



Office of Inspector General Audit Report: FAA and Industry Are Taking Action to Address Pilot Fatigue, But More Information on Pilot Commuting Is Needed: Project Id: AV-2011- 176

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Bibliogov, United States, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.On September 12, 2011, we issued a report on Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and industry efforts to address and enforce Federal regulations for flight crew rest requirements and fatigue issues. We conducted this review at the request of the Chairmen and Ranking Members of the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and Subcommittee on Aviation Operations, Safety, and Security, as well as the former Chairman of the House Subcommittee on Aviation. This request was also reiterated by Representatives Louise Slaughter and Brian Higgins. We found that FAA has taken important and much needed steps to update flight, duty, and rest requirements for pilots, including publishing a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) with revised regulations. However, FAA's NPRM has encountered significant opposition from the aviation industry, posing a challenge for the Agency to implement. Additionally, the NPRM does not require carriers to identify pilots who commute, or to have policies addressing pilot domicile issues that impact commuting and fatigue. We also found that both air carriers and FAA have generally ensured compliance with current Federal flight, duty,...

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