

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1991**
4 **By: Senator Hopkins**

A Bill

SENATE BILL 200

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 11-4-210 TO ESTABLISH THE
9 MINIMUM WAGE IN ARKANSAS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 11-4-211
10 TO PROVIDE OVERTIME WAGES FOR HOURS OVER FORTY (40) PER
11 WORK WEEK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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15 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 11-4-210 (a) is amended to read as follows:

16 "(a) (1) Beginning July 1, 1991, every employer shall pay each of his
17 employees wages at the rate of not less than *three dollars and sixty-five*
18 *cents (\$3.65)* per hour except as otherwise provided in this chapter.

19 (2) Beginning July 1, 1992, every employer shall pay each of his
20 employees wages at the rate of not less than *four dollars (\$4.00)* per hour
21 except as otherwise provided in this chapter."

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23 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code 11-4-211 is amended to read as follows:

24 "(a) Except as otherwise provided in this section and §§11-4-210 and
25 11-4-212, no employer shall employ any of his employees for a work- week
26 longer than forty (40) hours unless the employee receives compensation for his
27 employment in excess of the hours above specified at a rate not less than one
28 and one-half (1 1/2) times the regular rate of pay at which he is employed.

29 (b) *However, employees of hotels, restaurants, and tourist attractions,*
30 *which have an annual sales volume of less than five hundred thousand dollars*
31 *(\$500,000) and which are subject to the provisions of this subchapter, shall*
32 *be compensated at one and one-half (1 1/2) times the regular hourly rate of*
33 *pay for all hours worked in excess of:*

34 (1) *Forty-four (44) hours in a work week beginning July 1, 1991;*
35 *and*

