

HR 631

WAGES Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 4, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 10, 2011)

Working for Adequate Gains for Employment in Services Act or WAGES Act - Amends the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (FLSA) to establish a base minimum wage for tipped employees of at least: (1) \$3.75 an hour beginning 90 days after the enactment of this Act; (2) \$5.00 an hour beginning one year after the change in paragraph one takes effect; and (3) beginning two years after the change in paragraph two takes effect, and adjusted as necessary thereafter, 70% of the wage in effect under FLSA but in no case less than \$5.50 an hour.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 4, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
- **Feb 10, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 10, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.