

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 3935
OFFERED BY MR. MAST OF FLORIDA**

At the end of title VIII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 834. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL PROCESS.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the
3 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Transpor-
4 tation shall establish an administrative appeal process
5 whereby an affected airport sponsor may appeal an agency
6 decision on the appropriate level of review under the Na-
7 tional Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321
8 et seq.) required for a proposed Federal action.

9 (b) APPEAL TIMELINE.—The appeal process estab-
10 lished under subsection (a) shall allow an appeal within
11 60 days of an agency decision described in such subsection
12 and shall require a final agency decision by an Federal
13 Aviation Administration headquarters official within 60
14 days of such an appeal.

