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New Passenger Security Screening Areas Open at Dulles International Airport Tomorrow

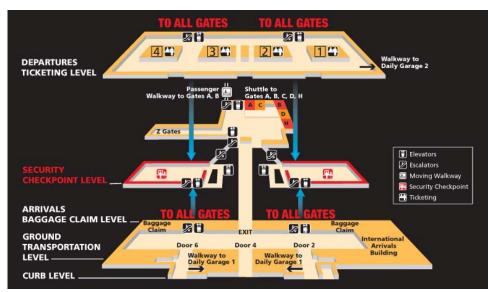
Passengers flying out of Washington Dulles International Airport will find a new place for security screening beginning tomorrow, September 15. The Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority has built a new 121,700 square foot mezzanine level in the Main Terminal of Dulles Airport for the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) to use for passenger security screening. This new mezzanine level will house two new passenger security screening TSA checkpoints on the ticketing level.

The new passenger security screening areas are part of the D2, Dulles Development, capital construction program. The new security checkpoints are located on either end of a newly constructed mezzanine level located below ground level behind the original Main Terminal. Passengers may enter a security screening area via several locations:

- Ticket Counter (Departures) level: Two security screening entrances, each marked "TO ALL GATES."
- **Baggage Claim (Arrivals) level:** Two security screening entrances near bag claims #4 and #12, also marked "TO ALL GATES." This is a convenient option for passengers with pre-printed boarding passes and no checked baggage.
- **Dulles Diamond (Expert Traveler):** No change to this security screening location, in the middle of the Baggage Claim (Arrivals) level near bag claim #8.

After proceeding through security, passengers should follow the signs to their departing flight's gate area. Mobile lounge service to the gate areas remains in effect.

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Washington Dulles International Airport Main Terminal

Cross-section showing all four levels

