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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 3172**OFFERED BY MR. DEMINT**

(Page and line numbers correspond to those of the introduced bill)

Page 1, strike line 5 and all that follows through line 10 on page 3 and insert the following:

1 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 403(a)(5)(C)(ii) of the
2 Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 603(a)(5)(C)(ii)) is amend-
3 ed to read as follows:

4 “(ii) GENERAL ELIGIBILITY.—An en-
5 tity that operates a project with funds pro-
6 vided under this paragraph may expend
7 funds provided to the project for the ben-
8 efit of recipients of assistance under the
9 program funded under this part of the
10 State in which the entity is located who—

11 “(I) has received assistance
12 under the State program funded
13 under this part (whether in effect be-
14 fore or after the amendments made by
15 section 103 of the Personal Responsi-
16 bility and Work Opportunity Rec-
17 onciliation Act of 1996 first apply to
18 the State) for at least 30 months
19 (whether or not consecutive); or



1 “(II) within 12 months, will be-
2 come ineligible for assistance under
3 the State program funded under this
4 part by reason of a durational limit on
5 such assistance, without regard to any
6 exemption provided pursuant to sec-
7 tion 408(a)(7)(C) that may apply to
8 the individual.”.

Page 4, line 18, strike “clause (ii)(II)” and insert
“subclause (I) or (II) of clause (ii)”.

Page 9, strike line 12 and all that follows through
line 2 on page 10 and insert the following:

9 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 403(a)(5)(C)(iv) of
10 such Act (42 U.S.C. 603(a)(5)(C)(iv)), as so redес-
11 ignated by subsection (b)(1)(A) of this section, is
12 amended—

13 (A) by striking “or” at the end of sub-
14 clause (I); and

15 (B) by striking subclause (II) and insert-
16 ing the following:

17 “(II) to children—

18 “(aa) who have attained 18
19 years of age but not 25 years of
20 age; and



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1 “(bb) who, before attaining
2 18 years of age, were recipients
3 of foster care maintenance pay-
4 ments (as defined in section
5 475(4)) under part E or were in
6 foster care under the responsi-
7 bility of a State;

8 “(III) to recipients of assistance
9 under the State program funded
10 under this part, determined to have
11 significant barriers to self-sufficiency,
12 pursuant to criteria established by the
13 local private industry council; or

14 “(IV) to custodial parents with
15 incomes below 100 percent of the pov-
16 erty line (as defined in section 673(2)
17 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation
18 Act of 1981, including any revision re-
19 quired by such section, applicable to a
20 family of the size involved), ~~at the op-~~
21 ~~tion of the local private industry coun-~~
22 ~~cil.”~~

