

Amendment #4

Offered By: Mr. Budd

Page 1, strike line 14 and all that follows through page 2, line 2, and insert:

“Over the last two years, our nation’s economy and workers have experienced the benefits of an unleashed economy growing at an historic 3 percent rate. By the end of last year, unemployment hit a 47-year low. Average hourly earnings were up more than 33 percent since 2006. The national poverty rate reached its lowest level since 2002. Unemployment for African Americans and the Hispanic poverty rate each hit an all-time low. The Committee supports these positive economic trends which have shared economic growth and opportunity, increased diversity and inclusion and care for our most vulnerable population.”