

The Healthcare Reform Act

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

1 **SECTION 1.** The United States shall hereby reform its healthcare system in the following
2 ways to expand healthcare access:

3 A. A public option healthcare system shall be established to increase
4 healthcare coverage

5 B. 1 billion dollars shall hereby be provided to rural areas to invest in
6 hospital and medical infrastructure

7 **SECTION 2.** The following definitions apply:

8 A. “Public option” A public option insurance program shall be defined
9 as a government-run healthcare plan that would compete against
10 private insurers in individual market exchanges.

11 B. “Hospital and medical infrastructure” will be defined as any resource
12 that is necessary to the operation of a hospital, such as medical
13 personnel, medicines, buildings, vehicles, and any other measure that is
14 designed to bolster healthcare accessibility.

15 **SECTION 3.** The United States Department of Health and Human Services shall be
16 tasked with the enforcement of this legislation.

17 A. A premium of \$200 per month shall be established for the public
18 option

19 **SECTION 4.** This legislation shall take effect in fiscal year 2026. All laws in conflict with
20 this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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