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S. 3120

To apply the provisions of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to Congressional members and members of the executive branch.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. VITTER introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

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. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CERTAIN**
4 **CONGRESSIONAL MEMBERS AND MEMBERS**
5 **OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding section
7 1312(d)(3)(D) of the Patient Protection and Affordable
8 Care Act (42 U.S.C. 18032(d)(3)(D)), Members of Con-
9 gress, the President, and Vice President shall purchase
10 health insurance coverage through a health insurance ex-

1 change established under such Act to enable an individual
2 to directly enroll in a qualified health plan and shall not
3 be eligible to receive any Federal subsidy or contribution
4 to the costs of such coverage through congressional dis-
5 bursing offices or the Office of Personnel Management
6 (through the Federal Employee Health Benefit Plan), or
7 through tax credits administered by the Internal Revenue
8 Service, unless such a subsidy or contribution is also oth-
9 erwise available to individuals at a similar income level.

10 (b) DEFINITION.—In this section the term “Member
11 of Congress” shall have the meaning given such term in
12 section 1312(d)(3)(D)(ii)(I) of the Patient Protection and
13 Affordable Care Act (42 U.S.C. 18032(d)(3)(D)(ii)(I)).

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