

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 740
OFFERED BY Ms . Dexter**

Page 13, line 13, strike “and”.

Page 13, after line 13, insert the following:

1 (3) to allow veterans to compare the average
2 wait times for appointments at Department facilities
3 and appointment at non-Department providers
4 through which the Secretary furnishes care and serv-
5 ices under section 1703 of title 38, United States
6 Code, for the type of hospital care, medical service,
7 or extended care service sought by the veteran;

8 (4) to allow veterans to compare the average
9 driving times between—

10 (A) the residence of the veteran and the
11 nearest Department facility that provides the
12 type of hospital care, medical service, or ex-
13 tended care service sought by the veteran; and

14 (B) the residence of the veteran and the
15 closest non-Department providers through
16 which the Secretary furnishes care and services
17 under section 1703 of title 38, United States

1 Code, that provide the type of hospital care,
2 medical service, or extended care service sought
3 by the veteran; and

Page 13, line 14, strike “(3)” and insert “(5)”.

