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HOUSE ENROLLED ACT No. 1538

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning labor and safety.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 22-2-2-10.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2011]: **Sec. 10.5. (a) As used in this section, "unit" has the meaning set forth in IC 36-1-2-23.**

(b) Unless federal or state law provides otherwise, a unit may not:

(1) establish;

(2) mandate; or

(3) otherwise require;

a minimum wage that exceeds the minimum wage required by section 4 of this chapter or by the federal minimum hourly wage prescribed by 29 U.S.C. 206(a)(1).

(c) This section does not limit the authority of a unit to establish wage rates in a contract to which the unit is a party.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Governor of the State of Indiana

Date: _____ Time: _____

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