

HR 1997

To direct the Secretary of Transportation to update a research report and issue guidance to the States with respect to reducing lighting on the Federal-aid system during periods of low traffic density, and for other purposes.

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

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Current Status: Committee on Science and Technology discharged.

Latest Action: Committee on Science and Technology discharged. (Nov 15, 2010)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** PA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 23, 2009
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Discharged from	Jul 29, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Directs the Secretary of Transportation, acting through the Administrator of the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and in cooperation with the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials, to update the FHWA's research report entitled "Reduced Lighting On Freeways During Periods Of Low Traffic Density," FHWA/RD-86/018, dated August, 1985.

Requires the Secretary, based on the updated report, to issue guidance to states on reducing lighting on the federal-aid system during low traffic density periods.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 15, 2010:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 393.
- **Nov 15, 2010:** Committee on Science and Technology discharged.
- **Sep 22, 2010:** Reported by the Committee on Transportation. H. Rept. 111-614, Part I.
- **Sep 22, 2010:** House Committee on Science and Technology Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Nov. 15, 2010.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Subcommittee on Highways and Transit Discharged.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 29, 2010:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Apr 23, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Technology and Innovation.
- **Apr 22, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Apr 21, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 21, 2009:** Referred to House Transportation and Infrastructure
- **Apr 21, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Science and Technology, 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.
- **Apr 21, 2009:** Referred to House Science and Technology