WASHINGTON- Congressman Lee Terry is a co-sponsor of a discharge petition that would require a vote to make House Leadership publicly broadcast the final health care negotiations.

"Once again I ask, what are they trying to hide?" said Congressman Lee Terry. "Health care reform is one of the biggest issues facing our country and transparency is a must. President Obama made a commitment to bring sunshine to the legislative process and I hold him to that promise. I have signed the discharge petition with hopes that every American will be allowed to watch the health care negotiations in their entirety."

A discharge petition brings a bill to the floor without going through the normal committee process. If a discharge petition receives at least 218 signatures the House must vote on the issue.

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