

ARE YOU THE ONE?

At Least **One** Out Of Five Taxicab Drivers Is Not Earning **MINIMUM WAGE**

There are so many taxicabs on the road, at least 20% of taxicab drivers cannot collect enough meter revenue to earn minimum wage of \$82 commission for a 12 hours shift!

Nevada State Law says you must be paid a minimum hourly wage of \$6.85 per hour. If your employer offers “qualifying health care”, meaning it doesn’t cost more than 10% of your monthly gross wages and covers your entire family, minimum wage is \$5.85. Nevada law **says tips cannot be counted towards minimum wage**, unless a union bargained away your rights and protection. The Steelworkers bargained away Frias drivers right to minimum wage on April 23, 2008.

Minimum Wage Facts:

- Most Taxicab Drivers do not receive “qualifying” health care.
- Even with the 2008 meter increase any driver who collects less than \$200 on the meter for a 12 hour shift cannot possibly earn minimum wage. The range is actually \$211 to \$276 a shift.
- Drivers who pay 75% to 100% of gas will need to collect the higher meter to earn minimum wage.

The Nevada Labor Commission and US Department of Labor will ask you to request a make-up check from the company before filing a claim. We aren’t telling drivers not to act individually. But, the first thing they’ll tell you at the Labor Commissioner’s office is they cannot protect your job.

CLASS ACTION LAWSUIT

The United Taxicab Drivers Corp. is organizing a Class Action lawsuit to sue Cab Company owners for Minimum Wage violations.

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