

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1**  
**OFFERED BY MR. BUYER OF INDIANA**

At the end of division B, add the following new title  
 (and revise the table of contents accordingly):

**1 TITLE VIII—VETERANS AFFAIRS**

**2 SEC. 8001. INCREASE IN AMOUNT OF SUBSISTENCE ALLOW-**  
**3 ANCE PAYABLE TO VETERANS PARTICI-**  
**4 PATING IN VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION**  
**5 PROGRAM.**

**6 (a) INCREASE.—**

**7 (1) INCREASE IN SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE.—**

**8 Section 3108(b)(1) is amended by striking the table**  
**9 and inserting the following new table:**

Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV	Column V
Type of program	No de- pendents	One de- pendent	Two de- pendents	More than two depend- ents
.....	.....	.....	.....	The amount in column IV, plus the following for each dependent in excess of two:
Full-time .....	\$1,200	\$1,500	\$1,800	\$120
Three-quarter time .....	\$900	\$1,125	\$1,350	\$90
Half-time .....	\$600	\$750	\$900	\$60

1           (2) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made  
2           by subsection (a) shall apply with respect to a pay-  
3           ment made for the third month beginning after the  
4           date of the enactment of this Act and each subse-  
5           quent month.

6           (b) EXPANSION OF AVAILABILITY OF EMPLOYMENT  
7 ASSISTANCE ALLOWANCE FOR VETERANS USING EM-  
8 PLOYMENT SERVICES.—Section 3108(a) is amended—

9           (1) in paragraph (1), by adding at the end the  
10          following new sentence: “In the case of a veteran  
11          with a service-connected disability who the Secretary  
12          determines has reached a point of employability and  
13          who is participating only in a program of employ-  
14          ment services provided under section 3104(a)(5) of  
15          this title, the Secretary shall pay the veteran a sub-  
16          sistence allowance as prescribed in this section for  
17          three months while the veteran is satisfactorily pur-  
18          suing such program.”; and

19          (2) by striking paragraph (2) and redesignating  
20          paragraph (3) as paragraph (2).

