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H. R. 3869

To amend Public Law 109–59 to allow the States of Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama to designate the projects for which certain highway and transit funds allocated to such States may be obligated.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. FLAKE (for himself, Mr. HENSARLING, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. ROHRABACHER, and Mr. MILLER of Florida) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Freedom and Flexi-
5 bility to Rebuild Act of 2005”.

1 **SEC. 2. LOUISIANA FLEXIBILITY.**

2 (a) HIGH PRIORITY PROJECTS.—The following items
 3 in the table contained in section 1702 of the Safe, Ac-
 4 countable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act:
 5 A Legacy for Users (Public Law 109–59) are each amend-
 6 ed by striking the project description and inserting “Such
 7 projects as are eligible for assistance under the surface
 8 transportation program established under 23 U.S.C. 133
 9 and are designated by the State of Louisiana”: 38, 60,
 10 76, 120, 183, 235, 273, 352, 432, 499, 612, 761, 870,
 11 945, 1332, 1362, 1380, 1427, 1483, 1534, 1629, 1731,
 12 1968, 2184, 2203, 2225, 2226, 2258, 2291, 2361, 2380,
 13 2388, 2400, 2418, 2470, 2675, 2703, 2712, 2751, 3037,
 14 3080, 3088, 3103, 3110, 3231, 3290, 3342, 3423, 3424,
 15 3453, 3525, 3629, 4226, 4227, 4228, 4229, 4230, 4231,
 16 4232, 4233, 4234, 4235, 4236, 4237, 4238, 4239, 4240,
 17 4241, 4242, 4243, 4244, 4245, 4246, 4247, 4248, 4249,
 18 4250, 4251, 4252, 4253, 4254, 4255, 4256, 4257, 4258,
 19 4259, 4260, 4261, 4262, 4263, and 4264.

20 (b) TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT.—Item 171 in
 21 the table contained in section 1934 of such Act is amended
 22 by striking the project description and inserting “Such
 23 projects as are eligible for assistance under the surface
 24 transportation program established under 23 U.S.C. 133
 25 and are designated by the State of Louisiana”.

1 (c) NATIONAL CORRIDOR INFRASTRUCTURE IM-
 2 PROVEMENTS.—The following items in the table contained
 3 in section 1302 of such Act are each amended by striking
 4 the project description and inserting “Such projects as are
 5 eligible for assistance under the surface transportation
 6 program established under 23 U.S.C. 133 and are des-
 7 ignated by the State of Louisiana”: 2, 8, 25, 28, and 29.

8 (d) BUS AND BUS-RELATED FACILITIES IMPROVE-
 9 MENTS.—The following items in the table contained in
 10 section 3044(a) of such Act are each amended by striking
 11 the project description and inserting: “Such projects as
 12 are eligible for assistance under the surface transportation
 13 program established under 23 U.S.C. 133 and are des-
 14 ignated by the State of Louisiana”: 55, 67, 72, 170, 239,
 15 243, 277, 283, 310, 356, 484, 555, 568, 606, and 625.

16 **SEC. 3. MISSISSIPPI FLEXIBILITY.**

17 (a) HIGH PRIORITY PROJECTS.—The following items
 18 in the table contained in section 1702 of the Safe, Ac-
 19 countable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act:
 20 A Legacy for Users (Public Law 109–59) are each amend-
 21 ed by striking the project description and inserting “Such
 22 projects as are eligible for assistance under the surface
 23 transportation program established under 23 U.S.C. 133
 24 and are designated by the State of Mississippi”: 105, 175,
 25 178, 212, 214, 293, 409, 411, 527, 648, 1001, 1201,

1 1281, 1283, 1287, 1458, 1470, 1474, 1482, 1643, 1716,
 2 1717, 1896, 1969, 2011, 2022, 2028, 2085, 2138, 2242,
 3 2264, 2347, 2348, 2422, 2519, 2587, 2642, 2748, 2769,
 4 3035, 3084, 3118, 3171, 3193, 3450, 3458, 3522, 3523,
 5 4396, 4397, 4398, 4399, 4400, 4401, 4402, 4403, 4404,
 6 4405, 4406, 4407, 4408, 4409, 4410, and 4411.

7 (b) TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS.—The fol-
 8 lowing items in the table contained in section 1934 of such
 9 Act are each amended by striking the project description
 10 and inserting “Such projects as are eligible for assistance
 11 under the surface transportation program established
 12 under 23 U.S.C. 133 and are designated by the State of
 13 Mississippi”: 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, and 233.

14 (c) BUS AND BUS-RELATED FACILITIES.—Items 130
 15 and 547 in the table contained in section 3044(a) of such
 16 Act are each amended by striking the project description
 17 and inserting “Such projects as are eligible for assistance
 18 under the surface transportation program established
 19 under 23 U.S.C. 133 and are designated by the State of
 20 Mississippi”.

21 **SEC. 4. ALABAMA FLEXIBILITY.**

22 (a) HIGH PRIORITY PROJECTS.—The following items
 23 in the table contained in section 1702 of the Safe, Ac-
 24 countable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act:
 25 A Legacy for Users (Public Law 109–59) are each amend-

1 ed by striking the project description and inserting: “Such
 2 projects as are eligible for assistance under the surface
 3 transportation program established under 23 U.S.C. 133
 4 and are designated by the State of Alabama”: 104, 177,
 5 256, 322, 341, 827, 921, 940, 1129, 1252, 1310, 1333,
 6 1372, 1448, 1460, 1463, 1485, 1572, 1586, 1787, 1831,
 7 1860, 1906, 1935, 2190, 2265, 2323, 2395, 2516, 2541,
 8 2581, 2593, 2608, 2615, 2723, 2779, 2792, 2872, 2887,
 9 2898, 2952, 3142, 3189, 3287, 3352, 3354, 3372, 3728,
 10 3729, 3730, 3731, 3732, 3733, and 3734.

11 (b) TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS.—Items 14,
 12 15, and 16 in the table contained in section 1934 of such
 13 Act are each amended by striking the project description
 14 and inserting “Such projects as are eligible for assistance
 15 under the surface transportation program established
 16 under 23 U.S.C. 133 and are designated by the State of
 17 Alabama”.

18 (c) BUS AND BUS-RELATED FACILITIES.—The fol-
 19 lowing items in the table contained in section 3044(a) of
 20 such Act are each amended by striking the project descrip-
 21 tion and inserting “Such projects as are eligible for assist-
 22 ance under the surface transportation program established
 23 under 23 U.S.C. 133 and are designated by the State of

- 1 Alabama”: 98, 437, 461, 462, 469, 496, 501, 503, 504,
- 2 507, 528, 534, 582, 644, 645, 646, 647, and 650.

