

Amendment to the Chairman's Mark

Offered by Representative Chu

Hands Off the Affordable Care Act

1. At the end of Title IV, add the following:

“SEC. 409. POINT OF ORDER AGAINST LEGISLATION THAT WOULD CUT THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT

- (a) Point of Order. — It shall not be in order in the House to consider any bill, joint resolution, motion, amendment, amendment between the Houses, or conference report that reduces enrollment or benefits for individuals enrolled in the Affordable Care Act exchanges under title I, subtitle D of the Affordable Care Act.
- (b) Waiver and Appeal. — Subsection (a) may be waived or suspended in the House only by an affirmative vote of three-fifths of the Members, duly chosen and sworn. An affirmative vote of three-fifths of the Members of the House, duly chosen and sworn, shall be required to sustain an appeal of the ruling of the Chair on a point of order raised under subsection (a).”.