111TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 140

To withhold certain highway funds if a State does not comply with certain requirements in issuing a driver's license or identification card, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

January 6, 2009

Mr. Gallegly (for himself, Mr. Bilbray, and Mr. Bartlett) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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. WITHHOLD HIGHWAYS FUNDS IN CERTAIN
- 4 CASES.
- 5 (a) Percentage for Certain Calendar
- 6 YEARS.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, if
- 7 a State does not comply with the requirements of section

- 1 202 of title II of Division B of Public Law 109–13 (49
- 2 U.S.C. 30301 note), the Secretary shall withhold a per-
- 3 centage of the amount to be apportioned for Federal-aid
- 4 highways under each of paragraphs (1), (3), and (4) of
- 5 section 104(b) of title 23, United States Code, for the fol-
- 6 lowing calendar years:
- 7 (1) Calendar year 2010.—For calendar year
- 8 2010, 2 percent.
- 9 (2) CALENDAR YEAR 2011.—For calendar year
- 10 2011, 4 percent.
- 11 (3) CALENDAR YEAR 2012.—For calendar year
- 12 2012, 6 percent.
- 13 (4) Calendar year 2013 and each calendar
- 14 YEAR THEREAFTER.—For calendar year 2013 and
- in each calendar year thereafter, 8 percent.
- 16 (b) APPORTIONED FUNDS.—If, within 4 years after
- 17 the date the apportionment for any State is reduced in
- 18 accordance with this section, the Secretary determines
- 19 that such State has complied with the requirements of sec-
- 20 tion 202 of title II of Division B of Public Law 109–13
- 21 (49 U.S.C. 30301 note), the Secretary shall apportion to
- 22 such State an increase in an amount equal to such reduc-
- 23 tion. If at the end of such 4-year period, any State has
- 24 not complied with such requirements, any amounts so
- 25 withheld shall lapse.

1 SEC. 2. REAL ID AMENDMENT.

- Section 202(d) of the REAL ID Act of 2005 (49
- 3 U.S.C. 30301 note) is amended—
- 4 (1) by striking paragraph (11); and
- 5 (2) redesignating paragraphs (12) and (13) as
- 6 paragraphs (11) and (12), respectively.

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