

**Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to Subtitle A. Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Crisis Support for Unemployed Workers Offered by Mr. Brady of Texas**

The amendment would strike and replace the \$400/weekly supplement with an amount equal to 50% of a claimants' weekly benefit amount as determined by the state.

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE  
OFFERED BY MR. BRADY OF TEXAS**

Page 4, line 14, strike “\$400” and insert “an amount equal to 50 percent of the claimant’s weekly benefit amount, as determined by the State, not to exceed \$400”.



**Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to Subtitle A. Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Crisis Support for Unemployed Workers Offered by Mr. Smith of Nebraska**

The amendment would allow states to pay a lower weekly supplement amount than \$400 and use remaining dollars for return-to-work bonuses or re-employment services for unemployed workers.

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE  
OFFERED BY MR. SMITH OF NEBRASKA**

Page 4, strike lines 9 through 14 and insert the following:

1 (b) AMOUNT.—Section 2104(b)(3) of such Act (15  
2 U.S.C. 9023(b)(3)) is amended—

3 (1) in subparagraph (A), by adding at the end  
4 the following:

5 “(iii) For weeks of unemployment  
6 ending after March 14, 2021, and ending  
7 on or before August 29, 2021, up to \$400,  
8 except as provided under subparagraph  
9 (B).”; and

10 (2) by adding at the end the following:

11 “(B) STATE FLEXIBILITY TO PAY A LESS-  
12 ER AMOUNT.—The state agency of the State  
13 may elect to make payments described in sub-  
14 paragraph (A)(iii) at a lesser amount of \$100,  
15 \$200, or \$300, to be paid uniformly to all  
16 claimants in the State.”.

Page 4, after line 21, insert the following:

1 (d) PAYMENTS TO STATES.—Section 2104(d)(1)(A)  
2 of the CARES Act (15 U.S.C. 9023(d)(1)(A)) is amend-  
3 ed—

4 (1) in clause (i), by striking “agreement; and”  
5 and inserting “agreement, as if all such Federal  
6 Pandemic Unemployment Compensation had been  
7 paid in the amount of \$400, notwithstanding any  
8 election made under subsection (b)(3)(B);”;

9 (2) in clause (ii), by striking the period and in-  
10 sserting a semicolon; and

11 (3) by adding at the end the following:

12 “(iii) expenses for back-to-work bonus  
13 payments to individuals no longer so eligi-  
14 ble (as determined by the State), as a re-  
15 sult of earnings due to commencing em-  
16 ployment, for the week immediately fol-  
17 lowing such week; and

18 “(iv) expenses for reemployment serv-  
19 ices and eligibility assessments described in  
20 section 306 of the Social Security Act.”.



**Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to Subtitle A. Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Crisis Support for Unemployed Workers Offered by Rep. Hern of Oklahoma**

The amendment would incorporate a benefit phaseout period and application deadline to avoid an unemployment benefits cliff.

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE  
OFFERED BY MR. KEVIN HERN OF  
OKLAHOMA**

Page 1, strike lines 8 through 19 and insert the following:

**1 SEC. 9011. EXTENSION AND BENEFIT PHASEOUT RULE FOR  
2 PANDEMIC UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE.**

**3 (a) IN GENERAL.**—Section 2102(c) of the CARES  
4 Act (15 U.S.C. 9021(c)) is amended—

**5 (1)** by striking “March 14, 2021” each place it  
6 appears and inserting “July 25, 2021”;

**7 (2)** in paragraph (3)—

**8 (A)** in subparagraph (B), by striking  
9 “April 5, 2021” and inserting “August 29,  
10 2021”; and

**11 (B)** by adding at the end the following:

**12 “(C) APPLICATION DEADLINE.**—In no case  
13 may a State approve a new application for pan-  
14 demic unemployment assistance after August 8,  
15 2021.”.

Page 5, strike line 19 and all that follows through page 6, line 1, and insert the following:

1 **SEC. 9016. EXTENSION AND BENEFIT PHASEOUT RULE FOR**  
2 **PANDEMIC EMERGENCY UNEMPLOYMENT**  
3 **COMPENSATION.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 2107(g) of the CARES  
5 Act (15 U.S.C. 9025(g)) is amended—

6 (1) by striking “March 14, 2021” each place it  
7 appears and inserting “July 25, 2021”;

8 (2) in paragraph (3), by striking “April 5,  
9 2021” and inserting “August 29, 2021”; and

10 (3) by adding at the end the following:

11 “(4) APPLICATION DEADLINE.—In no case may  
12 a State approve a new application for pandemic  
13 emergency unemployment compensation after Au-  
14 gust 8, 2021.”.





**Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to Subtitle A. Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Crisis Support for Unemployed Workers offered by Rep. Smucker of Pennsylvania**

The amendment would strike and replace “75” with “100” to increase the amount of unemployment reimbursement for non-profit organizations.

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE  
OFFERED BY MR. SMUCKER OF  
PENNSYLVANIA**

Page 4, line 3, strike “75” and insert “100”.



**Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to Subtitle A. Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Crisis Support for Unemployed Workers offered by Mr. Nunes of California**

The amendment would require states to verify identity and receive documentation of prior wages of applicants for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance prior to authorizing benefits.

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE  
OFFERED BY MR. NUNES OF CALIFORNIA**

Page 3, after line 8, insert the following:

1           (e) VERIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR PANDEMIC  
2 UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE PRIOR TO AUTHORIZING  
3 BENEFITS.—

4           (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 2102(a)(3)(A)(iii) of  
5 the CARES Act (15 U.S.C. 9021(a)(3)(A)(iii)) is  
6 amended by striking “not later than 21 days after  
7 the later of the date on” and inserting “on the  
8 date”.

9           (2) TIMING OF VERIFICATION.—Section  
10 2102(f)(1) of the CARES Act (15 U.S.C.  
11 9021(f)(1)) is amended by inserting “prior to au-  
12 thorizing benefits” after “timely payment”.



**Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to Subtitle A. Budget Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Crisis Support for Unemployed Workers offered by Mr. Wenstrup of Ohio**

The amendment would provide relief by holding harmless taxpayers that had their identities stolen and were victims of unemployment fraud

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE  
OFFERED BY MR. WENSTRUP OF OHIO**

Add at the end the following:

1 **SEC. 9033. RELIEF FOR TAXPAYERS THAT WERE VICTIMS**  
2 **OF IDENTITY THEFT TO COMMIT UNEMPLOY-**  
3 **MENT INSURANCE FRAUD.**

4 In collaboration with the Department of Labor, and  
5 applicable to tax year 2020, the Commissioner of Internal  
6 Revenue shall—

7 (1) extend the deadline by which States are re-  
8 quired to submit Forms 1099-G by 30 days;

9 (2) implement a process to hold harmless tax-  
10 payers who are flagged for unreported income if  
11 those taxpayers believe they are victims of identity  
12 theft, or that fraudulent unemployment benefits  
13 were claimed in their name, such that no penalties  
14 or interest shall accrue against them; and

15 (3) require States to report the amount of  
16 fraudulent unemployment benefits that are excluded  
17 as income from Form 1099-G's issued by the State  
18 due to suspected or confirmed fraud.

