

H.C.R. 17

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CALLING ON CONGRESS TO DEVELOP A RESPONSIBLE MONETARY POLICY

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 2

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Senator **Lincoln Fillmore** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 48 through 55:*

48 { ~~WHEREAS, ignoring the Simpson-Bowles plan, Washington chose to sacrifice~~
49 ~~"continued prosperity" for even more debt and more spending;~~ }

50 WHEREAS, the National Journal noted in 2012, "Hardly a day goes by in Congress . . .
51 without some lawmaker extolling Simpson-Bowles as the kind of potent fiscal medicine
52 Americans must swallow if the country is to fix its debt and deficit problems, reform
53 government, and revive the economy.";

54 { ~~WHEREAS, diagnosed with fiscal cancer, Washington simply inserted an IV drip line~~
55 ~~of monetary morphine;~~ }

2. *Page 3, Lines 62 through 63:*

62 WHEREAS, { ~~despite these warnings,~~ } Washington has ignored { ~~its inner Jiminy~~
~~Cricket,~~
63 ~~opting for more everlasting burnings of an inevitable debt hell~~ } these repeated warnings ;