

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 6213
OFFERED BY MR. MESSMER OF INDIANA**

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the “Heat Workforce Stand-
3 ards Act of 2026”.

**4 SEC. 2. PROHIBITION AGAINST FINALIZING, IMPLE-
5 MENTING, OR ENFORCING A PROPOSED
6 STANDARD WITH RESPECT TO HEAT INJURY
7 AND ILLNESS PREVENTION.**

8 The Secretary of Labor may not finalize, implement,
9 or enforce the proposed standard titled “Heat Injury and
10 Illness Prevention in Outdoor and Indoor Work Settings”
11 published by the Occupational Safety and Health Adminis-
12 tration in the Federal Register on August 30, 2024 (89
13 Fed. Reg. 70698), or any substantially similar standard.

