

107TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 5471

To extend Federal funding for operation of State high risk health insurance pools.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 26, 2002

Mr. TOWNS (for himself, Mr. PHELPS, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. SANDLIN, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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 “State High Risk Pool
5 Funding Extension Act of 2002”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF FUNDING FOR OPERATION OF**
2 **STATE HIGH RISK HEALTH INSURANCE**
3 **POOLS.**

4 Section 2745(c)(2) of the Public Health Service Act,
5 as inserted by section 201 of the Trade Act of 2002 (Pub-
6 lic Law 107–210), is amended by striking “\$40,000,000
7 for each of fiscal years 2003 and 2004” and inserting
8 “\$40,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2003 through
9 2009”.

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