SENATE BILL 5589

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By Senators Pelz, Prentice, Spanel, Smith, Franklin, Kohl, Quigley, Fairley, Heavey and Fraser

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AN ACT Relating to the minimum hourly wage; amending RCW 49.46.020 and 49.46.020; providing effective dates; and providing an expiration date.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 Sec. 1. RCW 49.46.020 and 1993 c 309 s 1 are each amended to read 6 as follows:

7 (1) Every employer shall pay to each of his or her employees who
8 has reached the age of eighteen years wages at a rate of not less than
9 ((four)) five dollars and ((ninety)) twenty-five cents per hour.

(2) The director shall by regulation establish the minimum wage foremployees under the age of eighteen years.

12 Sec. 2. RCW 49.46.020 and 1993 c 309 s 1 are each amended to read 13 as follows:

(1) Every employer shall pay to each of his or her employees who
has reached the age of eighteen years wages at a rate of not less than
((four)) five dollars and ((ninety)) forty-three cents per hour.

(2) The director shall by regulation establish the minimum wage foremployees under the age of eighteen years.

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1 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 3. (1) Section 1 of this act shall take effect 2 January 1, 1996;

3 (2) Section 2 of this act shall take effect January 1, 1997.

4 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 4. Section 1 of this act shall expire January 5 1, 1997.

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