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TSA: 257 AIRPORTS PARTICIPATING IN NEW CHECKPOINT PROGRAM

The Transportation Security Administration recently announced that 257 airports are currently participating in TSA's "Selectee Checkpoint" program.

The "Selectee Checkpoint" program requires that passengers have their boarding passes and valid government issued photo IDs in hand before they reach the security checkpoint. Itineraries, E-ticket receipts and vouchers will no longer provide access through the checkpoints. Boarding passes will no longer be issued at the gates.

This program enhances security and convenience by transferring the screening of selectees from aircraft boarding gates to security checkpoints where screening equipment and personnel are concentrated.

Official boarding passes may be obtained on most airline websites, at ticket counters, through airline computer kiosks or at most skycap curbside stations.

For a list of the airports participating in this program, go to www.tsa.gov/public/display?theme=44&content=517.