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H. R. 6007

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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AN ACT

To amend title 49, United States Code, to include consideration of certain impacts on commercial space launch and reentry activities in a navigable airspace analysis, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. NAVIGABLE AIRSPACE ANALYSIS FOR COM-**
2 **MERCIAL SPACE LAUNCH SITE RUNWAYS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 44718(b)(1) of title 49,
4 United States Code, is amended—

5 (1) by striking “air navigation facilities and
6 equipment” and inserting “air or space navigation
7 facilities and equipment”;

8 (2) in subparagraph (D), by striking “; and”
9 and inserting a semicolon;

10 (3) in subparagraph (E), by striking the period
11 at the end and inserting “; and”; and

12 (4) by adding at the end the following:

13 “(F) the impact on launch and reentry for
14 launch and reentry vehicles arriving or departing
15 from a launch site or reentry site licensed by the
16 Secretary.”.

17 (b) RULEMAKING.—Not later than 18 months after
18 the date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator of
19 the Federal Aviation Administration shall initiate a

1 rulemaking to implement the amendments made by sub-
2 section (a).

Passed the House of Representatives September 21,
2016.

Attest:

KAREN L. HAAS,

Clerk.