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The Honorable Bill Shuster  
Chairman  
Committee on Transportation & Infrastructure  
U.S. House of Representatives  
2165 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Shuster:

I am writing to express Delta Air Lines' support of H.R. 4156, The Transportation Airfares Act of 2014. This legislation will increase transparency for airline customers by making the process of purchasing a ticket consistent with all other consumer transactions in today's marketplace. Especially in light of recent fee increases that have been enacted into law, it is essential that the consumer have the opportunity to understand the fare offered by the airline separate from the government-imposed taxes and fees.

Of particular note should be the bipartisan support of this legislation. Delta appreciates the leadership of Ranking Member Nick Rahall, Aviation Subcommittee Chairman Frank LoBiondo, Aviation Subcommittee Ranking Member Rick Larsen, Congressman Tom Graves, and Congressman Peter DeFazio who have all worked hard to bring this legislation forward.

Again, Delta appreciates your leadership on this issue and we look forward to working with you and your colleagues as this legislation moves forward.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrea Fischer Newman". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.