

April 19, 2024

The Honorable Frank Lucas, Chairman The Honorable Zoe Lofgren, Ranking Member Committee on Science, Space, and Technology U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Lucas and Ranking Member Lofgren,

Exail strongly supports H.R. 6093, the Weather Act Reauthorization Act. This bipartisan bill will improve our nation's weather forecasting capabilities and environmental observations through innovation, collaboration, and partnership. America is home to a robust and capable commercial sector that can provide substantial support to NOAA's critical government missions. This legislation will allow private industry to support NOAA in new ways, through commercial data programs, stronger relationships, and collaborative planning for the future.

Exail is a leading high-tech industrial company specializing in cutting-edge robotics, maritime, navigation, aerospace and photonics technologies. With a strong entrepreneurial culture, Exail delivers unrivaled performance, reliability and safety to its civil and defense clients operating in severe environments. From the deep sea to outer space, Exail expands their capabilities with a full range of robust in-house manufactured components, products and systems. Employing a workforce of over 1500 people worldwide, Exail benefits from a global footprint to help solve global challenges.

Exail applauds both the continued support and reauthorization of the Weather Act and the improvements in H.R. 6093. We look forward to further action taken on this legislation, and support its swift passage.

Sincerely

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