

“I’m encouraged by the latest employment numbers released this morning showing 21 straight months of private sector job growth. Getting the unemployment rate down to 8.6% is good, but we still have work to do. Rather than exploring Republican plans for tax cuts for millionaires and billionaires, we must restore the American Dream for the middle class and rebuild our economy by bringing manufacturing jobs to the United States. That’s why I’m introducing legislation that provides tax and market incentives for businesses to shift their production to American facilities. My legislation will convince US-based and foreign companies to manufacture in the United States by providing unrivaled access to our enviable consumer market and high quality, hard working labor. As a result, the next generation of market-changing technologies – the iPad’s, solar panels and flat screens of the future – will be stamped ‘Made in the USA.’ If we rebuild manufacturing in America, even 8.6% unemployment will become a distant memory.”