PART 39—AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES

1. The authority citation for part 39 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 49 USC 106(g), 40113, 44701.

§ 39.13 [Amended]

2. Section 39.13 is amended by removing amendment 39–9291 (60 FR 35326, July 7, 1995), and by adding a new airworthiness directive (AD), amendment 39–9498, to read as follows:

95–13–11 R1 McDonnell Douglas: Amendment 39–9498. Docket 94–NM– 178–AD. Revises AD 95–13–11, Amendment 39–9291.

Applicability: Model DC-10-10 airplanes, as listed in McDonnell Douglas DC-10 Service Bulletin 57-129, dated August 12, 1994; certificated in any category.

Note 1: This AD applies to each airplane identified in the preceding applicability provision, regardless of whether it has been modified, altered, or repaired in the area subject to the requirements of this AD. For airplanes that have been modified, altered, or repaired so that the performance of the requirements of this AD is affected, the owner/operator must use the authority provided in paragraph (e) of this AD to request approval from the FAA. This approval may address either no action, if the current configuration eliminates the unsafe condition; or different actions necessary to address the unsafe condition described in this AD. Such a request should include an assessment of the effect of the changed configuration on the unsafe condition addressed by this AD. In no case does the presence of any modification, alteration, or repair remove any airplane from the applicability of this AD.

Compliance: Required as indicated, unless accomplished previously.

To prevent reduced structural integrity of the wing front spar and damage to adjacent structures due to fatigue cracking in the upper cap of the front spar of the wing, accomplish the following:

- (a) Prior to the accumulation of 10,000 total landings, or within 1,800 landings after the effective date of this AD, whichever occurs later, perform an initial eddy current test high frequency (ETHF) surface inspection to detect cracks in the upper cap of the front spar of the left and right wing at stations Xos 667.678 and Xos 789.645, in accordance with McDonnell Douglas DC–10 Service Bulletin McDonnell tough as 12, 1994. Repeat this inspection thereafter at the intervals specified in paragraph (b) or (c) of this AD, as applicable.
- (b) For airplanes on which no crack is found: Repeat the inspection required by paragraph (a) of this AD thereafter at intervals not to exceed 10,000 landings, or accomplish the crack preventative modification in accordance with McDonnell Douglas DC–10 Service Bulletin 57–129, dated August 12, 1994. Accomplishment of that preventative modification constitutes terminating action for the requirements of this paragraph.

- (c) For airplanes on which any crack is found that is identified as "Condition II" in McDonnell Douglas DC–10 Service Bulletin 57–129, dated August 12, 1994: Accomplish paragraphs (c)(1) and (c)(2) of this AD in accordance with that service bulletin.
- (1) Prior to further flight, perform the permanent repair for cracks in accordance with the service bulletin; and
- (2) Within 12,500 landings after the installation of the permanent repair specified in paragraph (c)(1) of this AD, perform an ETHF surface inspection for cracks, in accordance with the service bulletin. Repeat this inspection thereafter at intervals not to exceed 7,000 landings.
- (d) For airplanes on which any crack is found that is identified as "Condition III" in McDonnell Douglas DC–10 Service Bulletin 57–129, dated August 12, 1994: Prior to further flight, repair the cracking in accordance with a method approved by the Manager, Los Angeles Aircraft Certification Office (ACO), FAA, Transport Airplane Directorate.
- (e) An alternative method of compliance or adjustment of the compliance time that provides an acceptable level of safety may be used if approved by the Manager, Los Angeles ACO. Operators shall submit their requests through an appropriate FAA Principal Maintenance Inspector, who may add comments and then send it to the Manager, Los Angeles ACO.

Note 2: Information concerning the existence of approved alternative methods of compliance with this AD, if any, may be obtained from the Los Angeles ACO.

- (f) Special flight permits may be issued in accordance with sections 21.197 and 21.199 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 21.197 and 21.199) to operate the airplane to a location where the requirements of this AD can be accomplished.
- (g) The inspections, modification, and permanent repair shall be done in accordance with McDonnell Douglas DC-10 Service Bulletin 57-129, dated August 12, 1994. This incorporation by reference was approved previously by the Director of the Federal Register, in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552(a) and 1 CFR part 51 as of August 7, 1995 (60 FR 35326, July 7, 1995). Copies may be obtained from McDonnell Douglas Corporation, 3855 Lakewood Boulevard, Long Beach, California 90846, Attention: **Technical Publications Business** Administration, Department C1-L51 (2-60). Copies may be inspected at the FAA, Transport Airplane Directorate, 1601 Lind Avenue, SW., Renton, Washington; or at the FAA, Transport Airplane Directorate, Los Angeles Aircraft Certification Office, 3960 Paramount Boulevard, Lakewood, California; or at the Office of the Federal Register, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., suite 700, Washington, DC.
- (g) This amendment is effective on August 7, 1995.

Issued in Renton, Washington, on January 22, 1996.

