

Public Law 110–330  
110th Congress

An Act

To amend title 49, United States Code, to extend authorizations for the airport improvement program, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the funding and expenditure authority of the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, and for other purposes.

Sept. 30, 2008  
[H.R. 6984]

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

**SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

This Act may be cited as the “Federal Aviation Administration Extension Act of 2008, Part II”.

Federal Aviation  
Administration  
Extension Act of  
2008, Part II.  
26 USC 1 note.

**SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF TAXES FUNDING AIRPORT AND AIRWAY TRUST FUND.**

(a) **FUEL TAXES.**—Subparagraph (B) of section 4081(d)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking “September 30, 2008” and inserting “March 31, 2009”.

26 USC 4081.

(b) **TICKET TAXES.**—

(1) **PERSONS.**—Clause (ii) of section 4261(j)(1)(A) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking “September 30, 2008” and inserting “March 31, 2009”.

(2) **PROPERTY.**—Clause (ii) of section 4271(d)(1)(A) of such Code is amended by striking “September 30, 2008” and inserting “March 31, 2009”.

(c) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendments made by this section shall take effect on October 1, 2008.

26 USC 4081  
note.

**SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF AIRPORT AND AIRWAY TRUST FUND EXPENDITURE AUTHORITY.**

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—Paragraph (1) of section 9502(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended—

(1) by striking “October 1, 2008” and inserting “April 1, 2009”, and

(2) by inserting “or the Federal Aviation Administration Extension Act of 2008, Part II” before the semicolon at the end of subparagraph (A).

(b) **CONFORMING AMENDMENT.**—Paragraph (2) of section 9502(e) of such Code is amended by striking the date specified in such paragraph and inserting “April 1, 2009”.

(c) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendments made by this section shall take effect on October 1, 2008.

26 USC 9502  
note.

**SEC. 4. EXTENSION OF AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM.**

(a) **AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—Section 48103 of title 49, United States Code, is amended—

- (A) by striking “and” at the end of paragraph (4);
- (B) by striking the period at the end of paragraph (5) and inserting “; and”; and

(C) by inserting after paragraph (5) the following:

“(6) \$1,950,000,000 for the 6-month period beginning on October 1, 2008.”.

(2) OBLIGATION OF AMOUNTS.—Sums made available pursuant to the amendment made by paragraph (1) may be obligated at any time through September 30, 2009, and shall remain available until expended.

Time period.

(3) PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION.—For purposes of calculating funding apportionments and meeting other requirements under sections 47114, 47115, 47116, and 47117 of title 49, United States Code, for the 6-month period beginning on October 1, 2008, the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration shall—

(A) first calculate funding apportionments on an annualized basis as if the total amount available under section 48103 of such title for fiscal year 2009 were \$3,900,000,000; and

(B) then reduce by 50 percent—

(i) all funding apportionments calculated under subparagraph (A); and

(ii) amounts available pursuant to sections 47117(b) and 47117(f)(2) of such title.

(b) PROJECT GRANT AUTHORITY.—Section 47104(c) of such title is amended by striking “September 30, 2008,” and inserting “March 31, 2009,”.

#### SEC. 5. EXTENSION OF EXPIRING AUTHORITIES.

(a) Section 40117(l)(7) of title 49, United States Code, is amended by striking “September 30, 2008.” and inserting “April 1, 2009.”.

(b) Section 41743(e)(2) of such title is amended by striking “2008” and inserting “2009”.

(c) Section 44302(f)(1) of such title is amended—

(1) by striking “November 30, 2008,” and inserting “March 31, 2009,”; and

(2) by striking “December 31, 2008,” and inserting “May 31, 2009,”.

(d) Section 44303(b) of such title is amended by striking “March 31, 2009,” and inserting “May 31, 2009,”.

(e) Section 47107(s)(3) of such title is amended by striking “October 1, 2008.” and inserting “April 1, 2009.”.

(f) Section 47115(j) of such title is amended by inserting “and for the portion of fiscal year 2009 ending before April 1, 2009,” after “2008,”.

(g) Section 47141(f) of such title is amended by striking “September 30, 2008.” and inserting “March 31, 2009.”.

(h) Section 49108 of such title is amended by striking “October 1, 2008,” and inserting “March 31, 2009,”.

(i) Section 161 of the Vision 100—Century of Aviation Reauthorization Act (49 U.S.C. 47109 note) is amended by striking “fiscal year 2008,” and inserting “fiscal year 2009 before April 1, 2009,”.

(j) Section 186(d) of such Act (117 Stat. 2518) is amended by inserting “and for the portion of fiscal year 2009 ending before April 1, 2009,” after “2008,”.

(k) Section 409(d) of such Act (49 U.S.C. 41731 note) is amended by striking “September 30, 2008.” and inserting “September 30, 2009.”

(l) The amendments made by this section shall take effect on October 1, 2008.

Effective date.  
49 USC 40117  
note.

**SEC. 6. FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION OPERATIONS.**

Section 106(k)(1) of title 49, United States Code, is amended—

- (1) by striking “and” at the end of subparagraph (C);
- (2) by striking the period at the end of subparagraph (D) and inserting “; and”; and
- (3) by inserting after subparagraph (D) the following:

“(E) \$4,516,364,500 for the 6-month period beginning on October 1, 2008.”

Time period.

**SEC. 7. AIR NAVIGATION FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT.**

Section 48101(a) of title 49, United States Code, is amended—

- (1) by striking “and” at the end of paragraph (3);
- (2) by striking the period at the end of paragraph (4) and inserting “; and”; and
- (3) by adding at the end the following:

“(5) \$1,360,188,750 for the 6-month period beginning on October 1, 2008.”

Time period.

**SEC. 8. RESEARCH, ENGINEERING, AND DEVELOPMENT.**

Section 48102(a) of title 49, United States Code, is amended—

- (1) by striking “and” at the end of paragraph (11)(K);
- (2) by striking the period at the end of paragraph (12)(L) and inserting “; and”; and
- (3) by adding at the end the following:

“(13) \$85,507,500 for the 6-month period beginning on October 1, 2008.”

Time period.

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