

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1173
OFFERED BY MR. PALLONE OF NEW JERSEY

At the end of the bill, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 3. OPPORTUNITY FOR THE CLASS INDEPENDENCE AD-**
2 **VISORY COUNCIL TO MEET AND RESPOND TO**
3 **HHS REPORT.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 2 shall not take effect
5 until the date that is 90 days after the Secretary of Health
6 and Human Services certifies to the Congress that all of
7 the following conditions are met:

8 (1) Members of the CLASS Independence Advi-
9 sory Council are appointed by the President, as re-
10 quired by section 3207(b)(1) of the Public Health
11 Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300ll–6(b)(1)).

12 (2) Such Council has conducted at least one
13 meeting.

14 (3) Such Council submits to the Secretary of
15 Health and Human Services and the Congress a re-
16 port that contains recommendations of the Council
17 that respond to the concerns raised in the report of
18 the Department of Health and Human Services enti-
19 tled “A Report on the Actuarial, Marketing, and

1 Legal Analyses of the CLASS Program” (October
2 2011).

3 (4) After submission of such report to the Con-
4 gress, Federal legislation is enacted addressing such
5 concerns.

6 (5) The Secretary of Health and Human Serv-
7 ices is implementing a national voluntary insurance
8 program for purchasing community living assistance
9 services and supports pursuant to such legislation.

10 (b) DEFINITION.—In this section, the term “CLASS
11 Independence Advisory Council” means the CLASS Inde-
12 pendence Advisory Council created under section 3207(a)
13 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300ll–6(a)).

