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To delay the implementation of the health reform law in the United States until there is final resolution in pending lawsuits.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mrs. HUTCHISON (for herself, Mr. COBURN, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. JOHANNES, Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, Mr. KYL, Mr. MORAN, Mr. RISCH, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. COATS, Mr. BLUNT, and Mr. CORNYN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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 “Save Our States Act”.

5 **SEC. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE OF PPACA.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
7 sion of law, the provisions of the Patient Protection and
8 Affordable Care Act (Public Law 111–148) and the

1 Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010
2 (Public Law 111–152), including the amendments made
3 by such Acts, that are not in effect on the date of enact-
4 ment of this Act shall not be in effect until the date on
5 which final judgment is entered in all cases challenging
6 the constitutionality of the requirement to maintain min-
7 imum essential coverage under section 5000A of the Inter-
8 nal Revenue Code of 1986 that are pending before a Fed-
9 eral court on the date of enactment of this Act.

10 (b) PROMULGATION OF REGULATIONS.—Notwith-
11 standing any other provision of law, the Federal Govern-
12 ment shall not promulgate regulations under the Patient
13 Protection and Affordable Care Act (Public Law 111–
14 148) or the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act
15 of 2010 (Public Law 111–152), including the amendments
16 made by such Acts, or otherwise prepare to implement
17 such Acts (or amendments made by such Acts), until the
18 date on which final judgment is entered in all cases chal-
19 lenging the constitutionality of the requirement to main-
20 tain minimum essential coverage under section 5000A of
21 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that are pending be-
22 fore a Federal court on the date of enactment of this Act.

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