

HB 1851 -- MINIMUM WAGE (Thomson)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Special Committee on Workforce Development and Workplace Safety

This bill allows the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations to establish rules to implement the federal minimum wage provisions.

Provisions are added to the federal Fair Labor Standards and Portal to Portal acts regarding compensation for overtime. Employers are allowed to pay an employee who receives tips less than the hourly cash wage amount specified in the Fair Labor Standards Act if the total compensation of the employee is not less than the wage required under the state Minimum Wage Law.

FISCAL NOTE: Estimated Income on General Revenue Fund of \$240,379 in FY 2009, \$259,977 in FY 2010, and \$279,792 in FY 2011. No impact on Other State Funds in FY 2009, FY 2010, and FY 2011.