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Fair Minimum Wage Act of 2004

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Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Apr 29, 2004
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		May 11, 2004
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Jul 19, 2004

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 4256	Identical bill	May 14, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
108 S 224	Related bill	Jan 29, 2003: Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 3.

Fair Minimum Wage Act of 2004 - Amends the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the Federal minimum wage to: (1) \$5.85 an hour, beginning on the 60th day after enactment of this Act; (2) \$6.45 an hour, beginning 12 months after that 60th day; and (3) \$7.00 an hour, beginning 24 months after that 60th day.

Makes Federal minimum wage requirements applicable to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands. Sets forth a transition period during which a specified minimum wage there shall be gradually increased to equal the Federal minimum wage.

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Actions Timeline

- **May 3, 2004:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 496.
- **Apr 29, 2004:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 29, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4699)
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