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ObamaCare Forces Taxpayers to Fund Abortions

Dear Colleague,

I have grown increasingly frustrated by this Administration's repeated efforts to not only advance a radical pro-choice agenda, but to ensure that it is advanced by taxpayer dollars - specifically through the implementation of the exchanges included in ObamaCare.

These multi-state exchanges, required by ObamaCare to be in place by January 1, 2014, will be administered by the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) and are designed to be similar to the Federal Employee Health Benefits Program (FEHBP). While FEHBP is prohibited from covering abortions, current law states that OPM is required to ensure that one of the multi-state plans does not include abortion coverage, **but there is no prohibition in other multi-state plans.** In yet another gross overreach of federal power that has come to define this administration, OPM has been given license for a profound departure from current policy, and it must be stopped.

To guarantee that taxpayers are not forced to subsidize abortion coverage, I have introduced H.R. 346, the SAFE (Stop Abortion Funding in Multi-state Exchanges) Act. This bill would amend the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act to make clear that **NO** plans administered by OPM may cover abortions.

If you would like more information or to cosponsor, please contact Tara Morgan at 5-4306 or Tara.Morgan@mail.house.gov.

Sincerely,

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