

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 4339
OFFERED BY MR. LANGEVIN OF RHODE ISLAND**

At the appropriate place in the amendment, insert the following (and conform the table of contents accordingly):

1 **SEC. ____ . REPAIR STATION SECURITY.**

2 (a) SECURITY STANDARDS.—Section 44924 of title
3 49, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end
4 the following:

5 “(h) SECURITY STANDARDS.—

6 “(1) APPLICABILITY OF SECURITY STANDARDS
7 TO MAINTENANCE WORK PERFORMED AT AIRCRAFT
8 REPAIR STATIONS.—In issuing the regulations under
9 subsection (f), the Assistant Secretary shall ensure
10 that comparable security standards apply to mainte-
11 nance work performed by employees of air carriers
12 under part 121 of title 14, Code of Federal Regula-
13 tions, and maintenance work performed by employ-
14 ees of repair stations certified under part 145 of
15 that title.

16 “(2) EMPLOYMENT INVESTIGATIONS AND RE-
17 STRICTIONS.—The regulations shall ensure that an



1 individual employed in a position at a repair station
2 certified under part 145 of title 14, Code of Regula-
3 tions, in which the individual performs maintenance
4 of aircraft used to provide air transportation is sub-
5 ject the employment requirements and restrictions of
6 section 44936 in the same manner as an individual
7 in a position described in section 44936(a)(1).

8 “(i) FAILURE TO MEET REGULATION DEADLINE.—
9 If the Assistant Secretary does not issue final regulations
10 under subsection (f) on or before the 60th day following
11 the date of enactment of this subsection, the Assistant
12 Secretary shall issue an order prohibiting the use, after
13 such 60th day, of foreign repair stations certified under
14 part 145 of title 14, Code of Federal Regulations, for the
15 maintenance of aircraft used to provide air transportation,
16 except in the case of an emergency. The Assistant Sec-
17 retary may revoke the order after the date of issuance of
18 such regulations.”.

19 (b) 9-MONTH DEADLINE FOR SECURITY REVIEW
20 AND AUDIT.—Subsections (a) and (d) of section 44924
21 of such title are amended by striking “18 months” and
22 inserting “9 months”.

23 (c) REFERENCES TO UNDER SECRETARY.—Section
24 44924 of such title is amended—



1 (1) in subsection (a) by striking “Under Sec-
2 retary for Border and Transportation Security of
3 the Department of Homeland Security” and insert-
4 ing “Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security
5 (Transportation Security Administration)”; and

6 (2) by striking “Under Secretary” each place it
7 appears and inserting “Assistant Secretary”.

