

**KYL AMENDMENT #C14**

**America's Healthy Future Act of 2009**

Short Title: Clarification that legal immigrants must reside in the U.S. for at least five years in order to be eligible for the tax credit available through the state exchanges.

Description of Amendment: Under current law, legal immigrants are barred from receiving federal Medicaid coverage until they have lived in the U.S. for at least five years. This amendment would clarify that legal immigrants will be eligible for the tax credit provided for in the chairman's mark only after they have lived in the U.S. for five years as well.