

**SB0280/803524/1**

BY: Senator Ready

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 280  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, in line 19, before “and” insert “making this Act subject to a certain contingency.”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 18, after line 11, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That:

(a) Section 1 of this Act shall take effect contingent on the District of Columbia, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and West Virginia enacting legislation that establishes a state minimum wage that equals or exceeds \$15.00 per hour beginning January 1, 2025.

(b) The Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation shall monitor the enactment of state minimum wage legislation by the District of Columbia, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and West Virginia and notify the Department of Legislative Services within 5 days after the contingency described in subsection (a) of this section has been met.

(c) (1) If the Department of Legislative Services receive the notice described under subsection (b) of this section on or before July 1, 2025, Section 1 of this Act shall take effect on the date that the notice is received.

(2) If the Department of Legislative Services fails to receive the notice described under subsection (b) of this section on or before July 1, 2025, with no further action required by the General Assembly, Section 1 of this Act shall be null and void.”;

(Over)

in line 12, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; and in the same line, after “That” insert “, subject to the provisions of Section 2 of this Act.”.