

107TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 4452

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a 5-year extension of the authorization for appropriations for certain Medicare rural grants.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 16, 2002

Mr. WATKINS of Oklahoma (for himself and Mr. POMEROY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

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. FIVE-YEAR EXTENSION OF THE AUTHORIZA-**
4 **TION FOR APPROPRIATIONS FOR CERTAIN**
5 **MEDICARE RURAL GRANTS.**

6 Section 1820(j) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
7 1395i-4(j)) is amended by striking “subsection (g)” and
8 all that follows and inserting “subsection (g)—

1 “(1) \$25,000,000 in each of the fiscal years
2 1998 through 2002; and

3 “(2) \$40,000,000 in each of the fiscal years
4 2003 through 2007.”.

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