

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 1204  
OFFERED BY MR. THOMPSON OF MISSISSIPPI**

In section 2(a), in the proposed section 44946 of title 49, United States Code, redesignate subsections (h) through (k) as subsections (i) through (l), respectively.

In section 2(a), in the proposed section 44946 of title 49, United States Code, insert after subsection (g) the following:

1       “(h) SECURITY TECHNOLOGY SUBCOMMITTEE.—

2               “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Assistant Secretary  
3       shall establish within the Advisory Committee a se-  
4       curity technology subcommittee to provide rec-  
5       ommendations on security technology issues, includ-  
6       ing harmonization of security technology standards  
7       and requirements.

8               “(2) MEETINGS AND REPORTING.—The sub-  
9       committee shall meet at least quarterly and submit  
10       to the Advisory Committee for inclusion in the an-  
11       nual report required under subsection (b)(4) infor-  
12       mation, including recommendations, regarding secu-  
13       rity technology. Such submissions shall include rec-

1       ommendations to improve the Transportation Secu-  
2       rity Administration’s utilization of security tech-  
3       nology and harmonization of security technology  
4       standards and requirements. All recommendations  
5       shall be in furtherance of aviation security and tech-  
6       nology neutral.

7               “(3) MEMBERSHIP.—The subcommittee shall—

8                       “(A) include members of the Advisory  
9                       Committee with expertise in checkpoint, bag-  
10                      gage, and air cargo security technology; and

11                      “(B) be co-chaired by a Government and  
12                      industry official.”.

