

LEGISLATION FOR HEAT LIMITS IN THE WORKPLACE NOW!

WHEREAS

Extreme heat in the workplace injures, sickens, and even kills workers. Education workers and students often suffer stifling heat in portables. Restaurant workers sweat it out in brutally hot kitchens. Migrant farm workers toil in the blistering sun with few protections.

Ontario workers in all sectors need legislation for heat limits in the workplace and genuine policy responses to the climate crisis by municipal, provincial, and federal governments. Heat stress will only intensify as our planet heats up, creating a workplace crisis within a climate crisis.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED PETITION THE ONTARIO LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY AS FOLLOWS:

The Ontario government should immediately implement legislation, including by amending the *Occupational Health and Safety Act*, to provide increased protections for workers against heat stress, ensuring that employers develop policies and programs to address heat stress in the workplace and train their workers (including supervisors) to recognize and respond to the symptoms and illnesses associated with exposure to heat.

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Keep me updated on the fight for legislation to protect workers from heat stress in their workplaces.

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