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2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# S. 1134

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 24, 2012

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Natural Resources and the Budget 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

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## AN ACT

To authorize the St. Croix River Crossing Project with appropriate mitigation measures to promote river values.

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 “St. Croix River Cross-  
3 ing Project Authorization Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF PROJECT WITH MITIGATION**  
5 **MEASURES.**

6 Notwithstanding section 7(a) of the Wild and Scenic  
7 Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1278(a)), the head of any Federal  
8 agency or department may authorize and assist in the con-  
9 struction of a new extradosed bridge crossing the St. Croix  
10 River approximately 6 miles north of the I–94 crossing  
11 if the mitigation items described in paragraph 9 of the  
12 2006 St. Croix River Crossing Project Memorandum of  
13 Understanding for Implementation of Riverway Mitigation  
14 Items, signed by the Federal Highway Administration on  
15 March 28, 2006, and by the National Park Service on  
16 March 27, 2006 (including any subsequent amendments  
17 to the Memorandum of Understanding), are included as  
18 enforceable conditions.

19 **SEC. 3. OFFSET.**

20 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-  
21 sion of law, amounts made available for items 676, 813,  
22 3186, 4358, and 5132 in the table contained in section  
23 1702 of the SAFETEA–LU (119 Stat. 1288, 1380, 1423)  
24 shall be subject to the limitation on obligations for Fed-  
25 eral-aid highways and highway safety construction pro-  
26 grams distributed under section 120(a)(6) of title I of divi-

1 sion C of Public Law 112–55 (23 U.S.C. 104 note; 125  
2 Stat. 652).

3 (b) RESCISSION.—Any obligation authority made  
4 available until used to a State as a result of receipt of  
5 contract authority for the items described in subsection  
6 (a) that remains available to the State as of the date of  
7 enactment of this Act is permanently rescinded.

8 **SEC. 4. BUDGETARY EFFECTS.**

9 The budgetary effects of this Act, for the purpose of  
10 complying with the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go-Act of 2010,  
11 shall be determined by reference to the latest statement  
12 titled “Budgetary Effects of PAYGO Legislation” for this  
13 Act, submitted for printing in the Congressional Record  
14 by the Chairman of the Senate Budget Committee, pro-  
15 vided that such statement has been submitted prior to the  
16 vote on passage.

Passed the Senate January 23, 2012.

Attest: NANCY ERICKSON,  
*Secretary.*