

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 6084
OFFERED BY MR. BRADY OF TEXAS**

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the “Improving Social Secu-
3 rity’s Service to Victims of Identity Theft Act”.

**4 SEC. 2. SINGLE POINT OF CONTACT FOR IDENTITY THEFT
5 VICTIMS.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Title VII of the Social Security
7 Act (42 U.S.C. 901 et seq.) is amended by adding at the
8 end the following:

**9 “SECTION 714. SINGLE POINT OF CONTACT FOR IDENTITY
10 THEFT VICTIMS.**

11 “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Commissioner of Social Se-
12 curity shall establish and implement procedures to ensure
13 that any individual whose social security account number
14 has been misused (such as to fraudulently obtain benefits
15 under title II, VIII, or XVI of this Act, in a manner that
16 affects an individual’s records at the Social Security Ad-
17 ministration, or in a manner that prompts the individual
18 to request a new social security account number) has a

1 single point of contact at the Social Security Administra-
2 tion throughout the resolution of the individual's case. The
3 single point of contact shall track the individual's case to
4 completion and coordinate with other units to resolve
5 issues as quickly as possible.

6 “(b) SINGLE POINT OF CONTACT.—

7 “(1) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of subsection
8 (a), the single point of contact shall consist of a
9 team or subset of specially trained employees who—

10 “(A) have the ability to coordinate with
11 other units to resolve the issues involved in the
12 individual's case, and

13 “(B) shall be accountable for the case until
14 its resolution.

15 “(2) TEAM OR SUBSET.—The employees in-
16 cluded within the team or subset described in para-
17 graph (1) may change as required to meet the needs
18 of the Social Security Administration, provided that
19 procedures have been established to—

20 “(A) ensure continuity of records and case
21 history, and

22 “(B) notify the individual when appro-
23 priate.”.

1 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
2 subsection (a) shall take effect 180 days after the date
3 of enactment of this Act.

