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Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States regarding the right of citizens of the United States to health care of equal high quality.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. JACKSON of Illinois (for himself, Mr. STARK, Ms. CARSON, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. JEFFERSON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. OWENS, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Ms. WATERS, Ms. WATSON, Mr. WATT, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. CLEAVER, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. AL GREEN of Texas) introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States regarding the right of citizens of the United States to health care of equal high quality.

1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*
3 *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein),* That the fol-
4 lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-
5 stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all

1 intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when
2 ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several
3 States:

4 “ARTICLE —

5 “SECTION 1. All persons shall enjoy the right to
6 health care of equal high quality.

7 “SECTION 2. The Congress shall have power to en-
8 force and implement this article by appropriate legisla-
9 tion.”.

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