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AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To prohibit the use of funds appropriated or otherwise made available under this Act to interfere with the ability of veterans to participate in medicinal marijuana programs approved by States or deny services to such veterans.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—114th Cong., 2d Sess.

S. _____

Making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. DAINES (for himself and Mr. MERKLEY)

Viz:

- 1 At the end of title II, add the following:
- 2 SEC. 247. None of the funds appropriated or other-
- 3 wise made available to the Department of Veterans Affairs
- 4 in this Act may be used in a manner that would—
- 5 (1) interfere with the ability of a veteran to
- 6 participate in a medicinal marijuana program ap-
- 7 proved by a State;

1 (2) deny any services from the Department to
2 a veteran who is participating in such a program; or

3 (3) limit or interfere with the ability of a health
4 care provider of the Department to make appro-
5 priate recommendations, fill out forms, or take steps
6 to comply with such a program.