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Protect Special Wage Provision 14c

BE AWARE

- The Biden Administration's \$1.9T Stimulus proposal (Biden American Rescue Plan) includes a provision to eliminate the Special Minimum Wage (Section 14(c)) of the Fair Labor Standards Act.
- Congress and the Administration are currently negotiating proposed legislation in the hope of reaching bipartisan agreement.
- If agreement is not reached, Democratic legislators may try to pass a bill through a process called budget reconciliation, which would only require Democratic support and cannot be filibustered, which would make it very likely to pass.

BE ADVISED

- If the Special Minimum Wage provision (14(c)) is eliminated, you or your loved one may lose the choice to work in a setting that uses this certificate.
- Most community rehabilitation programs utilize this important certificate to offer training/ work services.

TAKE ACTION!

1. **The A-Team is designating FRIDAY February 5th 2021 as national "Call Your Senator Day."** Call your Senator's office and let them know you support 14(c). You may be asked to leave a recorded message, or you may be able to directly give your message. Say **"Senator PLEASE take the 14(c) provision out of the Stimulus legislation"**.
2. If you prefer, email your Senators through their website. **Tell them why your work/your loved one's work and 14c are so important and not to eliminate 14c.**
3. Senators phone numbers and email contact info are given at https://www.senate.gov/general/contact_information/senators_cfm.cfm

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