

# HB5527



## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

HB5527

Introduced 1/31/2022, by Rep. Nicholas K. Smith

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

820 ILCS 105/16 new

Amends the Minimum Wage Law. Provides that all State agencies operating an internship program or employing interns shall pay such persons at least the specified minimum wage rate. Defines "State agencies".

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning employment.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Minimum Wage Law is amended by adding  
5 Section 16 as follows:

6 (820 ILCS 105/16 new)

7 Sec. 16. State intern minimum wage. Notwithstanding any  
8 rule or provision of law to the contrary, all State agencies  
9 operating an internship program or employing interns shall pay  
10 such persons at least the minimum wage rate as provided under  
11 Section 4. For purposes of this Section, "State agencies" has  
12 the same meaning as provided under Section 1-7 of the Illinois  
13 State Auditing Act.