

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 2358

To provide flexibility under the Federal Unemployment Compensation program.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 15, 2021

Mr. CARPER (for himself and Ms. COLLINS) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

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Compensation program.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Workforce Support
5 and Flexibility Act of 2021”.

6 **SEC. 2. FLEXIBILITY UNDER THE FEDERAL UNEMPLOY-**
7 **MENT COMPENSATION PROGRAM.**

8 Section 2104(b)(3)(A) of the CARES Act (15 U.S.C.
9 9023(b)(3)(A)) is amended—

1 (1) in clause (ii), by striking “September 6,
2 2021” and inserting “the date of the enactment of
3 the Workforce Support and Flexibility Act of 2021”;
4 and

5 (2) by adding at the end the following:

6 “(iii) For weeks of unemployment
7 ending after the date of the enactment of
8 the Workforce Support and Flexibility Act
9 of 2021, and ending on or before Sep-
10 tember 6, 2021, \$300 (or, upon written
11 notice by the State to the Secretary, an
12 amount established by the State that is
13 less than \$300 (but not less than \$1)).”.

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