

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

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OFFERED BY MR. HURT OF VIRGINIA

Page 233, after line 17, insert the following new section:

1 SEC. 1431. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING INTERSTATE
2 73 CORRIDOR TRANSPORTATION COMPACT.

3 It is the sense of Congress that the entering into of
4 an agreement or compact by 2 or more States, for cooper-
5 ative effort and mutual assistance, would be beneficial to
6 the development of an Interstate 73 corridor. Such an
7 agreement may incorporate the following elements to the
8 extent that such elements are consistent with Federal law
9 and specifically section 1105(c)(5) of the Intermodal Sur-
10 face Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991:

11 (1) Study, development, and promotion of a
12 plan for the design, construction, financing, and op-
13 eration of the Interstate 73 corridor through the
14 States of South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia,
15 West Virginia, Ohio, and Michigan.

16 (2) Coordination of efforts to establish a com-
17 mon legal framework in all the signatory States to
18 authorize and facilitate design, construction, financ-

1 ing, and operation of the Interstate 73 corridor or
2 through public-private partnerships.

3 (3) Advocacy for Federal funding to support
4 the establishment of the Interstate 73 corridor.

5 (4) Making available to the Interstate 73 cor-
6 ridor project funding and resources that are or may
7 be appropriated by the signatory States and allo-
8 cated for that purpose.

9 (5) Doing all things necessary or convenient to
10 facilitate and coordinate the design, construction, fi-
11 nancing, and operation of the Interstate 73 corridor
12 to the extent that such plans and programs are con-
13 sistent with Federal law and the laws of the signa-
14 tory States.

