

111TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5377

To require Amtrak to discontinue passenger rail service on certain long distance routes that operate at a loss.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 25, 2010

Mr. SESSIONS 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. DISCONTINUANCE OF SERVICE.**

4 Section 24706 of title 49, United States Code, is
5 amended by adding at the end the following new sub-
6 section:

7 “(d) DISCONTINUANCE FOR REVENUE LOSS.—Am-
8 trak shall discontinue service on any long distance route
9 with respect to which total direct costs are more than

- 1 twice as great as total revenues for the first full fiscal year
- 2 beginning after the date of enactment of this subsection.”.

