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Introduced by M. of A. JORDAN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Labor

AN ACT to amend the labor law, in relation to establishing a training wage

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 652 of the labor law is amended by adding a new subdivision 6 to read as follows:

6. TRAINING WAGE. IN THE EVENT THAT THE STATE MINIMUM WAGE INCREASES TO AN AMOUNT GREATER THAN THE FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO 29 U.S.C. SECTION 206, A TRAINING WAGE EQUAL TO EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE STATE MINIMUM WAGE OR THE FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, MAY BE PAID TO AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS SEVENTEEN YEARS OLD OR YOUNGER; AND FURTHER PROVIDED, A TRAINING WAGE EQUAL TO NINETY PERCENT OF THE STATE MINIMUM WAGE OR THE FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE, WHICHEVER IS GREATER, MAY BE PAID TO AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS AT LEAST EIGHTEEN YEARS OLD AND NO OLDER THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OLD.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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