

## S 1781

A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to modify a provision relating to the obligation and release of funds.

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Transportation and Public Works

**Introduced:** Jul 15, 2015

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works. (Jul 15, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/senate-bill/1781>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 15, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jul 15, 2015)

This bill modifies requirements that apply to the obligation and release of federal highway funds by states.

Under current law, any funds released by the final payment or a modification for a project must be credited to the same class of funds previously apportioned or allocated to the state for the project and are immediately available for obligation.

This bill permits the funds to be credited to a similar class of funds if the same class is no longer authorized.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jul 15, 2015:** Introduced in Senate
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