

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 3962
OFFERED BY MR. STEARNS OF FLORIDA

Add at the end of section 302 the following:

1 (i) **CITIZENSHIP STATUS IDENTIFICATION.**—No indi-
2 vidual shall be an Exchange-eligible individual unless the
3 individual—

4 (1) is a citizen or national of the United States
5 or is lawfully present in a State in the United States
6 (other than as a nonimmigrant described in a sub-
7 paragraph (excluding subparagraphs (K), (T), (U),
8 and (V)) of section 101(a)(15) of the Immigration
9 and Nationality Act); and

10 (2) presents to the Commissioner (or the Com-
11 missioner's designee)—

12 (A) in the case of a citizen or national of
13 the United States, satisfactory documentary
14 evidence of citizenship or nationality (as defined
15 in section 1903(x)(3)(A) of the Social Security
16 Act); or

17 (B) in the case of an alien, similar satis-
18 factory documentary evidence of lawful status
19 in the United States (as identified by the Com-
20 missioner consistent with the application of

1 rules similar to that applied under section 1137
2 of the Social Security Act).

