

113TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2789

To delay enrollment in qualified health plans in State or Federally facilitated Exchanges until 1 year after final rules are published establishing the verification and other procedures to be used to implement section 1411 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and carrying out sections 6055 and 6056 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 23, 2013

Mrs. ELLMERS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Energy and Commerce

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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “DEFECT Act (Delay-
3 ing Enrollment in Federal Exchanges to Certify Trust)
4 of 2013”.

5 **SEC. 2. DELAY ENROLLMENT IN QUALIFIED HEALTH PLANS**
6 **IN STATE OR FEDERALLY FACILITATED EX-**
7 **CHANGES UNTIL 1 YEAR AFTER PUBLICA-**
8 **TION OF RULES ESTABLISHING VERIFICA-**
9 **TION AND OTHER EXCHANGE PROCEDURES**
10 **AND CARRYING OUT COVERAGE REPORTING**
11 **REQUIREMENTS.**

12 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no indi-
13 vidual may be enrolled in a qualified health plan offered
14 through an Exchange under section 1311 or 1321 of the
15 Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (42 U.S.C.
16 18031, 18041) until 1 year after the date that there is
17 published in the Federal Register—

18 (1) a final rule that establishes the verification
19 and other procedures to be used to implement sec-
20 tion 1411 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 18081); and

21 (2) a final rule to carry out sections 6055 and
22 6056 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

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