

HOUSE No. 1782

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Daniel B. Winslow

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act establishing a teen minimum wage to encourage seasonal employment.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Daniel B. Winslow</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>	

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By Mr. Winslow of Norfolk, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1782) of Daniel B. Winslow for legislation to establish a minimum wage for certain seasonal employees under twenty years of age. Labor and Workforce Development.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2313 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act establishing a teen minimum wage to encourage seasonal employment.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 151, as appearing in the 2010 Official Edition, is
2 hereby amended by adding at the end of the first paragraph the following:

3 This section shall not apply to workers under the age of twenty who are seasonally
4 employed for no more than 5 months in any consecutive twelve month period. A wage of less
5 than \$6.00 for any such worker under the age of twenty shall conclusively be presumed to be
6 oppressive and unreasonable, unless the commissioner has expressly approved or shall expressly
7 approve the establishment and payment of a lesser wage under the provisions of sections seven
8 and nine.