

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 5861
OFFERED BY MR. SMITH OF MISSOURI**

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the “Building on Reemploy-
3 ment Improvements to Deliver Good Employment for
4 Workers Act” or the “BRIDGE for Workers Act”.

5 SEC. 2. ELIGIBILITY FOR REEMPLOYMENT SERVICES.

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 306(a) of the Social Secu-
7 rity Act (42 U.S.C. 506(a)) is amended—

8 (1) by striking “individuals referred to reem-
9 ployment services as described in section 303(j)”
10 and inserting “claimants for regular compensation,
11 including claimants referred to reemployment serv-
12 ices as described in section 303(j),”; and

13 (2) by striking “such individuals” and inserting
14 “such claimants”.

15 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
16 subsection (a) shall take effect on the date of enactment
17 of this Act.

