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BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1417
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 13, after “appeal;” insert “altering the benefit charging provisions for employing units that participate in work sharing;”; strike beginning with “providing” in line 14 down through “law;” in line 17; in line 22, after “Section” insert “8-611(d);”; in the same line, strike “8-1204” and substitute “8-1204;”; and in line 27, after “Section” insert “8-611(b) and (g) and”.

On page 2, in line 4, strike “and 8-1210”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 9, insert:

“8-611.

(b) Except as provided in subsection (d) of this section, the Secretary shall charge pro rata against the earned rating record of each base period employer all regular benefits and the share of extended benefits required under subsection (c) of this section in the same proportion as the wages paid by the base period employer is to the total wages of the claimant during the base period, and rounded to the nearest dollar.

(d) The Secretary shall charge all regular and extended benefits paid to a claimant against the earned rating record of an employing unit that caused the claimant’s unemployment during any period in which the unemployment is caused by[:

(1) participation of the employing unit in a work sharing unemployment insurance program that the Secretary has approved; or

(Over)

(2) a shutdown of the employing unit:

[(i)](1) to have employees take their vacations at the same time;

[(ii)](2) for inventory;

[(iii)](3) for retooling; or

[(iv)](4) for any other purpose that is primarily other than a lack of work and that causes unemployment for a definite period.

(g) The Secretary may not charge the earned rating record of an employing unit that has employed a claimant on a continuous part-time basis and continues to do so while the claimant is separated from other employment and is eligible for benefits because of that separation.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 5, strike beginning with “**BUT, UNLESS**” in line 26 down through “**SECRETARY,**” in line 27 and substitute “**BUT**”.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 12, strike in their entirety lines 21 through 32, inclusive.