

**AMENDMENT TO
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OFFERED BY MR. VEASEY OF TEXAS**

Page 1115, after line 5, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 1762. PROHIBITION ON PROVISION OF GRANT FUNDS**
2 **TO ENTITIES THAT HAVE VIOLATED INTEL-**
3 **LECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS OF UNITED**
4 **STATES ENTITIES.**

5 (a) AMENDMENT.—Section 47110 of title 49, United
6 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
7 lowing:

8 “(j) PROHIBITION ON PROVISION OF GRANT FUNDS
9 TO ENTITIES THAT HAVE VIOLATED INTELLECTUAL
10 PROPERTY RIGHTS OF UNITED STATES ENTITIES.—

11 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Beginning on the date that
12 is 30 days after the date of the enactment of this
13 subsection, amounts provided as project grants
14 under this subchapter may not be used to enter into
15 a contract described in paragraph (2) with any enti-
16 ty on the list required by paragraph (3).

17 “(2) CONTRACT DESCRIBED.—A contract de-
18 scribed in this paragraph is a contract or other

1 agreement for the procurement of infrastructure or
2 equipment for a passenger boarding bridge at an
3 airport.

4 “(3) LIST REQUIRED.—

5 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 30
6 days after the date of the enactment of this sec-
7 tion, and thereafter as required by subpara-
8 graphs (B) and (C), the Administrator of the
9 Federal Aviation Administration shall, based on
10 information provided by the United States
11 Trade Representative and the Attorney General,
12 make available to the public a list of entities
13 that—

14 “(i)(I) are owned or controlled by, or
15 receive subsidies from, the government of a
16 country—

17 “(aa) identified by the Trade
18 Representative under subsection
19 (a)(1) of section 182 of the Trade Act
20 of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2242) in the most
21 recent report required by that section;
22 and

23 “(bb) subject to monitoring by
24 the Trade Representative under sec-

1 tion 306 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19
2 U.S.C. 2416); and

3 “(II) have been determined by a Fed-
4 eral court to have misappropriated intellec-
5 tual property or trade secrets from an enti-
6 ty organized under the laws of the United
7 States or any jurisdiction within the
8 United States; or

9 “(ii) own or control, are owned or
10 controlled by, are under common owner-
11 ship or control with, or are successors to,
12 an entity described in clause (i).

13 “(B) UPDATES TO LIST.—The Adminis-
14 trator shall update the list required by subpara-
15 graph (A), based on information provided by
16 the Trade Representative and the Attorney
17 General—

18 “(i) not less frequently than every 90
19 days during the 180-day period following
20 the initial publication of the list under sub-
21 paragraph (A); and

22 “(ii) not less frequently than annually
23 during the 5-year period following the 180-
24 day period described in clause (i).

1 “(C) CONTINUATION OF REQUIREMENT TO
2 UPDATE LIST.—

3 “(i) IN GENERAL.—Not later than the
4 end of the 5-year period described in sub-
5 paragraph (B)(ii), the Administrator shall
6 make a determination with respect to
7 whether continuing to update the list re-
8 quired by subparagraph (A) is necessary to
9 carry out this subsection.

10 “(ii) EFFECT OF DETERMINATION
11 THAT UPDATES ARE NECESSARY.—If the
12 Administrator determines under clause (i)
13 that continuing to update the list required
14 by subparagraph (A) is necessary, the Ad-
15 ministrator shall continue to update the
16 list, based on information provided by the
17 Trade Representative and the Attorney
18 General, not less frequently than annually.

19 “(iii) EFFECT OF DETERMINATION
20 THAT UPDATES ARE NOT NECESSARY.—If
21 the Administrator determines under clause
22 (i) that continuing to update the list re-
23 quired by subparagraph (A) is not nec-
24 essary, the Administrator shall, not later
25 than 90 days after making the determina-

1 tion, submit to Congress a report on the
2 determination and the reasons for the de-
3 termination.”.

4 (b) SUNSET.—The amendment made by subsection
5 (a) shall not have any force or effect on and after Sep-
6 tember 30, 2023.

