AMENDMENT

OFFERED BY M__. _____

Add at the end the following:

1 **SEC. ___. CONDITIONAL EFFECTIVENESS.**

2   This subtitle (and the amendments made by this sub-

3 title) shall be made effective only if the Director of the

4 Congressional Budget Office certifies to Congress that

5 none of the provisions of this subtitle would have the effect

6 of increasing cost-sharing under the Medicare program

7 under title XVIII of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.

8 1395 et seq.) or under a State plan (or waiver of such

9 plan) under title XIX of the Social Security Act (42

10 U.S.C. 1396 et seq.) for an individual over 65 years of

11 age enrolled in such Medicare program and such a State

12 plan (or waiver of such plan) relative to the cost-sharing

13 for which, as of the day before the date of the enactment

14 of this Act, such individual was responsible under such

15 Medicare program or such a State plan (or waiver of such

16 plan).

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