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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2010

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RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- FLAMMABLE AND COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS

Introduced By: Representatives Edwards, Hearn, Shallcross Smith, Corvese, and DaSilva

Date Introduced: January 07, 2010

Referred To: House Labor

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 23-28.22-18 of the General Laws in Chapter 23-28.22 entitled
2 "Flammable and Combustible Liquids" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 **23-28.22-18. Minimum age requirement.** -- No person under the age of sixteen (16)
4 years of age shall operate a gasoline dispensing device at a self service station. No retail dealer of
5 gasoline or other motor fuel as defined in subdivision 5-55-3(11) shall employ for the purpose of
6 dispensing such fuel any person under the age of sixteen (16) years of age, but any person sixteen
7 (16) years of age or older may be so employed, any other statute or regulation to the contrary
8 notwithstanding.

9 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
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1 This act would enable filling stations to employ persons sixteen (16) years of age and
2 older for the purpose of dispensing motor fuel.

3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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