Public Law 94–379 94th Congress

An Act

1861 36 1 38

Aug. 10, 1976

[H.R. 14514]

To permit a State which no longer qualifies for hold harmless treatment under the supplemental security income program to elect to remain a food stamp cashout State upon condition that it pass through a part of the 1976 cost-ofliving increase in SSI benefits and all of any subsequent increases in such benefits.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) section 8 of Public Law 93-233 is amended by redesignating subsections (d) and (e) as subsections (e) and (f), respectively, and by inserting after subsection (c) the following new subsection:

"(d) Upon the request of the State of California the Secretary shall find, for purposes of the provisions specified in subsection (c) of this section, that the level of such State's supplementary payments of the type described in section 1616(a) of the Social Security Act has been specifically increased for any month after June 1976 so as to include the bonus value of food stamps if—

"(1) the State law as in effect for such month specifically provides for increases in such payments on account of increases in the level of benefits payable under title XVI of the Social Security Act in a manner designed to assure that, whenever a cost-of-living increase in the level of benefits payable under such title XVI becomes effective for any month after June 1976, the amount of the State supplementary payment payable, for each month with respect to which such cost-of-living increase is effective, to any individual or to any individual with an eligible spouse, will be increased by such amount as is necessary to assure that—

"(A) the aggregate of (i) the amount payable for such month to such individual, or to such individual with an eligible spouse, under such title XVI, and (ii) the amount payable for such month to such individual, or to such individual with an eligible spouse, under the State's supplementary payments program.

mentary payments program, will exceed, by an amount which is not less than the monthly amount of such cost-of-living increase (plus the monthly amount of any previous cost-of-living increases in the level of benefits payable under title XVI of the Social Security Act which became effective for months after June 1976)—

"(B) the aggregate of the amounts which would otherwise have been payable, to such individual (or to such individual with an eligible spouse), under such title XVI and under the State's supplementary payments program for such month under the law as in effect on June 1, 1976; and

"(2) such month is (A) the month of July 1976, or (B) a month thereafter which is in a period of consecutive months the first of which is July 1976 and each of which is a month with respect to which the conditions of paragraph (1) are met.

As used in this subsection, the term 'cost-of-living increase in the level of benefits payable under title XVI of the Social Security Act' means an increase in benefits payable under such title XVI by reason of the

Definition.

SSI program. California supplementary payment level. 42 USC 1382e notes.

42 USC 1382e.

42 USC 1382f. 42 USC 1381.

42 USC 1382e note.

operation of section 1617 of such Act; except that the cost-of-living increase in the level of benefits payable under such title XVI which became effective for the month of July 1976 shall be deemed (for purposes of determining the amount of the required excess referred to in the matter following subparagraph (A) and preceding subparagraph (B) in paragraph (1)) to have provided an increase of \$3.00 per month in the case of an individual without an eligible spouse and \$4.50 per month in the case of an individual with an eligible spouse.". (b) The provision of section 8 of Public Law 93-233 redesignated

as subsection (f) by subsection (a) of this section is amended by striking out "subsection (d)" and inserting in lieu thereof "subsection (e)".

Approved August 10, 1976.

which is a maximum of the necessary to measure the T_{i} . The summaries of its the amount-maximum field for much marks in the summaries of its the summaries individual with an shuffle sponse tradier with this XTL and (ii) the quantum individual for some points to equivinities of the spinphysical test, a finite spin set, individual, or to such its the sum of the spin set, individual with States and the sumplession of the spin set.

a fil este di lo di diagnate winele le ree live film the monthly around of auth costsoil wing increase (physithe-monthly energial of 90% of 2000 ever of 1% ing increases in the level of bouchis perside metry with 5% of the pecial Security Act which heating

¹⁰ (E) The angregation of the animality which would of herein an a test particle to such a distribution (or to anti-radicalization) with no electric spones, make with it is XPA main index the State's supplementary payments, programs for specific much.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

HOUSE REPORT No. 94-1310 (Comm. on Ways and Means). CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, Vol. 122 (1976): July 29, considered and passed House and Senate. WEEKLY COMPILATION OF PRESIDENTIAL DOCUMENTS, Vol. 12, No. 33: Aug. 11, Presidential statement.

minored the well of this beam at the set of the second