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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 12, 2011

Mr. SCHUMER introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

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## 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Driver Fatigue Preven-  
5 tion Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENT TO THE FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT**

7 **OF 1938.**

8 Section 13(b)(1) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of  
9 1938 (29 U.S.C. 213(b)(1)) is amended by inserting be-  
10 fore the semicolon the following: “except a driver of an

1 ‘over-the-road bus’ as defined in section 3038(a)(3) of the  
2 Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (Public  
3 Law 105–178; 49 U.S.C. 5310 note)”.  
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