AMENDMENT NO. Calendar No.

Purpose: To prohibit the Department of the Health and Human Services from potentially gutting welfare reform and undermining critical Federal work requirements under the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families programs.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES-113th Cong., 1st Sess.

H.R.933

Making appropriations for the Department of Defense, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and other departments and agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on ______ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. HATCH (for himself, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. ENZI, and Mr. CORNYN)

Viz:

1 At the appropriate place, insert the following:

2 SEC. ____. PROHIBITION ON FUNDING.

3 None of the funds made available in this Act may

4 be used by the Secretary of Health and Human Services

5 to do the following:

6 (1) Finalize, implement, enforce, or otherwise
7 take any action to give effect to the Information
8 Memorandum dated July 12, 2012 (Transmittal No.

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1 TANF-ACF-IM-2012-03), or to any administrative 2 action relating to the same subject matter set forth 3 in the Information Memorandum or that reflects the 4 same or similar policies as those set forth in the In-5 formation Memorandum.

6 (2) Authorize, approve, renew, modify, or ex-7 tend any experimental, pilot, or demonstration 8 project under section 1115 of the Social Security 9 Act (42 U.S.C. 1315) that waives compliance with 10 a requirement of section 407 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 11 607) through a waiver of section 402 of such Act 12 (42 U.S.C. 602) or that provides authority for an 13 expenditure which would not otherwise be an allow-14 able use of funds under a State program funded 15 under part A of title IV of such Act (42 U.S.C. 601 16 et seq.) with respect to compliance with the work re-17 quirements in section 407 of such Act to be re-18 garded as an allowable use of funds under that pro-19 gram for any period.