

Amendment to H.R. 1628 Offered by
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SECTION-BY-SECTION SUMMARY

Page number indicate pages of the Amendment to H.R. 1628 with all Self-Executing Rules Committee Amendments.

Page 1-2. Modifies the underlying legislation’s Patient and State Stability Fund to make available an additional \$8 billion from 2018 to 2023 to States who have applied and been granted a waiver from community rating, as specified by the MacArthur amendment.

Page 2. Directs that the funds be used in “providing assistance to reduce premiums or other out-of-pocket costs” of individuals who may be subject to an increase in their monthly premium rates because they:

- reside in a State with an approved waiver,
- have a pre-existing condition,
- are also uninsured because they have not maintained continuous coverage, and
- purchase health care in the individual market.

Page 2. Resolves two minor technical drafting amendments, including the correction of an inaccurate cross-reference and to ensure proper labeling of subsections.