

**PURSUANT** to Section 28 of the Civil Aviation Act 1990

I, Hon CRAIG FOSS, Associate Minister of Transport,

**HEREBY MAKE** the following ordinary rules.

SIGNED AT Wellington

This

day of

2016

by Hon Craig Foss

Associate Minister of Transport

Civil Aviation Rules

Part 147, Amendment 1

**Maintenance Training Organisations – Certification** 

Docket 16/CAR/1

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## Rule objective

The objective of amendment 1 to Part 147 is to add a word omitted in rule 147.5(a)(1) and to correct aspects of the Safety Management transitional provision in line with original policy intentions.

#### **Extent of consultation**

A Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, NPRM 16-01, containing the proposed changes to Part 147 and other rules was issued for public consultation under Docket 16/CAR/1 on 2 June 2016.

The NPRM was published on the CAA website and emailed to subscribers of the automatic alert service provided by the CAA.

A period of 27 days was allowed for comment on the proposed rules.

## **Summary of submissions**

Six written submissions and no oral comments were received on the NPRM. These submissions and comments have been considered and as a result a minor and non controversial amendment is being made to rule 91.605 and two new definitions are being inserted in Part 1 to clarify the definition of "Instrument runway".

A summary of submissions for this NPRM is available on the CAA website.

No submissions were received in relation to the proposed amendments to Part 147.

#### **Examination of submissions**

Submissions may be examined by application to the Docket Clerk at the Civil Aviation Authority between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm on weekdays, except statutory holidays.

#### Insertion of Amendments

This Part was amended by:

- rule 147.5(a)(1) was amended to add an omitted word;
- rule 147.103 (the Safety Management transition rule) was amended to clarify that the body in paragraph (a) is the

applicant for the grant of the certificate; that both applicants and certificate holders have to submit implementation plans for safety management to the Director; the timing of when plans must be submitted; that certificate holders do not need to submit the implementation plan with their certificate renewal application but may do so separately; to correct an incorrect statutory reference and to remove the wording in paragraph (f) of the existing rule.

#### Effective date of rule

Amendment 1 to Part 147 comes into force on 10 March 2017.

## Availability of rules

Civil Aviation Rules are available from-

CAA web site: http://www.caa.govt.nz/

Freephone: 0800 GET RULES (0800 438 785)

# Part 147 Maintenance Training Organisations - Certification

Replace rule 147.5 with the following rule:

# 147.5 Application for maintenance training organisation certificate

- (a) An organisation referred to in rule 147.3(a) must—
  - (1) apply for a maintenance training organisation certificate; or
  - (2) if the organisation's certificate that was granted or renewed under rule 147.35 is due to expire, apply for the certificate to be renewed before the certificate expires.
- (b) The organisation must apply by—
  - (1) submitting an application to the Director in accordance with section 8 of the Act; and
  - (2) paying the appropriate fee.
- (c) An application must include:
  - (1) a completed form CAA 24147/01:
  - (2) the exposition required by rule 147.23.

Replace rule 147.103 with the following rule:

# 147.103 System for safety management transition for maintenance training organisation certificate holders and applicants

- (a) This rule applies to each—
  - (1) organisation that is referred to in rule 147.3(a):

- (2) applicant for the grant of a maintenance training organisation certificate.
- (b) Before the date for implementation set in accordance with subparagraph (e)(2), an organisation to which this rule applies is not required to comply with—
  - (1) rule 147.13(a)(2)(ii), if instead of a senior person responsible for the system for safety management, the organisation has a senior person responsible for internal quality assurance:
  - (2) rule 147.17, if instead of establishing, implementing, and maintaining the system for safety management, the organisation has established an internal quality assurance system that complies with rule 147.105:
  - (3) rule 147.23(a)(2)(i):
  - (4) rule 147.23(a)(4)(iv):
  - (5) rule 147.23(a)(6).
- (c) A completed CAA form and implementation plan must be submitted to the Director—
  - (1) after 1 February 2016 for an applicant for the grant of a maintenance training organisation under subparagraph (a)(2); and
  - (2) by 30 July 2018 for a holder of a maintenance training organisation certificate under subparagraph (a)(1).
- (d) The implementation plan referred to in paragraph (c) must—
  - (1) include a proposed date for implementation of the system for safety management; and
  - (2) outline how the organisation plans to implement the system for safety management required under rule 147.17.
- (e) The Director will, if acceptable—

- (1) approve the organisation's implementation plan; and
- (2) set the date for implementation of the system for safety management.
- (f) In setting the date under subparagraph (e)(2), the Director must have regard to the following:
  - (1) the capability of the organisation:
  - (2) the complexity of the organisation:
  - (3) the risks inherent in the activities of the organisation:
  - (4) the date of certificate renewal:
  - (5) any resource or scheduling impacts on the organisation or the Authority or both;
  - (6) the date for implementation must not be later than 1 February 2021.
- (g) A holder of a maintenance training organisation certificate under subparagraph (a)(1) does not have to submit an implementation plan with its certificate renewal application.
- (h) This rule expires on 1 February 2021.