AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4015
OFFERED BY MS. JACKSON LEE OF TEXAS

At the end of the bill, add the following:

SEC. 10. STUDY ON IMPACT OF MEDICARE REIMBURSEMENT RATES ON DIVERSITY AND AVAILABILITY OF PROVIDERS IN UNDERSERVED AREAS.

The Secretary of Health and Human Services shall conduct a study on the impact of reimbursement rates under the Medicare program under title XVIII of the Social Security Act on the diversity and availability of physicians and hospitals in underserved areas in both rural and urban communities.