

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To clarify that section 14 shall not apply to an invention that is a computer program product or system used solely for preparing a tax or information return or other tax filing.

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To amend title 35, United States Code, to provide for patent reform.

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. BAUCUS (for
himself and Mr. GRASSLEY)

Viz:

1 On page 94, between lines 22 and 23, insert the fol-
2 lowing:

3 (e) EXCLUSION.—This section shall not apply to that
4 part of an invention that is a method, apparatus, com-
5 puter program product or system used solely for preparing
6 a tax or information return or other tax filing, including
7 one that records, transmits, transfers or organizes data
8 related to such filing.