

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5658, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. GENE GREEN OF TEXAS**

Add at the end of subtitle A of title VII the following:

1 **SEC. 708. REQUIREMENT FOR TRICARE PROGRAM REIM-**
2 **BURSEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL PROVIDERS**
3 **OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO BE IDEN-**
4 **TICAL TO REIMBURSEMENT UNDER MEDI-**
5 **CARE.**

6 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Section 1079(j)(2) of title 10,
7 United States Code, is amended by striking “determined
8 to the extent practicable in accordance with the same re-
9 imbursement rules as apply to payments to” and inserting
10 “identical to the amount of payments that would be paid
11 to”.

12 (b) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendment made by
13 subsection (a) shall take effect on October 1, 2008, and
14 shall apply to determination of payment amounts for serv-
15 ices provided on or after such date.

