

108TH CONGRESS
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S. 336

To amend title 10, United States Code, to expand reimbursement for travel expenses of covered beneficiaries for specialty care in order to cover specialized dental care.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 10, 2003

Mr. DOMENICI introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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. REIMBURSEMENT OF COVERED BENE-**
4 **FICIARIES FOR CERTAIN TRAVEL EXPENSES**
5 **RELATING TO SPECIALIZED DENTAL CARE.**

6 Section 1074i of title 10, United States Code, is
7 amended—

8 (1) by inserting “(a) IN GENERAL.—” before
9 “In any case”; and

1 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
2 section:

3 “(b) SPECIALTY CARE PROVIDERS.—For purposes of
4 subsection (a), the term ‘specialty care provider’ includes
5 a dental specialist (including an oral surgeon, ortho-
6 dontist, prosthodontist, periodontist, endodontist, or pedi-
7 atric dentist).”.

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