

practicable, to such areas as may be designated as "redevelopment areas" or "economic development centers" under the authority of section 401 or 403 of this Act: *Provided, however,* That this section shall not be construed as limiting such administrative discretion as may have been conferred under any other law.

SEC. 716. All financial and technical assistance authorized under this Act shall be in addition to any Federal assistance previously authorized, and no provision hereof shall be construed as authorizing or permitting any reduction or diminution in the proportional amount of Federal assistance to which any State or other entity eligible under this Act would otherwise be entitled under the provisions of any other Act.

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AN ACT

August 26, 1965  
[H. R. 206]

To provide a realistic cost-of-living increase in rates of subsistence allowances paid to disabled veterans pursuing vocational rehabilitation training.

Veteran-trainees.  
Subsistence al-  
lowance, increase.  
72 Stat. 1172.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That (a) section 1504 of title 38, United States Code, is amended by deleting subsection (c) thereof, redesignating subsection "(d)" as "(c)" and by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

"(b) The subsistence allowance of a veteran-trainee is to be determined in accordance with the following table, and shall be the monthly amount shown in column II, III, or IV (whichever is applicable as determined by the veteran's dependency status) opposite the appropriate type of training as specified in column I:

"Column I	Column II	Column III	Column IV
Type of training	No dependents	One dependent	Two or more dependents
Full-time institutional training .....	\$110	\$150	\$175
Institutional on-farm, apprentice or other on-job training .....	95	125	150

Where any trainee has more than two dependents and is not eligible to receive additional compensation as provided by section 315 or section 335 (whichever is applicable) of this title, the subsistence allowance prescribed in column IV of the foregoing table shall be increased by an additional \$5 per month for each dependent in excess of two."

(b) Section 315 of title 38, United States Code, is amended by deleting "(a)" and subsection (b) thereof.

(c) Any veteran-trainee receiving subsistence allowance on the date of the enactment of this Act while pursuing a course of vocational rehabilitation authorized by chapter 31 of title 38, United States Code, shall not have such allowance reduced by reason of the amendments contained in such Act.

SEC. 2. The foregoing provisions of this Act shall become effective on the first day of the second calendar month which begins following the date of enactment of this Act.

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1510.

Effective date.