



Top Legislative Priorities For Entrepreneurs

(NAPS)—Wishing to send a strong message to Congress and accurately reflect the views of its small-business members, the Alliance for Affordable Services recently conducted a legislative poll with surprising results.

An astounding 63 percent of survey participants ranked the tax deduction for 100 percent of health insurance premiums as its number one legislative issue. Forty-two percent ranked the repeal of the estate tax second and 22 percent identified simplification of the estimated tax rules as the third most important issue.

The poll also asked what type of legislation Congress should pass to simplify and strengthen pension plans. Eighty-one percent wanted legislation to increase the contribution limits for individual retirement accounts. Another 67 percent favored private investment of a portion of Social Security funds.

The Alliance for Affordable Services is a non-profit organization representing more than 70,000 members nationwide. It offers a full range of money-saving benefits that helps members drive down the costs of running a business and raising a family. The Alliance also monitors legislative issues in Washington, D.C. on behalf of its members. For more information, call 1-800-733-2242.