

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 7147**  
**OFFERED BY MRS. DINGELL OF MICHIGAN**

At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert  
the following:

**1   SEC. \_\_\_\_ . FUNDING FOR THE TRANSPORTATION SECURITY**  
**2                                   ADMINISTRATION IN THE EVENT OF A LAPSE**  
**3                                   IN APPROPRIATION.**

**4           (a) IN GENERAL.**—During any period in which there  
**5** is a lapse in appropriations for the Transportation Secu-  
**6** rity Administration, the Administrator of the Transpor-  
**7** tation Security Administration shall continue, using  
**8** amounts described in subsection (g), all programs,  
**9** projects, or activities (including the costs of direct loans  
**10** and loan guarantees) of the Administration that were con-  
**11** ducted with amounts made available for any account of  
**12** the Administration in the preceding fiscal year—

**13                   (1)** in the corresponding appropriation Act for  
**14** such preceding fiscal year; or

**15                   (2)** if the corresponding appropriation bill for  
**16** such preceding fiscal year did not become law, then  
**17** in a joint resolution making continuing appropria-  
**18** tions for such preceding fiscal year.

1 (b) RATE FOR OPERATIONS.—Appropriations and  
2 funds made available, and authority granted, to continue  
3 a program, project, or activity for any fiscal year pursuant  
4 to this section shall be at a rate for operations not greater  
5 than—

6 (1) the rate for operations provided for in the  
7 regular appropriation Act providing for such pro-  
8 gram, project, or activity for the preceding fiscal  
9 year; or

10 (2) in the absence of such an Act, the rate for  
11 operations provided for such program, project, or ac-  
12 tivity pursuant to a joint resolution making con-  
13 tinuing appropriations for such preceding fiscal year.

14 (c) AVAILABILITY.—Appropriations and funds made  
15 available, and authority granted, for any fiscal year pursu-  
16 ant to this section for a program, project, or activity shall  
17 be available for the period beginning with the first day  
18 of a lapse in appropriations and ending with the earlier  
19 of—

20 (1) the date on which—

21 (A) the applicable regular appropriation  
22 bill for such fiscal year becomes law (whether or  
23 not such law provides for such program,  
24 project, or activity); or

1 (B) a joint resolution making continuing  
2 appropriations becomes law; or

3 (2) the date that is 180 days after the first day  
4 of a lapse in appropriations.

5 (d) TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—An appropriation or  
6 funds made available, or authority granted, for a program,  
7 project, or activity for any fiscal year pursuant to this sec-  
8 tion shall be subject to the terms and conditions imposed  
9 with respect to the appropriation made or funds made  
10 available for the preceding fiscal year, or authority grant-  
11 ed for such program, project, or activity under applicable  
12 law on the first day of the applicable lapse in appropria-  
13 tions.

14 (e) END OF FISCAL YEAR.—If this section is in effect  
15 at the end of a fiscal year, funding levels shall continue  
16 as provided in this section for the next fiscal year.

17 (f) AMOUNTS DESCRIBED.—The amounts described  
18 in this subsection are the unobligated balances, as of the  
19 date of the enactment of this Act, of amounts made avail-  
20 able under section 90003 of Public Law 119–21 (com-  
21 monly referred to as the “One Big Beautiful Bill Act”;  
22 139 Stat. 358).

