116TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION H.R.460

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 10, 2019

Mr. GRIFFITH introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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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. FMAP FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FOR FIS-

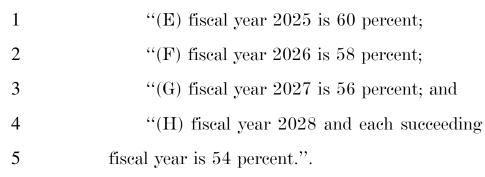
4 CAL YEARS AFTER 2020.

5 Section 1905 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.

6 1396d) is amended—

7 (1) in subsection (b)—

1	(A) by striking ", and (aa)" and inserting
2	", (aa), and (ff)"; and
3	(B) by inserting "for each fiscal year be-
4	fore fiscal year 2021" after "District of Colum-
5	bia shall be 70 percent"; and
6	(2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
7	section:
8	"(ff) FMAP FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FOR FIS-
9	CAL YEARS AFTER 2020.—
10	"(1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding subsection
11	(b), beginning with fiscal year 2021, the Federal
12	medical assistance percentage for the District of Co-
13	lumbia for a fiscal year shall be the higher of the
14	Federal medical assistance percentage otherwise de-
15	termined under subsection (b) for the District of Co-
16	lumbia for such fiscal year or the alternative Federal
17	medical assistance percentage specified in paragraph
18	(2) for such fiscal year.
19	"(2) ALTERNATIVE FMAP.—The alternative
20	Federal medical assistance percentage specified in
21	this paragraph for—
22	"(A) fiscal year 2021 is 68 percent;
23	"(B) fiscal year 2022 is 66 percent;
24	"(C) fiscal year 2023 is 64 percent;
25	"(D) fiscal year 2024 is 62 percent;



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