

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119-3**

**OFFERED BY MR. HORSFORD OF NEVADA**

At the end of part 2 of subtitle A, add the following:

**SEC. 110117. EXTENSION OF WORK OPPORTUNITY CREDIT TO VETERANS SUBJECT TO A REDUCTION IN FORCE BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.**

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—Section 51(d)(1) is amended by striking “or” at the end of subparagraph (I), by striking the period at the end of subparagraph (J) and inserting “, or”, and by adding at the end the following new subparagraph:

“(K) a qualified RIF’d veteran.”.

(b) **QUALIFIED RIF’D VETERAN.**—Section 51(d) is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

“(16) **QUALIFIED RIF’D VETERAN.**—The term ‘qualified RIF’d veteran’ means any veteran who is certified by the designated local agency—

“(A) as having periods of unemployment during the 1-year period ending on the hiring date which equal or exceed one month,

“(B) as having been employed by the Federal government on January 20, 2025, and

“(C) as having the employment referred to in subparagraph (B) terminated as a result of a Federal agency reduction in force.”.

(c) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendments made by this section shall apply to individuals who begin work for the employer after the date of the enactment of this Act.