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H. R. 2653

To provide for priority consideration for grade crossing safety improvements where there have been serious collisions.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 11, 2007

Mr. GRAVES 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. PRIORITY GRADE CROSSING SAFETY IMPROVE-**
4 **MENTS.**

5 Section 130 of title 23, United States Code, is
6 amended by adding at the end the following new sub-
7 section:

8 “(k) PRIORITY GRADE CROSSING SAFETY IMPROVE-
9 MENTS.—The Secretary shall give priority consideration
10 under this section to provide emergency grade crossing

1 safety improvements on an expedited basis in the event
2 of a railroad grade crossing collision with multiple serious
3 bodily injuries or multiple fatalities. Assistance provided
4 pursuant to this subsection shall not exceed \$250,000 per
5 grade crossing.”.

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