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H. R. 1375

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for transparency of Medicare secondary payer reporting information, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 26, 2019

Mr. KIND (for himself and Mr. BILIRAKIS) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Provide Accurate In-
5 formation Directly Act” or “PAID Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. TRANSPARENCY OF MEDICARE SECONDARY PAYER**
2 **REPORTING INFORMATION.**

3 Section 1862(b)(8)(G) of the Social Security Act (42
4 U.S.C. 395y(b)(8)(G)) is amended—

5 (1) by striking “INFORMATION.—The Sec-
6 retary” and inserting “INFORMATION.—

7 “(i) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary”;

8 and

9 (2) by adding at the end the following new
10 clause:

11 “(ii) SPECIFIED INFORMATION.—In
12 responding to any query related to sub-
13 paragraph (A)(i), the Secretary, notwith-
14 standing any other provision of law,
15 shall—

16 “(I) identify to the applicable
17 plan whether a claimant subject to the
18 query is, or during the preceding 3-
19 year period has been, entitled to bene-
20 fits under the program under this title
21 on any basis; and

22 “(II) to the extent applicable,
23 identify by plan name and address
24 any Medicare Advantage plan under
25 part C and any prescription drug plan
26 under part D in which the claimant is

1 enrolled or has been enrolled during
2 such period.”.

3 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

4 The amendments made by section 2 shall apply with
5 respect to queries submitted on or after the date that is
6 one year after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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