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To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to allow children enrolled in the State children's health insurance program to be eligible for benefits under the pediatric vaccine distribution program.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

March 20, 2001

Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. REED, Mrs. MURRAY, and Mrs. BOXER) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

3 SECTION 1. ELIGIBILITY OF CHILDREN ENROLLED IN THE

4 STATE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE
5 PROGRAM FOR THE PEDIATRIC VACCINE DIS6 TRIBUTION PROGRAM.

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1928(b)(2)(B)(ii)(I) of
8 the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1396s(b)(2)(B)(ii)(I))

is amended by inserting "(other than a State child health
 plan under title XXI)" after "policy or plan".

3 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
4 subsection (a) applies with respect to vaccines adminis5 tered on or after the date of the enactment of this Act.