

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 132

H. P. 112

House of Representatives, January 10, 1973

Referred to Committee on Labor. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Faucher of Solon.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Minimum Wages and Overtime.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., T. 26, § 664, amended. Section 664 of Title 26 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new paragraph at the end to read as follows:

By reason of the declaration of policy set forth in section 661 and in the protection of the industry or business and in the enhancement of public interest, health, safety and welfare, it is declared unlawful for any employer to employ any employee, except as otherwise provided in this subchapter, at the rate of less than \$2 per hour starting October 15, 1973 nor work more than 40 hours in one week, unless $1\frac{1}{2}$ times the regular hourly rate is paid for all work done over 40 hours in any one week.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to provide for a \$2 minimum wage and $1\frac{1}{2}$ times the regular hourly rate after 40 hours.