

I am a free-lance flight instructor and my business would be heavily impacted by your new rule. Flight training is expensive as it is, and requiring me to jump through all these hoops prior to even doing a discovery flight will further raise the barrier of entry for any prospective student.

We don't require these hoops to drive, and the damage that can be done with a ground based vehicle largely exceeds the possible damage which could be inflicted with a small training aircraft.

It is also unlikely to be a deterrent to determined people. As usual, only the honest people will be discouraged and deterred.