Also in subsection (b)(2) of this section, the words "animal or vegetable", which formerly modified "aquatic forms ... of life", are deleted as surplusage, since the provision was intended to include all forms of aquatic life.

In subsection (b)(3) of this section, the former word "wage" is deleted as unnecessary in light of the word "salary". The word "wage" was used improperly since "wage" as defined would include compensation "on a share basis".

Defined term: "Covered employment" § 8-101

8-211. DOMESTIC EMPLOYMENT.

DOMESTIC EMPLOYMENT IN A PRIVATE HOME, LOCAL COLLEGE CLUB, OR LOCAL CHAPTER OF A COLLEGE FRATERNITY OR SORORITY IS NOT COVERED EMPLOYMENT UNLESS DURING ANY CALENDAR QUARTER OF THE CURRENT OR PRECEDING CALENDAR YEAR, THE EMPLOYER PAYS CASH WAGES OF AT LEAST \$1,000 TO INDIVIDUALS PERFORMING THE EMPLOYMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 95A, § 20(g)(7)(vii) and (8)(v).

The former phrase "after December 31, 1977" is deleted as obsolete.

The defined term "wag[e]" is substituted for the former word "remuneration", to conform to terminology used throughout this title.

Defined terms: "Calendar quarter" § 8-101
"Covered employment" § 8-101 "Employer" § 8-101
"Wage" § 8-101

8-212. EMPLOYMENT FOR GOVERNMENT.

(A) FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

EMPLOYMENT IS NOT COVERED EMPLOYMENT IF THE EMPLOYMENT IS PERFORMED FOR THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT OR EXCEPT TO THE EXTENT THAT CONGRESS PERMITS TO BE COVERED, THE EMPLOYMENT IS PERFORMED FOR AN INSTRUMENTALITY OF THE UNITED STATES THAT IS EXEMPT UNDER THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION FROM CONTRIBUTIONS.

(B) FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS.

(1) EMPLOYMENT PERFORMED FOR A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT, INCLUDING EMPLOYMENT AS A CONSULAR OR OTHER OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE OR NONDIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVE, IS NOT COVERED EMPLOYMENT.