

Hall of the House of Representatives
90th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2015
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1116

TO REVISE THE HOURS OF EMPLOYMENT ALLOWED FOR CHILDREN UNDER SEVENTEEN (17)
YEARS OF AGE.

Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 1116

Amend House Bill No. 1116 as engrossed, H1/26/15 (version: 01/26/2015 09:20:41 AM):

Add Representative Eaves as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO REVISE THE HOURS OF EMPLOYMENT ALLOWED FOR CHILDREN UNDER SEVENTEEN (17) YEARS OF AGE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:
"TO REVISE THE HOURS OF EMPLOYMENT ALLOWED FOR CHILDREN UNDER SEVENTEEN (17) YEARS OF AGE AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 29, and substitute the following:
 "(1) More than six (6) days in any week;
 (2) More than fifty-four (54) hours in any week;
 (3) More than ten (10) consecutive hours in any one (1) day;"

AND

Page 1, delete line 35, and substitute the following:
"of Labor to be sufficiently safe for their employment.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that there are restrictions on the number of hours of employment or days of employment for a person who is



seventeen-years old or seventeen (17) years of age; that many employers have avoided the excessive time and costs necessary to comply with the restrictions by employing individuals who are adults; that by removing the restrictions on employment of persons who are seventeen-years old or seventeen (17) years of age, an employer will have greater flexibility to hire employees; and that this act is immediately necessary because persons who are seventeen-years old or seventeen (17) years of age may be considered for employment opportunities that have previously been unavailable. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

The Amendment was read _____

By: Representative Lowery

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