Congress Passes 30-Day Extension of Transportation Authority

To correct the lapse of authorization for U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) programs and staff, the United States Congress cleared and President Biden signed, a 30-day authorization extension of surface transportation programs on October 2.

The legislation (HR 5434) passed the House 365-51 and passed the Senate by unanimous consent. The new extension end date is October 31, 2021.