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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 3 (legislative day, FEBRUARY 22), 1994

Mr. BAUCUS (for himself, Mr. MOYNIHAN, Mr. REID, Mr. WOFFORD, Mr. WARNER, Mr. DURENBERGER, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. FORD, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. BURNS, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. McCONNELL, Mr. HEFLIN, Mr. ROBB, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. SASSER, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. MITCHELL, Mr. GREGG, Mr. KEMPTHORNE, Mr. BOREN, Mr. DANFORTH, Mr. MATHEWS, Mr. BOND, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. LUGAR, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. SIMON, Mr. GLENN, Mr. DORGAN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. DODD, and Mr. COHEN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “National Highway  
3 System Designation Act of 1994”.

4 **SEC. 2. NATIONAL HIGHWAY SYSTEM DESIGNATION.**

5 Section 103 of title 23, United States Code, is  
6 amended by inserting after subsection (b) the following  
7 new subsection:

8 “(c) NATIONAL HIGHWAY SYSTEM DESIGNATION.—

9 “(1) DESIGNATION.—The most recent National  
10 Highway System as submitted by the Secretary of  
11 Transportation pursuant to this section is hereby  
12 designated to be the National Highway System.

13 “(2) MODIFICATIONS.—

14 “(A) IN GENERAL.—At the request of a  
15 State, the Secretary may—

16 “(i) add a new route segment to the  
17 National Highway System, including a new  
18 intermodal connection; or

19 “(ii) delete a then existing route seg-  
20 ment and any connection to the route seg-  
21 ment,

22 if the total mileage of the National Highway  
23 System (including any route segment or connec-  
24 tion proposed to be added under this subpara-  
25 graph) does not exceed 165,000 miles (265,542  
26 kilometers).

1           “(B) PROCEDURES FOR CHANGES RE-  
2           QUESTED BY STATES.—Each State that makes  
3           a request for a change in the National Highway  
4           System pursuant to subparagraph (A) shall es-  
5           tablish that each change in a route segment or  
6           connection referred to in such subparagraph  
7           has been identified by the State, in cooperation  
8           with local officials, pursuant to applicable  
9           transportation planning activities for metropoli-  
10          tan areas carried out under section 134 and  
11          statewide planning processes carried out under  
12          section 135.

13          “(3) APPROVAL BY THE SECRETARY.—The Sec-  
14          retary may approve a request made by a State for  
15          a change in the National Highway System pursuant  
16          to paragraph (2) if the Secretary determines that  
17          the change—

18                 “(A) meets the criteria established for the  
19                 National Highway System under this title; and

20                 “(B) enhances the national transportation  
21                 characteristics of the National Highway  
22                 System.”.