

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 4421
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Page 26, after line 12, add the following:

1 **SEC. 114. EXTENDED EXPIRATION DATES FOR LIFE-SAVING**
2 **DRUGS.**

3 (a) DATA AND INFORMATION.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—If the Secretary of Health
5 and Human Services (in this section referred to as
6 the “Secretary”) determines that it would support
7 public health security and all-hazards preparedness
8 and response during times of insecurity due to inter-
9 national threats and other public health emergencies,
10 the Secretary may issue an order requiring the man-
11 ufacturer of a life-saving drug to submit, in such
12 manner as the Secretary may prescribe, data and in-
13 formation from any stage of development of the drug
14 that are adequate to assess the stability of the drug
15 to determine the longest supported expiration date.

16 (2) LACK OF DATA AND INFORMATION.—If the
17 data and information required pursuant to an order
18 issued under paragraph (1) are not available or are

1 insufficient, as determined by the Secretary, the Sec-
2 retary may issue an order requiring the manufac-
3 turer of the drug—

4 (A) to conduct studies, which may be a
5 continuation of ongoing studies, to provide data
6 and information adequate to assess the stability
7 of the drug and to determine the longest sup-
8 ported expiration date; and

9 (B) to submit such data and information
10 to the Secretary in such manner as the Sec-
11 retary may prescribe in the order.

12 (b) LABELING.—If the Secretary determines that it
13 would support public health security and all-hazards pre-
14 paredness and response during times of insecurity due to
15 international threats and other public health emergencies,
16 the Secretary may issue an order requiring the manufac-
17 turer of a life-saving drug, by a date determined by the
18 Secretary in consultation with the sponsor of the drug,
19 to make any labeling change regarding the expiration date
20 or storage and handling of the drug that the Secretary
21 determines to be appropriate based on the data and infor-
22 mation required to be submitted under this section or any
23 other data and information available to the Secretary.

24 (c) CONFIDENTIALITY.—Nothing in this section shall
25 be construed as authorizing the Secretary to disclose any

1 information that is a trade secret or confidential informa-
2 tion subject to section 552(b)(4) of title 5, United States
3 Code, or section 1905 of title 18, United States Code.

4 (d) PENALTIES.—If a manufacturer of a life-saving
5 drug fails to submit data and information as required
6 under subsection (a)(1), fails to conduct or submit the
7 data and information generated by studies as required
8 under subsection (a)(2), or fails to make a labeling change
9 as required under subsection (b), such manufacturer shall
10 be subject to a civil penalty of not more than \$10,000 for
11 the first day on which the violation occurs and not more
12 than \$10,000 for each subsequent day on which the viola-
13 tion is not corrected.

14 (e) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

15 (1) DRUG.—The term “drug” has the meaning
16 given such term in section 201 of the Federal Food,
17 Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 301).

18 (2) LIFE-SAVING DRUG.—The term “life-saving
19 drug” means a drug, that is—

20 (A)(i) a medical countermeasure; or

21 (ii) on the drug shortage list under section
22 506E of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic
23 Act (21 U.S.C. 356e) or determined by the Sec-
24 retary to be at risk of shortage; and

25 (B)(i) life-supporting;

1 (ii) life-sustaining; or

2 (iii) intended for use in the prevention or
3 treatment of a debilitating disease or condition
4 in humans or animals, including any such drug
5 used in emergency medical care or during sur-
6 gery or any such drug that is critical to the
7 public health during a public health emergency
8 declared by the Secretary under section 319 of
9 the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C.
10 247d).

11 (3) MEDICAL COUNTERMEASURE.—The term
12 “medical countermeasure” means a countermeasure
13 as defined in section 565(a) of the Federal Food,
14 Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 360bbb–4).

