

104TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 876

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 9, 1995

Mr. GUTIERREZ introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Oversight and, in addition, to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “No Maximum Wage
5 for Congress without a New Minimum Wage for America
6 Act of 1995”.

1 **SEC. 2. REDUCTION OF PAY OF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS**

2 **PENDING INCREASE IN MINIMUM WAGE.**

3 Notwithstanding section 601(a) of the Legislative Re-
4 organization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 31) or any other provi-
5 sion of law, the rate of pay of Members of Congress shall
6 be reduced by 2.6 percent on the date of the enactment
7 of this Act and by 2.6 percent at the end of each one-
8 year period thereafter, until the effective date of the first
9 increase to at least \$5.15 per hour in the minimum wage
10 under section 6(a) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of
11 1938.

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