
SENATE BILL 6458

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By Senators Pelz, Franklin, Kohl, McAuliffe, Fairley, Prentice and Smith; by request of Governor Lowry

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1 AN ACT Relating to the minimum hourly wage which employers shall
2 pay employees who have reached the age of eighteen years; amending RCW
3 49.46.020; and providing an effective 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~~) thirty cents per hour.

10 (2) The director shall by regulation establish the minimum wage for
11 employees under the age of eighteen years.

12 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act shall take effect January 1, 1997.

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