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116TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

M. \_\_\_\_\_ introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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# A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Patient Access Protec-  
5 tion Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF REDUCTIONS IN MEDICAID DSH ALLOT-**  
2 **MENTS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1923(f) of the Social Se-  
4 curity Act (42 U.S.C. 1396r–4(f)) is amended—

5 (1) by striking paragraphs (7) and (8); and

6 (2) by redesignating paragraph (9) as para-  
7 graph (7).

8 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Section 1923(f) of  
9 the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1396r–4(f)), as amend-  
10 ed by subsection (a), is further amended—

11 (1) in paragraph (1), by striking “paragraphs  
12 (2), (3), and (7)” and inserting “paragraphs (2) and  
13 (3)”; and

14 (2) in paragraph (3)(A), by striking “para-  
15 graphs (6), (7), and (8)” and inserting “paragraph  
16 (6)”.