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SUBJECT : COMPATIBLE LAND USE PLANNING IN THE VICINITY OF AIRPORTS

1. **PURPOSE.** This circular advises Federal Aviation Administration personnel, local government officials and the public of the availability of the following two reports prepared under the auspices of the FAA by the firm of Transportation Consultants, Inc.:

"Compatible Land Use Planning On and Around Airports," and
"Aids Available for Compatible Land Use Planning Around Airports."

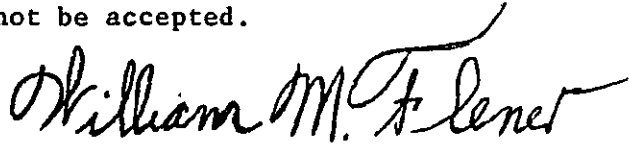
2. **BACKGROUND.** There is a need for guidance for planning land use compatible with aircraft operations. These reports provide some of that guidance with emphasis on land use planning which will be compatible with noise.

These reports are also intended to assist communities, airport sponsors and planners in complying with the provisions of Section 11, Paragraph (4) of the Federal Airport Act (49 U.S.C. 1110), as amended, which states that:

"Appropriate action, including the adoption of zoning laws, has been or will be taken, to the extent reasonable, to restrict the use of land adjacent to or in the immediate vicinity of the airport to activities and purposes compatible with normal airport operations including landing and takeoff of aircraft."

3. **AGENCY POSITION.** These reports are advisory in nature. They do not necessarily reflect FAA policy in all respects, and the FAA makes no representations and assumes no responsibility regarding the matters and opinions expressed therein. Neither report constitutes a standard, specification, or regulation.

4. HOW TO GET THESE PUBLICATIONS. These reports can be obtained from the Clearinghouse for Federal Scientific and Technical Information, U. S. Department of Commerce, Springfield, Virginia 22151. Enclose a check or money order for \$3.00 for each copy of each report requested. C.O.D. orders will not be accepted.



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