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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2885

OFFERED BY Mr. Nadler
and Ms. Lofgren

Add, at the end of the bill, the following:

1 **SEC. 12. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2 Notwithstanding any other provision in this section,
3 this Act and the amendments made by this Act shall not
4 take effect (and any references in any amendments made
5 by section 2 to the date of enactment of this Act shall
6 be deemed to be references to the effective date of this
7 Act) if the average processing time for adjudicating Social
8 Security disability insurance benefit applications, over a
9 12-month period, exceeds—

- 10 (1) 100 days with respect to initial applications;
- 11 (2) 100 days with respect to reconsideration de-
- 12 cisions; or
- 13 (3) 270 days with respect to hearing decisions.

