

Jerry Moran

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To improve section 907.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—118th Cong., 1st Sess.

S. _____

To amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize appropriations for the Federal Aviation Administration for fiscal years 2024 through 2028, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENTS intended to be proposed by Mr. MORAN

Viz:

- 1 Beginning on page 438, strike line 19, and all that
- 2 follows through page 439, line 3, and insert the following:
- 3 **SEC. 907. HYPERSONIC AND SUPERSONIC FLIGHT TESTING.**
- 4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year (Super-
- 5 sonic) and 2 years (Hypersonic) after the date of enact-
- 6 ment of this section, the Administrator shall establish pro-
- 7 cedures for permitting manned flights in oceanic airspace
- 8 and overland flights operating with speeds in excess of
- 9 Mach 1 (Supersonic Flight) including Mach 5
- 10 (Hypersonic) and above for the purposes of developmental
- 11 and airworthiness testing (including demonstration flights
- 12 in areas where such flights will not interfere with the safe-

1 ty of other aircraft or the efficient use of airspace in the
2 national airspace system).

3 On page 439, strike lines 8 through 10, and insert
4 the following:

5 (2) applications for special flight authorizations
6 for flights operating with speeds in excess of Mach
7 1 (Supersonic) or Mach 5 (Hypersonic), as described
8 in such part 91.818;

9 On page 439, line 19, insert "supersonic and" before
10 "hypersonic".