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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014

AN ACT

RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES

Introduced By: Representative Raymond E.Gallison

Date Introduced: June 04, 2014

Referred To: House Labor

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 28-12 of the General Laws entitled "Minimum Wages" is hereby
- 2 amended by adding thereto the following section:
- 3 <u>28-12-25. Uniformity. No municipality shall establish, mandate, or otherwise require</u>
- 4 an employer to pay a minimum wage to its employees, other than the state or federal mandated
- 5 minimum wage, or to apply a state or federal minimum wage law to wages statutorily exempt
- 6 from a state or federal minimum wage requirement.
- 7 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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- 1 This act would prevent municipalities from establishing their own minimum wage
- 2 requirements for employees within their geographic borders.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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