
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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BERNSTINE, JONES AND B. MILLER, SEPTEMBER 1, 2021

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND INDUSTRY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2021

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of October 24, 2012 (P.L.1209, No.151),
2 entitled "An act regulating child labor; conferring powers
3 and duties on the Department of Labor and Industry and the
4 Department of Education; imposing penalties; and making a
5 repeal," further providing for work permit.

6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
7 hereby enacts as follows:

8 Section 1. Section 9(a)(3) and (b)(2) of the act of October
9 24, 2012 (P.L.1209, No.151), known as the Child Labor Act, are
10 amended to read:

11 Section 9. Work permit.

12 (a) Form and content.--

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14 (3) The work permit shall be signed [in the presence of
15 the issuing officer] by the minor.

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17 (b) Application.--

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19 (2) Examination shall be as follows:

1 (i) Except as set forth under [subparagraph]
2 subparagraphs (ii) and (iii), a work permit shall not be
3 issued until the applicant has personally appeared before
4 and has been examined by the issuing officer.

5 (ii) Subparagraph (i) does not apply if the
6 applicant can demonstrate official proof of high school
7 graduation.

8 (iii) The issuing officer may allow the applicant to
9 appear by video conference or other electronic means, in
10 lieu of requiring the physical presence of the applicant.

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12 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.