

116TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 7647

To provide for a COVID–19-related delay regarding annual limitation on cost-sharing for group health plans and individual and small group health insurance coverage.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 16, 2020

Mr. MCEACHIN (for himself, Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois, and Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. COVID-19-RELATED DELAY REGARDING AN-**  
2 **NUAL LIMITATION ON COST-SHARING FOR**  
3 **GROUP HEALTH PLANS AND INDIVIDUAL AND**  
4 **SMALL GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE COV-**  
5 **ERAGE.**

6 For a plan or policy year that begins on or after Jan-  
7 uary 1, 2020, and prior to the first calendar year that  
8 begins on or after the date that is twelve months after  
9 the end of the public health emergency first declared by  
10 the Secretary of Health and Human Services on January  
11 27, 2020, with respect to the 2019 Novel Coronavirus—

12 (1) section 156.130(h) of title 45, Code of Fed-  
13 eral Regulations, as published in the Federal Reg-  
14 ister on May 14, 2020, shall not apply; and

15 (2) with respect to a group health plan or an  
16 issuer of individual or small group health insurance  
17 coverage (as such terms are defined in section 2791  
18 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300gg-  
19 91)), the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of  
20 Labor, and the Secretary of Health and Human  
21 Services shall enforce section 156.130(h) of title 45,  
22 Code of Federal Regulations, as published in the  
23 Federal Register on April 25, 2019, and in effect on  
24 October 1, 2019.

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