

THE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE

MEMORANDUM

April 1, 2014

To: Energy and Commerce Committee Members

From: Majority Committee Staff

Re: Full Committee Markup on April 3

On Thursday, April 3, 2014, the Committee on Energy and Commerce will hold a markup of public health legislation. The Committee will convene at 4:00 p.m. in 2123 Rayburn House Office Building. In keeping with the announced policy, Members must submit any amendments they may have at least two hours before they are offered during this markup by email to <u>Peter.Kielty@mail.house.gov</u>. Any information with respect to an amendment's parliamentary standing (e.g., its germaneness) should be submitted at this time as well.

I. <u>LEGISLATION</u>

The Subcommittee will consider the bills detailed below, which were approved by the Subcommittee on Health on February 27, 2014.

A. H.R. 3548, Improving Trauma Care Act of 2013, as amended

The bill would amend the Public Health Service Act to improve the definition of trauma by including injuries caused by thermal, electrical, chemical or radioactive force. These are injuries commonly treated by burn centers.

B. H.R. 4080, Trauma Systems and Regionalization of Emergency Care Reauthorization Act, as amended

The bill would reauthorize Trauma Care Systems Planning Grants, which support State and rural development of trauma systems. It also would reauthorize pilot projects to implement and assess regionalized emergency care models.

C. H.R. 1281, Newborn Screening Saves Lives Reauthorization Act of 2013

The bill would reauthorize the Newborn Screening Saves Lives Act of 2008 to continue Federal activities that assist States in improving their newborn screening programs, supporting parent and provider newborn screening education, and ensuring laboratory quality and surveillance. In addition, the bill would continue research at the National Institutes of Health on newborn screening. Majority Memorandum for the April 3, 2014, Full Committee Markup Page 2

D. H.R. 1528, Veterinary Medicine Mobility Act of 2013, as amended

The bill would amend the Controlled Substances Act to clarify that a veterinarian who has registered with the Drug Enforcement Administration may transport, administer, and dispense controlled substances at a site other than the principal place of business or professional practice, in the regular course of veterinary practice, without having to obtain separate registrations for each activity.

II. <u>CONCLUSION</u>

Should you have any questions regarding the markup, please contact Brenda Destro, Katie Novaria, Robert Horne, Carly McWilliams, or John Stone at 202-225-2927.