

106TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2556

To make technical amendments to the Medicare, Medicaid, and SCHIP Balanced Budget Refinement Act of 1999 regarding the implementation of the per diem prospective payment system for psychiatric hospitals.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 15, 2000

Mr. MACK (for himself and Mr. BREAUX) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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. TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE BBRA.**

4 (a) PER DIEM PROSPECTIVE PAYMENT SYSTEM FOR

5 PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALS.—Section 124 of the Medicare,

6 Medicaid, and SCHIP Balanced Budget Refinement Act

7 of 1999 (113 Stat. 1501A–332), as enacted into law by

8 section 1000(a)(6) of Public Law 106–113, is amended—

5 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
6 subsection (a) shall take effect as if included in the enact-
7 ment of section 124 of the Medicare, Medicaid, and
8 SCHIP Balanced Budget Refinement Act of 1999 (113
9 Stat. 1501A–332), as enacted into law by section
10 1000(a)(6) of Public Law 106–113.

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