

117TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 8234

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 24, 2022

Mr. SAN NICOLAS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Pacific Island Aviator  
5 Development Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. AERONAUTICAL EXPERIENCE.**

2       The Secretary of Transportation shall issue such reg-  
3 ulations as are necessary to amend section 61.129(a)(4)(i)  
4 of title 14, Code of Federal Regulations, to establish an  
5 exception of a straight-line distance of at least 110 nau-  
6 tical miles for the longest segment cross-country flight re-  
7 quirement if the requirement is being met in Guam, Ha-  
8 waii, or the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Is-  
9 lands.

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