111TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

S. 1204

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

June 8, 2009

Mrs. Murray introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

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 "Chiropractic Care
- 5 Available to All Veterans Act of 2009".

SEC. 2. PROGRAM FOR PROVISION OF CHIROPRACTIC 2 CARE AND SERVICES TO VETERANS. 3 Section 204(c) of the Department of Veterans Affairs Health Care Programs Enhancement Act of 2001 (Public 5 Law 107–135; 38 U.S.C. 1710 note) is amended— (1) by inserting "(1)" before "The program"; 6 7 and 8 (2) by adding at the end the following new 9 paragraph: 10 "(2) The program shall be carried out at not fewer than 75 medical centers by not later than December 31, 11 2009, and at all medical centers by not later than Decem-

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13 ber 31, 2011.".