

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To increase the mobility and reduce pedestrian injury and fatality rates.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—114th Cong., 1st Sess.

S. 1732

A bill to authorize elements of the Department of Transportation, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. SCHATZ (for himself, Mr. HELLER, and Mr. MARKEY)

Viz:

1 At the appropriate place, insert the following:

2 **SEC. ____ . SAFETY OF THE SURFACE TRANSPORTATION**

3 **NETWORK FOR MOTORIZED AND NON-**

4 **MOTORIZED USERS.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter I of chapter 3, as

6 amended by sections 1102, 1103, 1104, and 1106 of this

7 Act, is further amended by adding at the end the fol-

8 lowing:

1 **“§ 313. Safety of the surface transportation network**
2 **for motorized and nonmotorized users**

3 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 2 years after the
4 date of enactment of this section and subject to subsection
5 (b), the Secretary of Transportation shall establish stand-
6 ards to ensure that the design of Federal surface transpor-
7 tation projects provides for the safe and adequate accom-
8 modation, as determined by the State or other direct re-
9 cipient of funds, in all phases of project planning, develop-
10 ment, and operation, of all users of the transportation net-
11 work, including motorized and nonmotorized users.

12 “(b) WAIVER FOR STATE LAW OR POLICY.—The Sec-
13 retary may waive the application of standards established
14 under subsection (a) to a State that has adopted a law
15 or policy that provides for the safe and adequate accom-
16 modation, as determined by the State or other direct re-
17 cipient of funds, in all phases of project planning and de-
18 velopment, of users of the transportation network on Fed-
19 erally funded surface transportation projects.

20 “(c) COMPLIANCE.—

21 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Each State department of
22 transportation shall submit to the Secretary, at such
23 time, in such manner, and containing such informa-
24 tion as the Secretary shall require, a report describ-
25 ing the implementation by the State of measures to
26 achieve compliance with this section.

1 “(2) DETERMINATION BY SECRETARY.—Upon
2 receipt of a report under paragraph (1), the Sec-
3 retary shall determine whether the State has
4 achieved compliance with this section.”.

5 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The table of sec-
6 tions of chapter 3, as amended by sections 1102, 1103,
7 1104, and 1106 of this Act, is further amended by insert-
8 ing after the item relating to section 312 the following:

“313. Safety of the surface transportation network for motorized and non-
motorized users.”.