

HR 5043

Minimum Wage Indexation Act of 2004

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

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Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Sep 23, 2004
Rep. Evans, Lane [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Oct 5, 2004
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Nov 16, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 30, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 9, 2004)

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 365 days after that 60th day; (3) \$7.00 an hour, beginning 365 days after the \$5.85 rate begins; and (4) \$7.00 an hour plus a yearly increase determined by the Secretary of Labor to be in proportion to any increase in the Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers for the period between the beginning of the \$7.00 rate and the first day of each subsequent 365-day period.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 30, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
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