

40. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE
COLLINS OF GEORGIA, OR
HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES:

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1950, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. COLLINS OF GEORGIA**

At the end of subtitle B of title VII, add the following new section:

**1 SEC. ____ TRANSFER OF VIETNAM-ERA CESSNA L-19D BIRD
2 DOG AIRCRAFT TO ARMY AVIATION HERIT-
3 AGE FOUNDATION.**

4 (a) **AUTHORITY TO CONVEY.**—The Secretary of
5 State may convey, without consideration, to the Army
6 Aviation Heritage Foundation, a nonprofit organization
7 incorporated in the State of Georgia, all right, title, and
8 interest of the United States in and to a Vietnam-era
9 Cessna L-19D Bird Dog aircraft (serial No. 24020, Na-
10 tional registration number N32FL)(in this section re-
11 ferred to as the “aircraft”) that is excess to the needs
12 of the Department of State. The conveyance shall be made
13 by means of a conditional deed of gift

14 (b) **CONDITION OF AIRCRAFT.**—The aircraft shall be
15 conveyed in its current “as is” condition. The Secretary
16 is not required to repair or alter the condition of the air-
17 craft before conveying ownership of the aircraft.

18 (c) **CONDITION ON CONVEYANCE.**—The Secretary
19 shall include in the instrument of conveyance of the air-
20 craft the following conditions:



1 (1) The Army Aviation Heritage Foundation
2 may not convey any ownership interest in, or trans-
3 fer possession of, the aircraft to any other party
4 without the prior approval of the Secretary.

5 (2) The Army Aviation Heritage Foundation
6 shall operate and maintain the aircraft in compli-
7 ance with all applicable limitations and maintenance
8 requirements imposed by the Administrator of the
9 Federal Aviation Administration.

10 (d) REVERTER UPON BREACH OF CONDITIONS.—If
11 the Secretary determines at any time that the Army Avia-
12 tion Heritage Foundation has conveyed an ownership in-
13 terest in, or transferred possession of, the aircraft to any
14 other party without the prior approval of the Secretary,
15 all right, title, and interest in and to the aircraft, including
16 any repair or alteration of the aircraft, shall revert to the
17 United States, and the United States shall have the right
18 of immediate possession of the aircraft.

19 (e) CONVEYANCE AT NO COST TO THE UNITED
20 STATES.—The conveyance of the aircraft shall be made
21 at no cost to the United States. Any costs associated with
22 the conveyance and costs of operation and maintenance
23 of the aircraft conveyed shall be borne by the Army Avia-
24 tion Heritage Foundation.



1 (f) ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—The Sec-
2 retary may require such additional terms and conditions
3 in connection with a conveyance under this section as the
4 Secretary considers appropriate to protect the interests of
5 the United States.

6 (g) CLARIFICATION OF LIABILITY.—Notwithstanding
7 any other provision of law, upon the conveyance of owner-
8 ship of the aircraft to the Army Aviation Heritage Foun-
9 dation, the United States shall not be liable for any death,
10 injury, loss, or damage that results from any use of that
11 aircraft by any person other than the United States.



