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CHAPTER 276.

The One Day's Rest in Seven Act.

1. This Act shall be in force in every city and in every town having a population of 10,000 or over. 1922, c. 93, s. 1. *Application of Act.*

2. Except as hereinafter mentioned, every employer of labour, whether a person, partnership or corporation engaged in carrying on any hotel business, restaurant or cafe shall allow every person, employed in any such hotel business, restaurant or cafe at least twenty-four consecutive hours of rest in every seven days, and wherever possible said twenty-four consecutive hours shall be on a Sunday. 1922, c. 93, s. 2. *Twenty-four hours' rest in every week.*

3. Section 2 shall not apply to:— *Exceptions.*

  (*a*) Watchmen, janitors, superintendents, or foremen;

  (*b*) Any class of employees in any other capacity in any such hotel business, restaurant or cafe where there are not more than two employees of such class;

  (*c*) Employees who are not employed for more than five hours in any one day;

but nothing in this Act shall authorize any work on Sundays now prohibited by law. 1922, c. 93, s. 3. *Proviso.*

4.—(1) Every employer who is guilty of a contravention of this Act shall incur a penalty not exceeding $100. *Penalty.*

(2) *The Summary Convictions Act* shall apply to prosecutions under this Act. 1922, c. 93, s. 4. *Application of Rev. Stat. c. 121.*