AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4 OFFERED BY MR. FLEISCHMANN OF TENNESSEE

At the end of title V, insert the following new section:

1	SEC. 543. USE OF STATE HIGHWAY SPECIFICATIONS.
2	Section 47114(d)(5) of title 49, United States Code,
3	is amended to read as follows:
4	"(5) Use of state highway specifica-
5	TIONS.—The Secretary shall use the highway speci-
6	fications of a State for airfield pavement construc-
7	tion and improvement using funds made available
8	under this subsection at nonprimary airports serving
9	aircraft that do not exceed 60,000 pounds gross
10	weight if—
11	"(A) such State requests the use of such
12	specifications; and
13	"(B) the Secretary determines that—
14	"(i) safety will not be negatively af-
15	fected; and
16	"(ii) the life of the pavement, with
17	necessary maintenance and upkeep, will

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1	not be shorter than it would be if con-
2	structed using Administration standards.".
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