

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE  
TO H.R. 8736  
OFFERED BY MR. GROTHMAN OF WISCONSIN**

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

**1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2       This Act may be cited as the “Restoration of Employ-  
3 ment Choice for Adults with Disabilities Act”.

**4 SEC. 2. USE OF SUBMINIMUM WAGE.**

5       Section 511 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29  
6 U.S.C. 794g) is amended—

7           (1) in subsection (a)—

8               (A) in the matter preceding paragraph

9               (1)—

10                   (i) by striking “No” and inserting

11                   “Any”;

12                   (ii) by striking “24 or younger” and

13                   inserting “18 or older”; and

14                   (iii) by striking “unless” and inserting

15                   “if”; and

16               (B) by inserting at the end the following

17               new paragraph:

1           “(3) The individual chooses to accept employ-  
2           ment with such entity.”;

3           (2) in subsection (b)(2), by striking “24” and  
4           inserting “17”;

5           (3) in subsection (c), by inserting at the end  
6           the following new paragraph:

7           “(4) OTHER EXCEPTIONS.—The entity de-  
8           scribed in subsection (a) can satisfy the require-  
9           ments of paragraph (1)(A) with respect to an indi-  
10          vidual, if—

11           “(A) such entity makes documented ef-  
12          forts, at the intervals described in paragraph  
13          (2), to contact on behalf of the individual, the  
14          designated State unit for the counseling, infor-  
15          mation, and referrals described in paragraph  
16          (1)(A); and

17           “(B) such designated State unit fails to  
18          provide such counseling, information, and refer-  
19          rals after such documented efforts.”; and

20          (4) in subsection (d)(1), by inserting before the  
21          period at the end the following: “and, if such indi-  
22          vidual is employed by an entity described in sub-  
23          section (a) at the time such documentation is made  
24          pursuant to such process, to make available copies  
25          of such documentation to the entity”.

**1 SEC. 3. APPLICATION.**

2       The amendments made by section 2 shall apply with  
3 respect to the employment of an individual on or after the  
4 date of enactment of this Act.

