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# H. R. 2495

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 13, 1999

Mr. LIPINSKI 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 “Carry-On Baggage Re-

5       duction Act of 1999”.

6       **SEC. 2. CARRY-ON BAGGAGE.**

7       (a) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 6 months after

8       the date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator of

1 the Federal Aviation Administration shall modify regula-  
2 tions contained in section 121.589 of title 14, Code of  
3 Federal Regulations, to require that each certificate holder  
4 (as the term is used in that section) include in the certifi-  
5 cate holder's carry-on baggage program a requirement  
6 that each passenger boarding an airplane of the certificate  
7 holder be limited to a total of 2 pieces of carry-on baggage  
8 the aggregate sum of each dimension of which does not  
9 exceed 9 inches by 14 inches by 22 inches.

10 (b) CHILD SAFETY SEATS AND DEVICES FOR DIS-  
11 ABLED.—In this section, the term “carry-on baggage”  
12 does not include child safety seats or assistive devices used  
13 by disabled passengers.

14 (c) PASSENGER DEFINED.—In this section, the term  
15 “passenger” includes any child under the age of 2 who  
16 boards an airplane of a certificate holder, without regard  
17 to whether a ticket for air transportation was purchased  
18 for the child.

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