

TRUMP ADMINISTRATION RELEASES LIST OF 68 JOBS COVERED BY NO TAX ON TIPS

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The Treasury Department has released a list of 68 jobs that will be covered by the “no tax on tips” provision in President Donald Trump’s “One, Big, Beautiful Bill,” Axios reported Monday.

Under the Republican budget plan Trump signed into law this summer, workers are exempted from paying federal taxes on up to \$25,000 in wages earned from tips and up to 250 hours of overtime pay. The provision remains in effect through tax year 2028, Trump’s final year in office.

Until Monday, the Trump administration had not specified the exact occupations that would see a federal tax break. But it turns out there’s good news for a wide range of professions from bellhops to blackjack dealers.

Maryland’s tipped wage structure — a \$3.63 minimum wage before tips that requires employers to pay the difference if employees don’t earn at least \$15 per hour overall — impacts more than 105,000 workers across Maryland, according to progressive advocacy group One Fair Wage. As the scope of jobs included on the list is quite broad, many of these employees may be able to save money on their federal tax returns in the coming years.

Here’s a look at the 68 jobs covered by “no tax on tips,” which the Treasury Department breaks down into eight distinct categories:

Category 1: Beverage & Food Service

—Bartenders

—Wait staff

—Food servers (non-restaurant)

—Dining room/cafeteria attendants, bartender helpers

—Chefs and cooks

- Food preparation workers
- Fast food and counter workers
- Dishwashers
- Host staff (restaurant, lounge, and coffee shops)
- Bakers

Category 2: Entertainment & Events

- Gambling dealers
- Gambling change persons and booth cashiers
- Gambling cage workers
- Gambling/sports book writers, runners
- Dancers
- Musicians and Singers
- Disc jockeys (except radio)
- Entertainers and performers
- Digital content creators
- Ushers, lobby attendants and ticket takers
- Locker room, coatroom and dressing room attendants

Category 3: Entertainment & Events

- Baggage porters and bellhops
- Concierges
- Hotel, motel and resort desk clerks
- Maids and housekeeping cleaners

Category 4: Home Services

- Home maintenance and repair workers
- Home landscaping and groundskeeping workers

- Home electricians
- Home plumbers
- Home heating/air conditioning mechanics and installers
- Home appliance installers and repairers
- Home cleaning service workers
- Locksmiths
- Roadside assistance workers

Category 5: Personal Services

- Personal care and service workers
- Private event planner
- Private event and portrait photographers
- Private event videographers
- Event officiants
- Pet caretakers
- Tutors
- Nannies and babysitters

Category 6: Personal Appearance & Wellness

- Skincare specialists
- Massage therapists
- Barbers, hairdressers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists
- Shampooers
- Manicurists and pedicurists
- Eyebrow threading and waxing technicians
- Makeup artists
- Exercise trainers and group fitness instructors
- Tattoo artists and piercers

—Tailors

—Shoe and leather workers and repairers

Category 7: Recreation & Instruction

—Golf caddies

—Self-enrichment teachers

—Recreational and tour Pilots

—Tour guides and escorts

—Travel guides

—Sports and recreation instructors

Category 8: Transportation & Delivery

—Parking and valet attendants

—Taxi and rideshare drivers and chauffeurs

—Shuttle drivers

—Goods delivery people

—Personal vehicle and equipment cleaners

—Private and charter bus drivers

—Water taxi operators and charter boat workers

—Rickshaw, pedicab, and carriage drivers

—Home movers