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IN THE SENATE OF THE AMERICAN LEGION BOYS NATION

Mr. Song of Idaho introduced the following bill;

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Be it enacted by The American Legion Boys Nation Senate assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Raising the Minimum Wage".

SECTION 2. The bill will raise all minimum wages (tipped, training) by a factor of 1.42, which is how much the dollar has inflated since the last time the minimum wage was altered (14 years ago)

Section 3. Enforcement:

This will be enforced by the Department of Labor, which already enforces the minimum wage as well as other sections of the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA)

Section 4. Tipped/Training Minimum Wages:

If tipped/training minimum wages do not equal the federal minimum wage multiplied by 40 (40-hour

work week), employers are obligated to pay the remaining amount to the employee.

Section 5. Overtime

Overtime pay at a rate not less than one and one-half times the regular rate of pay is required after 40 hours of work in a workweek.

Section 6. Violation:

Staying with the previous statements of the FLSA, violations may result in criminal prosecution and the violator fined up to \$10,000. A second conviction may result in imprisonment.

Section 7. Appropriation of Funds:

Funds from the Federal Government is not necessary.