

By Senator Garcia

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Senate Memorial

A memorial to the Congress of the United States,
urging Congress to repeal the Patient Protection and
Affordable Care Act signed into law by President Obama
in 2010.

WHEREAS, the health insurance mandate within the Patient
Protection and Affordable Care Act is a form of government
interference in the free market and an all-out assault on
personal liberties, and

WHEREAS, the mandate for individuals to purchase health
insurance exceeds the scope and authority of Congress, and

WHEREAS, as the United States economy continues to struggle
and the unemployment rate holds steadfast at alarming
percentages, the employer mandate to provide health insurance to
employees will raise the cost of hiring new employees and have
an adverse effect on the state of our economy, and

WHEREAS, as the cost of employing workers rises, it will
become increasingly vital that employers get more production out
of their more highly paid employees, which will lead to higher
and more sustained unemployment for the lower skilled workforce,
NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

That the Florida Legislature urges the United States
Congress to repeal the Patient Protection and Affordable Care
Act signed into law by President Obama in 2010.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be

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30 dispatched to the President of the United States, to the
31 President of the United States Senate, to the Speaker of the
32 United States House of Representatives, and to each member of
33 the Florida delegation to the United States Congress.