

93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2003 and 2004

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

820 ILCS 105/4a

from Ch. 48, par. 1004a

Amends the Minimum Wage Law. Makes a stylistic change in provisions concerning overtime.

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1 AN ACT concerning employment.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Minimum Wage Law is amended by changing Section 4a as follows:
- 6 (820 ILCS 105/4a) (from Ch. 48, par. 1004a)
- Sec. 4a. (1) Except as otherwise provided in this Section,
 no employer shall employ any of his employees for a workweek of
 more than 40 hours unless such employee receives compensation
 for his employment in excess of the hours above specified at a
 rate not less than 1 1/2 times the regular rate at which he is
 employed.
- 13 (2) The provisions of subsection (1) of this Section <u>do</u> are
 14 not <u>apply</u> applicable to:
 - A. Any salesman or mechanic primarily engaged in selling or servicing automobiles, trucks or farm implements, if he is employed by a nonmanufacturing establishment primarily engaged in the business of selling such vehicles or implements to ultimate purchasers.
 - B. Any salesman primarily engaged in selling trailers, boats, or aircraft, if he is employed by a nonmanufacturing establishment primarily engaged in the business of selling trailers, boats, or aircraft to ultimate purchasers.
 - C. Any employer of agricultural labor, with respect to such agricultural employment.
 - D. Any governmental body.
 - E. Any employee employed in a bona fide executive, administrative or professional capacity, including any radio or television announcer, news editor, or chief engineer, as defined by or covered by the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, as now or hereafter amended. For bona fide executive, administrative, and professional

employees of not-for-profit corporations, the Director may, by regulation, adopt a weekly wage rate standard lower than that provided for executive, administrative, and professional employees covered under the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, as now or hereafter amended.

- F. Any commissioned employee as described in paragraph (i) of Section 7 of the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, as now or hereafter amended.
- G. Any employment of an employee in the stead of another employee of the same employer pursuant to a worktime exchange agreement between employees.
- H. Any employee of a not-for-profit educational or residential child care institution who (a) on a daily basis is directly involved in educating or caring for children who (1) are orphans, foster children, abused, neglected or abandoned children, or are otherwise homeless children and (2) reside in residential facilities of the institution and (b) is compensated at an annual rate of not less than \$13,000 or, if the employee resides in such facilities and receives without cost board and lodging from such institution, not less than \$10,000.
- I. Any employee employed as a crew member of any uninspected towing vessel, as defined by Section 2101(40) of Title 46 of the United States Code, operating in any navigable waters in or along the boundaries of the State of Illinois.
- (3) Any employer may employ any employee for a period or periods of not more than 10 hours in the aggregate in any workweek in excess of the maximum hours specified in subsection (1) of this Section without paying the compensation for overtime employment prescribed in subsection (1) if during that period or periods the employee is receiving remedial education that:
- (a) is provided to employees who lack a high school diploma or educational attainment at the eighth grade

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(b) is designed to provide reading and other basic

skills at an eighth grade level or below; and
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4 (c) does not include job specific training.

5 (Source: P.A. 92-623, eff. 7-11-02.)