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LEGISLATIVE ACTION ALERT

URGENT: ROUND TWO

CONTACT YOUR CONGRESSMAN VOTE ON PENSION BILL EXPECTED

ON JULY 24, 2019

Sample Talking Points

This week, the Rehabilitation for Multiemployer Pensions Act (HR 397) will be on the House floor. I urge you to vote yes!

The nation's multiemployer pension system has been essential in providing retirement security for millions of Americans and their families. Now, through no fault of their own, millions of retirees are threatened with benefit cuts and the potential loss of their pensions altogether as their multiemployer pension plans have slipped into critical and declining financial status, with some facing the prospect of insolvency. If these plans fail, it will not only impact the retirees receiving the benefit, there will be a broader impact on the economy - adverse effects on economic growth and tax losses to state, local and federal governments.

HR 397 will strengthen troubled plans and provide a path forward for financial stability and does so without retiree benefit cuts. This important legislation ensures that retirees and workers for years to come will have with the peace of mind that they will receive the benefits that they've earned through their hard work, when they retire.

I hope you will show active and retired workers in your district that you stand with them by voting "yes" on HR 397.

Sincerely,

TELL THEM TO SUPPORT H.R. 397 THE BUTCH LEWIS ACT

