

117TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 4296

To prohibit the Transportation Security Administration from asking passengers on domestic flights for information regarding vaccinations.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 1, 2021

Mr. RUTHERFORD introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Homeland Security

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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 “Freedom to Fly Act”.

5 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON REQUESTING VACCINATION IN-**  
6 **FORMATION FROM PASSENGERS ON DOMES-**  
7 **TIC FLIGHTS.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Homeland Secu-  
9 rity and the Administrator of the Transportation Security  
10 Administration may not prescribe or implement any regu-

1 lation or policy that would allow employees of the Trans-  
2 portation Security Administration to request information  
3 relating to vaccinations from any passenger traveling on  
4 a flight between States or territories or possessions of the  
5 United States.

6 (b) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Subsection (a) does  
7 not limit the authority of the Director of the Centers for  
8 Disease Control and Prevention to issue guidance or pre-  
9 scribe regulations relating to public health.

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