Amendment to H.R. 8 Offered by Ms. Jackson Lee of Texas

At the end, add the following:

1 SEC. ____. EXTENSION OF ABOVE-THE-LINE DEDUCTION 2 FOR CERTAIN EXPENSES OF ELEMENTARY 3 AND SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHERS. 4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 62(a)(2)(D) of the Inter-5 nal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking "or 2011" and inserting "2011, 2012, or 2013". 6 7 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after 8 9 December 31, 2011. SEC. . CONSISTENT TREATMENT OF STOCK OPTIONS BY 10 11 CORPORATIONS. 12 (a) CONSISTENT TREATMENT FOR WAGE DEDUC-13 TION.— 14 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 83(h) of the Internal 15 Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to deduction of em-16 plover) is amended— (A) by striking "In the case of" and in-17 18 serting: 19 "(1) IN GENERAL.—In the case of", and

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(B) by adding at the end the following new
 paragraph:

3 "(2) STOCK OPTIONS.—In the case of property
4 transferred to a person in connection with a stock
5 option, any deduction related to such stock option
6 shall be allowed only under section 162(q) and para7 graph (1) shall not apply.".

8 (2) TREATMENT OF COMPENSATION PAID WITH 9 STOCK OPTIONS.—Section 162 of such Code (relat-10 ing to trade or business expenses) is amended by re-11 designating subsection (q) as subsection (r) and by 12 inserting after subsection (p) the following new sub-13 section:

14 "(q) TREATMENT OF COMPENSATION PAID WITH15 STOCK OPTIONS.—

16 "(1) IN GENERAL.—In the case of compensa-17 tion for personal services that is paid with stock op-18 tions, the deduction under subsection (a)(1) shall 19 not exceed the amount the taxpayer has treated as 20 compensation cost with respect to such stock options 21 for the purpose of ascertaining income, profit, or 22 loss in a report or statement to shareholders, part-23 ners, or other proprietors (or to beneficiaries), and 24 shall be taken into account in the same period that 3

1	such compensation cost is recognized for such pur-
2	pose.
3	"(2) Special rules for controlled
4	GROUPS.—The Secretary may prescribe rules for the
5	application of paragraph (1) in cases where the
6	stock option is granted by—
7	"(A) a parent or subsidiary corporation
8	(within the meaning of section 424) of the tax-
9	payer, or
10	"(B) another corporation.".
11	(b) Consistent Treatment for Research Tax
12	CREDIT.—Section $41(b)(2)(D)$ of the Internal Revenue
13	Code of 1986 (defining wages for purposes of credit for
14	increasing research expenses) is amended by inserting at
15	the end the following new clause:
16	"(iv) Special rule for stock op-
17	TIONS.—The amount which may be treated
18	as wages for any taxable year in connec-
19	tion with the issuance of a stock option
20	shall not exceed the amount allowed for
21	such taxable year as a compensation de-
22	duction under section $162(q)$ with respect
23	to such stock option.".
24	(c) Application of Amendments.—The amend-

25 ments made by this section shall apply to stock options

exercised after the date of the enactment of this Act, ex cept that—

3 (1) such amendments shall not apply to stock
4 options that were granted before such date and that
5 vested in taxable periods beginning on or before
6 June 15, 2005,

7 (2) for stock options that were granted before 8 such date of enactment and vested during taxable 9 periods beginning after June 15, 2005, and ending 10 before such date of enactment, a deduction under 11 section 162(q) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 12 (as added by subsection (a)(2)) shall be allowed in 13 the first taxable period of the taxpayer that ends 14 after such date of enactment,

(3) for public entities reporting as small business issuers and for non-public entities required to
file public reports of financial condition, paragraphs
(1) and (2) shall be applied by substituting "December 15, 2005" for "June 15, 2005", and

(4) no deduction shall be allowed under section
83(h) or section 162(q) of such Code with respect to
any stock option the vesting date of which is
changed to accelerate the time at which the option
may be exercised in order to avoid the applicability
of such amendments.

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1 SEC. ____. APPLICATION OF EXECUTIVE PAY DEDUCTION 2 LIMIT.

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subparagraph (D) of section
4 162(m)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (defining
5 applicable employee remuneration) is amended to read as
6 follows:

7 "(D) STOCK OPTION COMPENSATION.—
8 The term 'applicable employee remuneration'
9 shall include any compensation deducted under
10 subsection (q), and such compensation shall not
11 qualify as performance-based compensation
12 under subparagraph (C).".

(b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
this section shall apply to stock options exercised or granted after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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