

SPONSOR: Rep. S. Moore

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 151st GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. 9 TO SENATE BILL NO. 15

1	AMEND Senate Bill No. 15, as amended by Senate Amendment No. 1, by inserting the phrase "with more than 20
2	employees, as determined by the previous year's federal tax filing," after the phrase "every employer" as it appears on line
3	4.
4	FURTHER AMEND Senate Bill No. 15, as amended by Senate Amendment No. 1 by inserting after line 12 the
5	following:
6	"(b) Except as may otherwise be provided under this chapter, every employer with 20 or fewer employees, as
7	determined by the previous year's federal tax filing, shall pay to every employee in any occupation wages of a rate:
8	(1) Not less than \$10.50 per hour effective January 1, 2023;
9	(2) Not less than \$11.75 per hour effective January 1, 2024;
10	(3) Not less than \$13.25 per hour effective January 1, 2025;
11	(4) Not less than \$15.00 per hour effective January 1, 2026;
12	(5) Not less than \$9.25 per hour until January 1, 2023."

<u>SYNOPSIS</u>

This amendment delays each rise in the minimum wage by 1 year for small businesses – those with 20 or fewer employees. Those employers will reach a \$15 minimum wage by 2026, rather than 2025.