

S 853

Reducing Flight Delays Act of 2013

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

Introduced: Apr 25, 2013

Current Status: Message on Senate action sent to the House.

Latest Action: Message on Senate action sent to the House. (Apr 30, 2013)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]

Party: Republican • **State:** ME • **Chamber:** Senate

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| Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK] | D · AK | | Apr 25, 2013 |
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| Sen. Heller, Dean [R-NV] | R · NV | | Apr 25, 2013 |
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| Sen. McCaskill, Claire [D-MO] | D · MO | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK] | R · AK | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL] | D · FL | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID] | R · ID | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS] | R · KS | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV] | D · WV | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Thune, John [R-SD] | R · SD | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Toomey, Patrick [R-PA] | R · PA | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Udall, Mark [D-CO] | D · CO | | Apr 25, 2013 |
| Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA] | D · VA | | Apr 25, 2013 |

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|-------------|----------------|---|
| 113 HR 1765 | Identical bill | May 1, 2013: Became Public Law No: 113-9. |
| 113 S 818 | Related bill | Apr 25, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. |

Summary (as of Apr 25, 2013)

Reducing Flight Delays Act of 2013 - Authorizes the Secretary of Transportation (DOT), notwithstanding the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2013 (P.L. 113-6), any other provision of law, or sequestration order, to transfer for FY2013 to any Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) appropriations account (such as the one for air traffic control operations) a certain amount from funds otherwise made available for discretionary grants-in-aid under the airport improvement program or any other FAA program.

Makes any transferred amount available immediately for obligation and expenditure as directly appropriated budget authority.

Prohibits any such transfer of funds unless the Secretary notifies Congress at least five days in advance.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 30, 2013:** Senate requests return of papers with respect to S. 853 by Unanimous Consent.
- **Apr 30, 2013:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Apr 26, 2013:** Received in the House.
- **Apr 26, 2013:** Held at the desk.
- **Apr 26, 2013:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Apr 25, 2013:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 25, 2013:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Introduced in the Senate, read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S3059-3060; text as passed Senate: CR S3059-3060)
- **Apr 25, 2013:** Introduced in the Senate, read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S3059-3060; text as passed Senate: CR S3059-3060)