

Markey-4 (As modified) Edward J. Markey

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To improve the provisions relating to refunds for cancelled and significantly changed flights.

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

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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

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. MARKEY

Viz:

1 Beginning on page 296, strike line 25 and all that
2 follows through page 297, line 6, and insert the following:

3 “(e) ALTERNATIVE TO REFUND.—An air carrier and
4 a foreign air carrier may offer a voucher, credit, or other
5 form of compensation as an alternative to providing a re-
6 fund required by subsection (a) but only if—

7 “(1) the offer includes a clear and conspicuous
8 notice of—

9 “(A) the terms of the offer; and

10 “(B) the passenger’s right to a full refund
11 under this section; and

1 “(2) the voucher, credit, or other form of com-
2 pensation remains valid and redeemable by the con-
3 sumer for a period of at least 5 years from the date
4 on which the voucher, credit, or other form of com-
5 pensation is issued.