minors between the ages of fourteen and eighteen who are agricultural  
12 employees shall be paid a minimum wage of not less than eighty-five  
13 per cent of the minimum fair wage as defined in said section except  
14 agricultural employees between the ages of fourteen and eighteen who  
15 are employed by employers who did not, during the preceding

16 calendar year, employ eight or more workers at the same time shall be  
17 paid a minimum wage of not less than seventy per cent of the  
18 minimum wage as defined in said section 31-58.

19 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (j) of section 31-58,  
20 as amended by section 1 of this act, minors under age eighteen shall  
21 not be entitled to an increase in the minimum fair wage, except as  
22 provided in subsection (a) of this section."