

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.”.

