

111<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# S. 3094

To allow individuals to elect to opt out of the Medicare part A benefits.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 9, 2010

Mr. BUNNING introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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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,*

3       **SECTION 1. ALLOWING INDIVIDUALS TO ELECT TO OPT**  
4       **OUT OF THE MEDICARE PART A BENEFIT.**

5       Notwithstanding any other provision of law, in the  
6 case of an individual who elects to opt out of benefits  
7 under part A of title XVIII of the Social Security Act,  
8 such individual shall not be required to—

9               (1) opt out of benefits under title II of such Act  
10       as a condition for making such election; and

1           (2) repay any amount paid under such part A  
2           for items and services furnished prior to making  
3           such election.

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