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The Honorable Kevin McCarthy Majority Leader US House of Representatives H-107, The Capitol Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Lamar Smith Chairman, House Committee on Science, Space and Technology 2321 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Steven Palazzo Chairman, Subcommittee on Space 331 Cannon House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Blue Origin commends Majority Leader McCarthy, Chairman Smith, and Chairman Palazzo for their leadership in introducing the SPACE Act, which represents an important step forward for commercial human spaceflight in the United States. This important legislation addresses a number of key issues that have developed in the years since the last update to the Commercial Space Launch Act. The bill assures support for the adventurers and astronauts who intend to enjoy the experiences of spaceflight while allowing the industry to mature through a safe and thoughtful regulatory approach.

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