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Support Using the Congressional Review Act to Overturn the NLRB's Final Joint-Employer Rule

Dear Member of Congress:

The undersigned organizations, on behalf of a diverse group of workers, small businesses, and critical sectors of our economy, write in strong support of S.J.Res.X and H.J.Res.X, joint resolutions of disapproval under the Congressional Review Act to nullify the National Labor Relations Board's (NLRB) Final Rule on Joint-Employer Status. This misguided rule will harm millions of workers and small businesses across the country, and we urge you to vote to protect your constituents from the NLRB's overreach.

Issued in October 2023, the NLRB's Final Joint-Employer Rule institutes an unworkable, overly broad set of circumstances under which a company is considered a "joint employer" under federal law. The Final Rule will cripple small businesses in numerous sectors by exposing them to frivolous litigation, eliminating jobs, and slowing wage growth across the country – just like it did when a similar standard was implemented in 2015. At a time of continued economic uncertainty, it is alarming that the NLRB has chosen to move forward on such a divisive and damaging joint employer rule.

Fortunately, in the coming weeks, members of Congress will have the opportunity to vote to nullify the NLRB's Joint-Employer Final Rule by utilizing the Congressional Review Act. By voting in favor of S.J.Res.X and H.J.Res.X, members can demonstrate that they support workers and small businesses in their states. Accordingly, we urge your support for nullifying the NLRB's Final Rule and look forward to our continued partnership.

Sincerely,

Air Conditioning Contractors of America
American Bakers Association
American Car Rental Association
American Hospital Association
American Hotel & Lodging Association
American Pipeline Contractors Association
American Seniors Housing Association
American Staffing Association
American Supply Association
American Trucking Association
American Trucking Association
Associated Builders and Contractors
Associated Equipment Distributors
Associated General Contractors of America
CAWA - Representing the Automotive Parts Industry
Coalition to Promote Independent Entrepreneurs

Family Business Coalition

Global Cold Chain Alliance

Heating, Air-conditioning, & Refrigeration Distributors International

HR Policy Association

IHRSA-The Health & Fitness Association

Independent Electrical Contractors

International Foodservice Distributors Association

International Franchise Association

International Warehouse Logistics Association

National Association of Convenience Stores

National Association of Electrical Distributors

National Association of Home Builders

National Association of Manufacturers

National Association of Professional Employer Organizations

National Association of Wholesaler-Distributors

National Cotton Ginners Association

National Council of Chain Restaurants

National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB)

National Grocers Association

National Lumber & Building Material Dealers Association

National Multifamily Housing Council (NMHC)

National Ready Mixed Concrete Association

National Restaurant Association

National Retail Federation

National Roofing Contractors Association

National Tooling and Machining Association

National Waste & Recycling Association

Power & Communication Contractors Association

Precision Machined Products Association

Precision Metalforming Association

Retail Industry Leaders Association (RILA)

Small Business & Entrepreneurship Council

TechNet

Technology & Manufacturing Association

The Community Gyms Coalition

The Food Industry Association

The Real Estate Roundtable

Tile Roofing Industry Alliance

Transportation Alliance

TRSA – The Linen, Uniform and Facility Services Association

Truck Renting and Leasing Association

Workplace Policy Institute

Workplace Solutions Association

U.S. Chamber of Commerce