RESOLUTION

IN SUPPORT OF H.R. 3816

CITED AS THE

“PILOT’S BILL OF RIGHTS”

WHEREAS, the Airborne Law Enforcement Association (ALEA) is a non-profit public benefit corporation of the State of California whose primary purpose is to promote, develop, prepare, disseminate and evaluate information with respect to the safe utilization of aircraft as a tool of law enforcement and airborne law enforcement techniques, equipment, and philosophy as an educational service for members of the organization and the public; and,

WHEREAS, subjects of investigations relating to approval, denial, suspension, modification, or revocation of airmen certificates are not afforded basic rights and protections during and upon conclusion of investigative processes; and,

WHEREAS, there is no rational justification for excluding airmen from protections afforded to all citizens of the United States who fall subject to investigation, prosecution, and punishment, to include the right of appeal; and,

WHEREAS, H.R. 3816, cited as the “Pilot’s Bill of Rights,” seeks to amend title 49 of the United States Code of Federal Regulations, to provide rights for pilots, and for other purposes;
THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Airborne Law Enforcement Association supports H.R. 3816 as written and encourages swift passage to remedy the lack of due process for pilots.

Adopted by the Airborne Law Enforcement Association Board of Directors on April 25, 2012.

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