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Hadwiger conjectured that every graph contains $K_{\chi(G)}$ as a minor, where $\chi(G)$ is the chromatic number of G . In 2005, Robertson made a weaker conjecture that for any graph G , there exists a graph H with the same degree sequence of G and containing $K_{\chi(G)}$ as a minor, which was confirmed by Dvořák and Mohar recently. In this note, we give a short proof of a result stronger than the original conjecture and independent from the results obtained by Dvořák and Mohar. (Received December 03, 2012)