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Presented by Representative RUHLIN of Brewer.

Cosponsored by Representative PINEAU of Jay, Representative McHENRY of Madawaska and Senator ESTY of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE

An Act to Require Overtime Pay for Working on Sunday in Certain Retail Establishments.

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

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26 MRSA §664, as amended by PL 1987, c. 738, §1, is further 4 amended by adding after the first paragraph a new paragraph to read:

Persons operating stores engaged in retail sales of goods shall pay at least 1 1/2 times the regular hourly rate to any employee who works on any Sunday regardless of the total number of hours that the employee worked during the week in which the Sunday work was performed. This provision does not apply to restaurants or other eating establishments.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill requires that retail establishments, excluding 18 restaurants, must pay time at a rate of 1 1/2 to an employee who works on Sunday regardless of the number of hours that employee 20 works during the week.

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