



NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

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## Peralta: State Seems Determined to Shrink Middle Class

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Statement From State Senator Jose Peralta

"We seem determined to shrink our middle class, grow the ranks of the impoverished and widen the gap between the richest and poorest. It's the only way to explain the minimum wage debacle that's playing out and why immigrants who want to go to college, work and pay taxes are treated like social outcasts."

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