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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2016

AN ACT

RELATING TO HOLIDAYS AND DAYS OF SPECIAL OBSERVANCE-WORK ON HOLIDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Introduced By: Senators Lombardi, Ruggerio, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, and Metts

Date Introduced: January 27, 2016

Referred To: Senate Labor

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 25-3-7 of the General Laws in Chapter 25-3 entitled "Work on Holidays and Sundays" is hereby repealed.
- 3 <u>25-3-7. Exemptions. --</u> Whenever in the opinion of the director any class of employers,
- 4 either because of the nature of their operations or their size, should be exempted from the
- 5 provisions of this chapter, the director may do so by regulations adopted in accordance with the
- 6 provisions of § 25-3-6.
- 7 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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This act would repeal §25-3-7 of the general laws which gives the director of the
department of labor and training the authority to exempt certain classes of employees from
receiving overtime pay for Sunday and holiday work.

This act would take effect upon passage.

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