

Public Law 114–238  
114th Congress

An Act

Oct. 7, 2016  
[H.R. 5944]

To amend title 49, United States Code, with respect to certain grant assurances,  
and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of  
the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

**SECTION 1. GRANT ASSURANCES.**

Section 47107 of title 49, United States Code, is amended  
by adding at the end the following:

“(t) RENEWAL OF CERTAIN LEASES.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding subsection (a)(13), an  
airport owner or operator who renews a covered lease shall  
not be treated as violating a written assurance requirement  
under this section as a result of such renewal.

“(2) COVERED LEASE DEFINED.—In this subsection, the term  
‘covered lease’ means a lease—

“(A) originally entered into before the date of enact-  
ment of this subsection;

“(B) under which a nominal lease rate is provided;

“(C) under which the lessee is a Federal or State  
government entity; and

“(D) that supports the operation of military aircraft  
by the Air Force or Air National Guard—

“(i) at the airport; or

“(ii) remotely from the airport.”.

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**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—H.R. 5944:**

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