

AMENDMENT NO. 2 Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To require the Secretary of Labor to establish a standardized reporting format for the reporting of information on health care claims under group health plans and group health insurance coverage.

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To lower health care costs.

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by _____

Viz:

- 1 Strike section 303 and insert the following:
- 2 **SEC. 303. STANDARDIZED REPORTING FORMAT.**
- 3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year after the
- 4 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Labor shall
- 5 establish a standardized reporting format for the reporting
- 6 of information on health care claims under group health
- 7 plans and group health insurance coverage, and shall pro-
- 8 vide guidance to States on the process by which States
- 9 may collect claim-level information from group health
- 10 plans and health insurance issuers in the standardized re-
- 11 porting format.

1 (b) REQUIREMENT.—The standardized reporting for-
2 mat shall, at a minimum, allow for the collection of infor-
3 mation on medical and prescription drug claims in a man-
4 ner that enables analysis regarding the utilization and
5 prices of health care items and services.

6 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section, the terms “group
7 health plan”, “health insurance coverage”, and “health in-
8 surance issuer” have the meanings given such terms in
9 section 733 of the Employee Retirement Income Security
10 Act of 1974 (29 U.S.C. 1191b).