

**AMENDMENT TO S. CON. RES. 3**

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Add at the end of section 2002 the following:

1           (d) CERTIFICATIONS TO PROTECT MEDICAID CER-  
2 TIFICATION.—In carrying out subsections (a) and (b), the  
3 committees named in such subsections should submit  
4 changes in laws that would ensure that a certification shall  
5 be prescribed that it shall not be in order to consider any  
6 legislation that would decrease Medicaid payments or  
7 beneficiaries, and should ensure that—

8           (1) certifies that there is an adequate level of  
9 access to pediatricians, pediatric specialists (includ-  
10 ing pediatric mental health specialists), and pediatric  
11 sub-specialists for targeted low-income children cov-  
12 ered under the healthcare replacement plan;

13           (2) certifies that access to providers will not be  
14 harmed under the healthcare replacement plan; and

15           (3) certifies that Medicaid expansion in ref-  
16 erence to the Affordable Care Act will not be  
17 harmed in healthcare replace plan.

