



Pelosi's Socialist Wish List (H.R. 6800)

Education and Labor Provision Lowlights

Labor Provisions:

- Radically expands paid leave employer mandates by extending the requirements for an extra year and applying them to all employers, including small businesses.
 - The bill also requires more types of leave to be compensated and **subjects small businesses to lawsuits** for alleged violations.
- Uses taxpayer dollars to provide an **open-ended and uncapped bailout for failing union-run multiemployer pension plans** while leaving out needed reforms to fix the problem.
- **Imposes a rigid, rushed, one-size-fits-all OSHA regulation on all employers** which would be duplicative and counterproductive in addressing the ever-changing circumstances created by COVID-19.
- Provides a 100 percent subsidy to cover an individual's premium costs for COBRA health coverage or a furloughed worker's premium costs for employer-sponsored health coverage **without protections to ensure that no federal funds are used to provide abortion services.**
- Drastically expands federal worker's compensation programs by making COVID-19 a "presumed" workplace illness and **allows certain federal workers who contract COVID-19 outside the workplace to collect generous taxpayer-funded workers' compensation benefits** automatically.
- Significantly loosens key funding requirements **for select community newspaper pension plans**, including newspapers owned by large investment firms.
 - This scheme pre-dates the COVID-19 pandemic. The newspaper industry has been in decline for decades and these companies have had a longstanding inability to meet their pension obligations.

Education Provisions:

- Hands out another \$90 billion to states to spend on K-12 and postsecondary education while **placing onerous and unrealistic requirements on school districts.**
 - These funds fail to assist students attending private schools that are equally impacted by the pandemic.
- Forgives \$10,000 of federal and private student loan debt for every borrower, which does nothing to combat COVID-19.
 - **This Democrat proposal benefits the wealthy more than the poor, and disproportionately aids white households over minority ones.**
 - **The bill launches a socialist takeover of the private student loan market** by forcing all private student loan companies to offer income-driven repayment terms and conditions dictated by the federal government.