

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE  
OF A SUBSTITUTE TO S. 2372  
OFFERED BY MR. DAVIDSON OF OHIO**

At the end of title V, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 5 \_\_\_\_ . HEALTH CARE FURNISHED BY DEPARTMENT OF**  
2 **VETERANS AFFAIRS TO MEMBERS OF CON-**  
3 **GRESS.**

4 (a) HEALTH CARE BENEFITS.—Notwithstanding any  
5 other provision of law, beginning January 3, 2019, the  
6 only health care plan that the Federal Government may  
7 make available to Members of Congress with respect to  
8 their service as a Member of Congress shall be health care  
9 provided through the Department of Veterans Affairs, in-  
10 cluding at facilities of the Department and non-Depart-  
11 ment facilities pursuant to chapter 17 of title 38, United  
12 States Code and any other provision of law authorizing  
13 the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to furnish such care to  
14 veterans, as if such Members were veterans.

15 (b) IMPLEMENTATION PLAN.—Not later than Sep-  
16 tember 15, 2018, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs and  
17 the Director of the Office of Personnel Management shall  
18 jointly submit to Congress a plan to carry out subsection  
19 (a), including recommendations for any legislative actions

1 the Secretary and the Director determine necessary to  
2 carry out such subsection.

3 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

4 (1) The term “Member of Congress” means a  
5 member of the Senate or the House of Representa-  
6 tives, a Delegate to the House of Representatives,  
7 and the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico.

8 (2) The term “non-Department facility” has  
9 the meaning given that term in section 1701 of title  
10 38, United States Code.

