

**Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to Subtitle I. Budget
Reconciliation Legislative Recommendations Relating to Responsibly Funding Our Priorities
Offered by Mr. Hern of Oklahoma**

This amendment would delay the effective date of Subtitles F-J until the inflation rate has been at or below 2.5% for 12 consecutive months. (The No More Price Increases for Working Families Amendment.)

AMENDMENT

OFFERED BY Mr. Hern

Subtitle F is amended by inserting after section 135001 the following new section:

1 SEC. 135002. DELAYED EFFECTIVE DATE.

2 Notwithstanding any other provision of this subtitle,
3 no provision in this subtitle shall take effect before the
4 date on which the Secretary of Labor certifies that the
5 Consumer Price Index for all-urban consumers for each
6 of the previous 12 months, calculated at an annualized
7 rate, has been below 2.5 percent.

Subtitle G is amended by inserting after section 136001 the following new section:

8 SEC. 136002. DELAYED EFFECTIVE DATE.

9 Notwithstanding any other provision of this subtitle,
10 no provision in this subtitle shall take effect before the
11 date on which the Secretary of Labor certifies that the
12 Consumer Price Index for all-urban consumers for each
13 of the previous 12 months, calculated at an annualized
14 rate, has been below 2.5 percent.

Subtitle H is amended by inserting after section 137001 the following new section:

1 **SEC. 137002. DELAYED EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2 Notwithstanding any other provision of this subtitle,
3 no provision in this subtitle shall take effect before the
4 date on which the Secretary of Labor certifies that the
5 Consumer Price Index for all-urban consumers for each
6 of the previous 12 months, calculated at an annualized
7 rate, has been below 2.5 percent.

Subtitle I is amended by inserting after section
138001 the following new section:

8 **SEC. 138002. DELAYED EFFECTIVE DATE.**

9 Notwithstanding any other provision of this subtitle,
10 no provision in this subtitle shall take effect before the
11 date on which the Secretary of Labor certifies that the
12 Consumer Price Index for all-urban consumers for each
13 of the previous 12 months, calculated at an annualized
14 rate, has been below 2.5 percent.

Subtitle J is amended by inserting after section
139001 the following new section:

15 **SEC. 139002. DELAYED EFFECTIVE DATE.**

16 Notwithstanding any other provision of this subtitle,
17 no provision in this subtitle shall take effect before the
18 date on which the Secretary of Labor certifies that the
19 Consumer Price Index for all-urban consumers for each

1 of the previous 12 months, calculated at an annualized
2 rate, has been below 2.5 percent.

