

**AMENDMENT TO DIVISION A OF
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-17
OFFERED BY MS. SEWELL OF ALABAMA**

Page 116, after line 20, insert the following new section:

1 SEC. _____. (a) Not later than 180 days after the
2 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Health
3 and Human Services shall submit to Congress a report
4 that includes—

5 (1) the health and economic consequences of trans-
6 portation barriers relating to accessing health care (in-
7 cluding patient access to a vehicle or public transpor-
8 tation, the cost of transportation, and the distance to a
9 health care provider); and

10 (2) an assessment of the benefits of non-emergency
11 medical transportation.

12 (b) Not later than September 30, 2020, the Secretary
13 of Health and Human Services shall submit to Congress
14 a recommendation as to how to modernize the non-emer-
15 gency medical transportation brokerage program referred
16 to in section 1902(a)(70) of the Social Security Act (42
17 U.S.C. 1396a(a)(70)) and how to provide coverage under

1 title XVIII of such Act of services provided under such
2 a program.

