

AMENDMENT TO THE RULES
COMMITTEE PRINT 115-25
OFFERED BY MS. ESTY OF CONNECTICUT

Page 345, strike lines 11 through 18, and insert the following:

1 **SEC. 612. SUPPORTING WOMEN'S INVOLVEMENT IN THE**
2 **AVIATION FIELD.**

3 (a) **ADVISORY BOARD.**—To encourage women and
4 girls to enter the field of aviation, the Administrator of
5 the Federal Aviation Administration shall create and fa-
6 cilitate the Women in Aviation Advisory Board (referred
7 to in this section as the “Board”), with the objective of
8 promoting organizations and programs that are providing
9 education, training, mentorship, outreach, and recruit-
10 ment of women into the aviation industry.

11 (b) **COMPOSITION.**—The Board shall consist of mem-
12 bers whose diverse background allows them to contribute
13 balanced points of view and ideas regarding the strategies
14 and objectives set forth in subsection (f).

15 (c) **SELECTION.**—Not later than 9 months after the
16 date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator shall ap-
17 point members of the Board, including representatives
18 from the following:

1 (1) Major airlines and aerospace companies.

2 (2) Nonprofit organizations within the aviation
3 industry.

4 (3) Aviation business associations.

5 (4) engineering business associations.

6 (5) United States Air Force Auxiliary, Civil Air
7 Patrol.

8 (d) PERIOD OF APPOINTMENT.—Members shall be
9 appointed to the Board for the duration of the existence
10 of the Board.

11 (e) COMPENSATION.—Board members shall serve
12 without compensation.

13 (f) DUTIES.—Not later than 18 months after the
14 date of enactment of this Act, the Board shall present a
15 comprehensive plan for strategies the Administration can
16 take, which include the following objectives:

17 (1) Identifying industry trends that directly or
18 indirectly discourage women from pursuing careers
19 in aviation.

20 (2) Coordinating the functions of airline compa-
21 nies, nonprofit organizations, and aviation and engi-
22 neering associations to facilitate support for women
23 pursuing careers in aviation.

1 (3) Creating opportunities to expand existing
2 scholarship opportunities for women and minorities
3 in the aviation industry.

4 (4) Enhancing aviation training, mentorship,
5 education, and outreach programs that are exclusive
6 to women and minority populations.

7 (g) REPORTS.—

8 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 2 years after
9 the date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator
10 shall submit a report to—

11 (A) the Committee on Transportation and
12 Infrastructure of the House of Representatives
13 and

14 (B) the Committee on Commerce, Science,
15 and Transportation of the Senate.

16 (2) AVAILABILITY ONLINE.—The Administrator
17 shall make the report publicly available online and in
18 print.

19 (h) SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING WOMEN IN
20 AVIATION.—It is the sense of Congress that the aviation
21 industry should explore all opportunities, including pilot
22 training, science, technology, engineering, and mathe-
23 matics education, and mentorship programs, to encourage

- 1 and support female students and aviators to pursue a ca-
- 2 reer in aviation.

