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BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 261
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “altering” in line 3 down through “exclude” in line 4 and substitute “prohibiting a payment to an individual as”; in line 5, after “State” insert “from being included when computing the wages required to be subtracted from an eligible claimant’s weekly benefit amount”; strike in their entirety lines 9 through 13, inclusive; and in line 16, strike “8-101(aa)” and substitute “8-803(d)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 21, insert:

“8-803.

(d) (1) Except as provided in § 8-1207 of this title for the work sharing program and § 8-1604 of this title for the Self-Employment Assistance Program, an eligible claimant shall be paid a weekly benefit amount that is computed by:

(i) determining the claimant’s weekly benefit amount under this section;

(ii) adding any allowance for a dependent to which the claimant is entitled under § 8-804 of this subtitle; and

(iii) **SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION,** subtracting any wages exceeding \$50 payable to the claimant for the week.

(2) In computing benefits under this subsection, a fraction of a dollar shall be rounded to the next lower dollar.

(3) A PAYMENT TO AN INDIVIDUAL AS COMPENSATION FOR SERVING AS AN ELECTION JUDGE FOR A LOCAL BOARD OF ELECTIONS IN THE STATE MAY NOT BE INCLUDED WHEN COMPUTING THE WAGES REQUIRED TO BE SUBTRACTED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1)(III) OF THIS SUBSECTION.”

On pages 1 through 3, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 22 on page 1 through line 31 on page 3, inclusive.