

Professional Helicopter Pilots Association

CALL TO ACTION!

ATC Privatization Bill

Dear PHPA Members and members of the Helicopter Industry,

H.R. 2997, the 21st Century AIRR Act, better known as ATC Reform threatens to change General Aviation's access to the airways, raise the cost of every flight by charging fees per flight to use our airspace and take ATC out of FAA control, to the detriment of safety.

The position of the Professional Helicopter Pilots Association is to oppose H.R. 2997, the 21st Century AIRR Act and asks that all pilots join PHPA in the fight against this legislation that could result in the loss of our freedom to use the National Airspace System without restrictions and fees. We join 47 aviation industry groups that include:

HAI – Helicopter Association International, NATCA – National Air Traffic Controllers Association, NBAA – National Business Aviation Association, AOPA – Airplane Owners and Pilots Association, EAA – Experimental Aircraft Association, CAF – Commemorative Air Force, and GAMA – General Aviation Manufacturers Association, just to name a few, in opposition of this Bill.

But we cannot fight this alone. We need each and every PHPA Member, pilot and anyone else with a stake in this issue, to contact their Congressional representatives and voice their objections to H.R. 2997 as soon as you can.

You can also call (855) 383-7330, AOPA's ATC Privatization line that will, after a short message, use your Zip Code to connect you to the office of your Congressional Representative.

To call our two Senators:

Honorable Diane Feinstein https://www.feinstein.senate.gov/public/ (202) 224-3841

Honorable Kamala Harris https://www.harris.senate.gov/content/contact-senator (202) 224-3553

For more information see:

https://www.aopa.org/advocacy/airports-and-airspace/airport-advocacy/oppose-atc-privatization

Msg Ctr: (323) 929-PHPA (7472)