AMENDMENT TO H.R. 7900 OFFERED BY Ms. SPEIER OF CALIFORNIA

At the appropriate place in title VII, insert the following new section:

1	SEC. 7 TEMPORARY REQUIREMENT FOR CONTRACEP-
2	TION COVERAGE PARITY UNDER THE
3	TRICARE PROGRAM.
4	(a) In General.—The Secretary of Defense shall
5	ensure that, during the one-year period beginning on the
6	date that is 30 days after the date of the enactment of
7	the Act, the imposition or collection of cost-sharing for
8	certain services is prohibited as follows:
9	(1) Pharmacy benefits program.—Notwith-
10	standing subparagraphs (A), (B), and (C), of section
11	1074g(a)(6) of title 10, United States Code, cost-
12	sharing may not be imposed or collected with respect
13	to any eligible covered beneficiary for any prescrip-
14	tion contraceptive on the uniform formulary pro-
15	vided through a retail pharmacy described in section
16	1074(a)(2)(E)(ii) of such title or through the na-
17	tional mail-order pharmacy program of the
18	TRICARE Program.

1	(2) TRICARE SELECT.—Notwithstanding any
2	provision under section 1075 of title 10, United
3	States Code, cost-sharing may not be imposed or
4	collected with respect to any beneficiary under such
5	section for a covered service that is provided by a
6	network provider under the TRICARE program.
7	(3) TRICARE PRIME.—Notwithstanding sub-
8	sections (a), (b), and (c) of section 1075a of title 10,
9	United States Code, cost-sharing may not be im-
10	posed or collected with respect to any beneficiary
11	under such section for a covered service that is pro-
12	vided under TRICARE Prime.
13	(b) Definitions.—In this section:
14	(1) The term "covered service" means any
15	method of contraception approved by the Food and
16	Drug Administration, any contraceptive care (includ-
17	ing with respect to insertion, removal, and follow
18	up), any sterilization procedure, or any patient edu-
19	cation or counseling service provided in connection
20	with any such method, care, or procedure.
21	(2) The term "eligible covered beneficiary" has
22	the meaning given such term in section 1074g of
23	title 10, United States Code.
24	(3) The terms "TRICARE Program" and
25	"TRICARE Prime" have the meaning given such

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- 1 terms in section 1072 of title 10, United States
- 2 Code.

