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To amend title 49, United States Code, to preserve the essential air service program.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 9, 2003

Mr. BINGAMAN (for himself, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. LEAHY, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. HAGEL, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. HARKIN, and Mr. PRYOR) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

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 “Essential Air Service
5 Preservation Act of 2003”.

6 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF EAS LOCAL PARTICIPATION PROGRAM.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 417 of
8 title 49, United States Code, is amended by striking sec-

1 tion 41747, and such title shall be applied as if such sec-
2 tion 41747 had not been enacted.

3 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The analysis for
4 subchapter II of chapter 417 of title 49, United States
5 Code, is amended by striking the item relating to section
6 41747.

