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119TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. _____

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. KRISHNAMOORTHY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

A BILL

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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,*

3 **SECTION 1. WITHHOLDING OF FEDERAL FUNDS.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 1 of title 23, United
5 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
6 lowing:

1 **“§ 180. Requirements relating to automated license**
2 **plate readers**

3 “The Secretary shall withhold 10 percent of the
4 amount required to be apportioned to any State under sec-
5 tion 104(b) on the first day of each fiscal year that begins
6 after the second fiscal year beginning after the date of
7 enactment of this section if the State does not have a law
8 in effect that prohibits the use of automated license plate
9 readers for any use other than the following:

10 “(1) Enforcing toll systems.

11 “(2) Identifying stolen vehicles, missing or en-
12 dangered persons, vehicles registered to persons with
13 a warrant for a felony offense, or investigating a ve-
14 hicle involved in a felony offense.”.

15 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The analysis for chap-
16 ter 1 of title 23, United States Code, is amended by add-
17 ing at the end the following:

“180. Requirements relating to automated license plate readers.”.