

By Senator Clary

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to the state minimum wage;  
creating s. 448.111, F.S.; providing that the  
provisions of s. 24, Art. X of the State  
Constitution do not exclude an employer from  
applying for or operating under a special  
certificate as provided for by the Fair Labor  
Standards Act; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Section 448.111, Florida Statutes, is  
created to read:

448.111 State minimum wage; special  
certificate.--Notwithstanding the requirements imposed by s.  
24, Art. X of the State Constitution, nothing in this part  
shall be deemed to abridge the right of an employer to apply  
for, or operate under, a special certificate awarded by the  
Secretary of Labor in accordance with 29 U.S.C. s. 214(c), the  
provisions of which are incorporated in this section.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a  
law.

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SENATE SUMMARY

Specifies that the requirements of s. 24, Art. X of the  
State Constitution, relating to the state minimum wage,  
do not abridge the right of an employer to apply for or  
operate under a special certificate awarded under the  
federal Fair Labor Standards Act.