H. R. 1780

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 26, 2013

Mr. Camp (for himself, Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas, Mr. Brady of Texas, Mr. Nunes, Mr. Boustany, Mr. Schack, and Mr. Roskam) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and House Administration, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

A BILL

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
atives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
SECTION 1. HEALTH PLANS CREATED UNDER PPACA OR OFFERED THROUGH EXCHANGES TO BE ONLY HEALTH PLANS FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MAY MAKE AVAILABLE TO PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT, MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, AND FEDERAL EMPLOYEES.

Section 1312(d)(3)(D) of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (42 U.S.C. 18032(d)(3)(D)) is amended—

(1) in the subparagraph heading, by striking “MEMBERS OF CONGRESS” and inserting “PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT, MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, AND FEDERAL EMPLOYEES”;

(2) in clause (i), in the matter preceding subclause (I)—

(A) by striking “Members of Congress and congressional staff” and inserting “the President, Vice President, Members of Congress, and Federal employees”; and

(B) by striking “a Member of Congress or congressional staff” and inserting “the President, the Vice President, a Member of Congress, or a Federal employee”; and

(3) in clause (ii), by amending subclause (II) to read as follows:
“(II) FEDERAL EMPLOYEE.—The term ‘Federal employee’ means—

“(aa) an ‘employee’, as such term is defined in section 2105 of title 5, United States Code; and

“(bb) includes an individual to whom subsection (c) or (f) of such section 2105 pertains (whether or not such individual satisfies item (aa)).”.

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