

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1213, AS REPORTED  
OFFERED BY MS. WATERS OF CALIFORNIA**

In section 1, add at the end the following:

1       (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall  
2 not take effect if the Secretary of Health and Human  
3 Services certifies that a significant number of uninsured  
4 Americans would have difficulty obtaining affordable  
5 health insurance coverage without being able to access an  
6 American Health Benefit Exchange described in section  
7 1311(b) of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act  
8 (42 U.S.C. 18031(b)).

