### 118TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

# H. R. 8662

## **AN ACT**

To reduce commuting burdens on Transportation Security Administration employees, 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,

### SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

- 2 This Act may be cited as the "TSA Commuting Fair-
- 3 ness Act".
- 4 SEC. 2. FEASIBILITY STUDY ON TSA COMMUTING BENE-
- 5 FITS.
- 6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 270 days after the
- 7 date of the enactment of this Act, the Administrator of
- 8 the Transportation Security Administration shall submit
- 9 to the Committee on Homeland Security of the House of
- 10 Representatives and the Committee on Commerce,
- 11 Science, and Transportation and the Committee on Home-
- 12 land Security and Governmental Affairs of the Senate a
- 13 study on the feasibility of treating as on-duty hours the
- 14 time Transportation Security Administration employees
- 15 working at airport locations spend traveling between reg-
- 16 ular duty locations and airport parking lots and bus and
- 17 transit stops.
- 18 (b) Considerations.—In conducting the feasibility
- 19 study required under subsection (a), the Administrator of
- 20 the Transportation Security Administration shall consider
- 21 the following with respect to Transportation Security Ad-
- 22 ministration employees:
- 23 (1) The amount of time needed by such employ-
- ees to travel between regular duty locations and air-
- port parking lots and bus and transit stops at small
- hub airports, medium hub airports, and large hub

- airports (as such terms are defined in section 40102
  of title 49, United States Code).
  - (2) The amount of time such employees spend commuting, on average, exclusive of the time described in paragraph (1).
    - (3) The potential benefits to such employees and the Administration of treating as on-duty hours the time described in such paragraph.
  - (4) The feasibility of using mobile phones, location data, and any other means to allow such employees to report their arrival to and departure from the airport parking lots and bus and transit stops concerned.
  - (5) The estimated costs of treating as on-duty hours the time described in such paragraph, including by considering such hours creditable as basic pay for retirement purposes.
- 18 (6) Other considerations determined appro-19 priate by the Administrator.

Passed the House of Representatives December 20, 2024.

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