

AMENDMENT

OFFERED BY M__ . _____

In section 44121, strike “The Secretary” and insert
“(a) IN GENERAL—The Secretary”.

In section 44121, add at the end the following:

1 (b) **CONDITIONAL EFFECTIVENESS.**—Subsection (a)
2 shall not apply with respect to a State on or after the
3 date on which an adverse event (including death or tem-
4 porary harm) occurs in such State resulting from a level
5 of staffing in a long-term care facility that would not be
6 permitted under the final rule described in such sub-
7 section.

