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Amendment 2

AMENDMENT NO. 2 Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To require a report on the impacts of the bill on community health centers.

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To improve access to and the quality of primary health care, expand the health workforce, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. MARKEY (for himself and Mr. BRAUN)

Viz:

1 At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following:
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3 **SEC. 2 . REPORT ON IMPACTS TO COMMUNITY HEALTH**
4 **CENTERS.**

5 Not later than 5 years after the date of enactment
6 of this Act, the Secretary of Health and Human Services,
7 acting through the Assistant Secretary for Planning and
8 Evaluation, shall submit to Congress a report on the im-
9 pacts of this title, including the amendments made by this
10 title, on community health centers. Such report shall con-
11 sider—

1 (1) current and projected savings or cost im-
2 pact on the Medicare program under title XVIII of
3 the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395 et seq.), the
4 Medicaid program under title XIX of such Act (42
5 U.S.C. 1396 et seq.), and the Children's Health In-
6 surance Program under title XXI of such Act (42
7 U.S.C. 1397aa et seq.);

8 (2) current and projected changes in access to
9 health care, health outcomes, health literacy, and ac-
10 cess to social care services;

11 (3) current and projected changes in wait and
12 travel times to access primary care services; and

13 (4) contributions to the economies of the com-
14 munities served by community health centers, in-
15 cluding employment opportunities.