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Facts on Graham Cassidy No-Repeal Bill

The Senate plans to hold a vote this week on the Graham-Cassidy bill to repeal the Affordable Care Act. There’s just one problem. It does not repeal the Affordable Care Act. It does not repeal Obamacare coverage. It doesn’t repeal the Obamacare exchanges. It doesn’t repeal the individual mandate, the employer mandate or the penalties. It only reduces the penalties to zero – but the mandates and penalties stay in law. Another Congress can simply raise the penalties even higher than they are today.

It doesn’t repeal the costly government requirements for insurance companies. It doesn't repeal federal control. It keeps most of the taxes and 90 percent of the spending the Democrats and President Obama put in place. This is not a repeal. This is the Republicanized Affordable Care Act. Just vote not.
