

AMENDMENT TO DIVISION B OF RULES
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OFFERED BY MR. MURPHY OF NORTH CAROLINA

At the end of division B (before the short title), insert the following:

1 UPDATE TO CATEGORICAL ELIGIBILITY

2 SEC. 778.

3 Section 5 of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 (7
4 U.S.C. 2014) is amended—

5 (1) in the 2d sentence of subsection (a)—

6 (A) by striking “receives benefits” and in-
7 serting “(1) receives cash assistance (not less
8 than \$150 a month for an extended period)”,

9 (B) by striking “supplemental security”
10 and inserting “with an income eligibility limit of
11 not more than 130 percent of the poverty line
12 as defined in section 5(e)(1), (2) is elderly or
13 disabled and receives cash assistance or ongoing
14 and substantial services under a State program
15 funded under part A of title IV of the Social
16 Security Act (42 U.S.C. 601 et seq.) with an
17 income eligibility limit of not more than 200
18 percent of the poverty line as defined in section

1 5(c)(1), (3) receives supplemental security”,
2 and

3 (C) by striking “or aid” and inserting “or
4 (4) receives aid”, and
5 (2) in subsection (j)—

6 (A) by striking “or who receives benefits”
7 and inserting “cash assistance (not less than
8 \$150 a month for an extended period)”, and

9 (B) by striking “to have” and inserting
10 “with an income eligibility limit of not more
11 than 130 percent of the poverty line as defined
12 in section 5(c)(1), or who is elderly or disabled
13 and receives cash assistance or ongoing and
14 substantial services under a State program
15 funded under part A of title IV of the Act (42
16 U.S.C. 601 et seq.) with an income eligibility
17 limit of not more than 200 percent of the pov-
18 erty line as defined in section 5(c)(1), to have”.

19 AVAILABILITY OF STANDARD UTILITY ALLOWANCES

20 BASED ON RECEIPT OF ENERGY ASSISTANCE

21 SEC. 779.

22 Section 5(k)(4) of the Food and Nutrition Act of
23 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2014(k)(4)) is amended—

24 (1) in subparagraph (A) by inserting “without
25 an elderly member” after “household” the 1st place
26 it appears, and

1 (2) in subparagraph (B) by inserting “with an
2 elderly member” after “household” the 1st place it
3 appears.

4 ADJUSTMENT TO ASSET LIMITATIONS

5 SEC. 780.

6 Section 5(g)(1) of the Food and Nutrition Act of
7 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2014(g)(1)) is amended—

8 (1) in subparagraph (A)—

9 (A) by striking “\$2,000” and inserting
10 “\$7,000”, and

11 (B) by striking “\$3,000” and inserting
12 “\$12,000”, and—

13 (2) in subparagraph (B)(i) by striking “2019”
14 and inserting “2022”.

15 ADJUSTMENTS FOR INFLATION; UPDATED VEHICLE

16 ALLOWANCE

17 SEC. 781.

18 Section 5(g) of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008
19 (7 U.S.C. 2014(g)) is amended—

20 (1) in paragraph (1)(B)(i)—

21 (A) by striking “(i) IN GENERAL.—Begin-
22 ning” and inserting the following:

23 “(i) IN GENERAL.—

24 “(I) Beginning”, and

25 (B) by adding at the end the following:

1 “(II) Beginning on October 1,
2 2021, and each October 1 thereafter,
3 the amount specified in paragraph
4 (2)(B)(iv) shall be adjusted in the
5 manner described in subclause (I).”,
6 and

7 (2) in paragraph (2)—

8 (A) by amending subparagraph (B)—

9 (i) by amending clause (iv) to read as
10 follows:

11 “(iv) subject to subparagraph (C),
12 with respect to any licensed vehicle that is
13 used for household transportation or to ob-
14 tain or continue employment—

15 “(I) 1 vehicle for each licensed
16 driver who is a member of such house-
17 hold; and

18 “(II) each additional vehicle;
19 and”, and

20 (ii) in clause (v) by inserting “to the
21 extend such value exceeds \$7,500” after
22 “account”, and

23 (B) by striking subparagraph (D).

24 SAVINGS EXCLUDED FROM ASSETS

25 SEC. 782.

1 Section 5(g) of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008
2 (7 U.S.C. 2014(g)), as amended by section 5, is amend-
3 ed—

4 (1) in paragraph (1)(B)(i) by adding at the end
5 the following:

6 “(III) Beginning on October 1,
7 2021, and each October 1 thereafter,
8 the amount specified in paragraph
9 (2)(B)(v) shall be adjusted in the
10 manner described in subclause (I).”,
11 and

12 (2) in paragraph (2)(B)(v) by inserting “to the
13 extent that the value exceeds \$7,500” after “ac-
14 count”.

15 ALLOWANCE TO RECIPIENTS OF ENERGY ASSISTANCE

16 SEC. 783.

17 (a) STANDARD UTILITY ALLOWANCE.—Section
18 5(e)(6)(C)(iv)(I) of the of the Food and Nutrition Act of
19 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2014(e)(6)(C)(iv)(I)) is amended by in-
20 serting “with an elderly member” after “households”.

21 (a) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
22 2605(f)(2)(A) of the Low-Income Home Energy Assist-
23 ance Act (42 U.S.C. 8624(f)(2)(A)) is amended by insert-
24 ing “received by a household with an elderly member” be-
25 fore “, consistent with section 5(e)(6)(C)(iv)(I)”.

