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# H. R. 2132

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 14, 2025

Ms. KING-HINDS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Marianas Air Service  
5 Improvement Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. EXCEPTION FOR LOCATIONS IN NORTHERN MAR-**  
7 **IANA ISLANDS.**

8 Section 41731(c) of title 49, United States Code, is  
9 amended to read as follows:

1       “(c) EXCEPTION FOR LOCATIONS IN ALASKA, HA-  
2 WAI, AND NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS.—Subpara-  
3 graphs (B), (C), and (D) of subsection (a)(1) shall not  
4 apply with respect to locations in the State of Alaska, the  
5 State of Hawaii, or the Northern Mariana Islands.”.

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