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HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 174, L.D. 235, Bill, "An Act To Increase the Minimum Wage"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of subsection 1 (page 1, lines 26 to 39 in amendment) and inserting in its place the following:

'1. Minimum wage. The minimum hourly wage is ~~\$5.15~~ \$6.50 per hour. ~~Starting January 1, 2002, the minimum hourly wage is \$5.75 per hour. Starting January 1, 2003, the minimum hourly wage is \$6.25 per hour. Starting October 1, 2004, the minimum hourly wage is \$6.35 per hour. Starting October 1, 2005, the minimum hourly wage is \$6.50 per hour. Starting October 1, 2006, the minimum hourly wage is \$6.75 per hour. Starting October 1, 2007, the minimum hourly wage is \$7.00 per hour. Notwithstanding this subsection, the minimum hourly wage for a person who has not attained 18 years of age is 80% of the minimum hourly wage otherwise provided in this subsection. If the highest federal minimum wage is increased in excess of the minimum wage in effect under this section, the minimum wage under this section is increased to the same amount, effective on the same date as the increase in the federal minimum wage, but in no case may the minimum wage exceed the minimum wage otherwise in effect under this section by more than \$1 per hour.'~~

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This amendment provides that the minimum hourly wage for a person who has not attained 18 years of age is 80% of the minimum hourly wage otherwise required.

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