

# A STRONG VOICE FOR WORKING FAMILIES

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**Gov. Ed Rendell's** investments are yielding jobs for hard-working Pennsylvanians. Strong growth is creating new opportunities for working families.

**FACT Rendell Created More Than 120,000 New Jobs.** Pennsylvania has more than 120,000 more jobs today than when Gov. Rendell took office and has its highest employment level ever. Gov. Rendell has invested \$15 million in the Incumbent Worker Training Program and \$20 million in Job Ready PA to improve workers' skills. (Pennsylvania Dept. of Labor and Industry; *Business Dateline*, 2/17/06, 3/1/06)

**FACT Rendell Making Minimum Wage Increase an Election-Year Priority.** Gov. Rendell proposed raising the minimum wage from \$5.15 an hour to \$7.15, effectively giving a raise to more than 254,000 Pennsylvania workers. (*Philadelphia Daily News*, 6/21/06; *Centre Daily Times*, 4/7/06)

**FACT Rendell Met Demand for Health Care Workers.** Gov. Rendell created the Pennsylvania Center for Health Careers and eliminated mandatory overtime for nurses. (*Pittsburgh Business Times*, 4/13/04)



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