

**AMENDMENT**

**OFFERED BY M**      . \_\_\_\_\_

Add at the end of subtitle B the following:

1 **SEC. \_\_\_\_ . PROTECTING LONG-TERM CARE AND NURSING**  
2 **HOME CARE.**

3 The provisions of this subtitle, subtitle C, and section  
4 103 (including amendments made by such provisions)  
5 shall not take affect if any State certifies that such provi-  
6 sions will result in decreases in coverage under the State  
7 plan under title XIX of the Social Security Act of long-  
8 term care or nursing home care.

