

118TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 5861

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 18, 2024

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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## AN ACT

To extend reemployment services and eligibility assessments to all claimants for unemployment benefits, and for other purposes.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

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.

Passed the House of Representatives September 17,  
2024.

Attest:                   KEVIN F. MCCUMBER,  
*Clerk.*