Darrell M. Pederson,

Acting Manager, Transport Airplane Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service. [FR Doc. 96–1569 Filed 1–29–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4910–13–U

14 CFR Part 97

[Docket No. 28426; Amdt. No. 1703]

Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This amendment establishes, amends, suspends, or revokes Standard **Instrument Approach Procedures** (SIAPs) for operations at certain airports. These regulatory actions are needed because of the adoption of new or revised criteria, or because of changes occurring in the National Airspace System, such as the commissioning of new navigational facilities, addition of new obstacles, or changes in air traffic requirements. These changes are designed to provide safe and efficient use of the navigable airspace and to promote safe flight operations under instrument flight rules at the affected airports.

DATES: An effective date for each SIAP is specified in the amendatory provisions.

Incorporation by reference-approved by the Director of the Federal Register on December 31, 1980, and reapproved as of January 1, 1982.

ADDRESSES: Availability of matters incorporated by reference in the amendment is as follows:

For Examination-

- 1. FAA Rules Docket, FAA Headquarters Building, 800 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20591;
- 2. The FAA Regional Office of the region in which the affected airport is located; or
- 3. The Flight Inspection Area Office which originated the SIAP.

For Purchase—Individual SIAP copies may be obtained from:

- 1. FAA Public Inquiry Center (APA-200), FAA Headquarters Building, 800 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20591; or
- 2. The FAA Regional Office of the region in which the affected airport is located.

By Subscription—Copies of all SIAPs, mailed once every 2 weeks, are for sale

by the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Paul J. Best, Flight Procedures Standards Branch (AFS–420), Technical Programs Division, Flight Standards Service, Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20591; telephone (202) 267–8277.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This amendment to part 97 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR part 97) establishes, amends, suspends, or revokes Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (SIAPs). The complete regulatory description of each SIAP is contained in official FAA form documents which are incorporated by reference in this amendment under 5 U.S.C. 552(a), 1 CFR part 51, and § 97.20 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (FAR). The applicable FAA Forms are identified as FAA Forms 8260-3, 8260-4, and 8260–5. Materials incorporated by reference are available for examination or purchase as stated above.

The large number of SIAPs, their complex nature, and the need for a special format make their verbatim publication in the Federal Register expensive and impractical. Further, airmen do not use the regulatory text of the SIAPs, but refer to their graphic depiction on charts printed by publishers of aeronautical materials. Thus, the advantages of incorporation by reference are realized and publication of the complete description of each SIAP contained in FAA form documents is unnecessary. The provisions of this amendment state the affected CFR (and FAR) sections, with the types and effective dates of the SIAPs. This amendment also identifies the airport, its location, the procedure identification and the amendment number.

The Rule

This amendment to part 97 is effective upon publication of each separate SIAP as contained in the transmittal. Some SIAP amendments may have been previously issued by the FAA in a National Flight Data Center (FDC) Notice to Airmen (NOTAM) as an emergency action of immediate flight safety relating directly to published aeronautical charts. The circumstances which created the need for some SIAP amendments may require making them effective in less than 30 days. For the remaining SIAPs, an effective date at least 30 days after publication is provided.

Further, the SIAPs contained in this amendment are based on the criteria contained in the U.S. Standard for Terminal Instrument Approach Procedures (TERPS). In developing these SIAPs, the TERPS criteria were applied to the conditions existing or anticipated at the affected airports. Because of the close and immediate relationship between these SIAPs and safety in air commerce, I find that notice and public procedure before adopting these SIAPs are impracticable and contrary to the public interest and, where applicable, that good cause exists for making some SIAPs effective in less than 30 days.

The FAA has determined that this regulation only involves an established body of technical regulations for which frequent and routine amendments are necessary to keep them operationally current. It, therefore—(1) is not a "significant regulatory action" under Executive Order 12866; (2) is not a "significant rule" under DOT Regulatory Policies and Procedures (44 FR 11034; February 26, 1979); and (3) does not warrant preparation of a regulatory evaluation as the anticipated impact is so minimal. For the same reason, the FAA certifies that this amendment will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities under the criteria of the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 97

Air Traffic Control, Airports, Navigation (Air).

Issued in Washington, DC on December 29, 1995

Thomas C. Accardi,

Director, Flight Standards Service.

Adoption of the Amendment

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority delegated to me, part 97 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR part 97) is amended by establishing, amending, suspending, or revoking Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, effective at 0901 UTC on the dates specified, as follows:

PART 97—STANDARD INSTRUMENT APPROACH PROCEDURES

1. The authority citation for part 97 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40103, 40113, 40120, 44701; and 14 CFR 11.49(b)(2).

2. Part 97 is amended to read as follows:

§§ 97.23, 97.25, 97.27, 97.29, 97.31, 97.33 and 97.35 [Amended]

By amending: § 97.23 VOR, VOR/ DME, VOR or TACAN, and VOR/DME or TACAN; § 97.25 LOC, LOC/DME, LDA, LDA/DME, SDF, SDF/DME; § 97.27 NDB, NDB/DME; § 97.29 ILS, ILS/DME, ISMLS, MLS, MLS/DME, MLS/RNAV; § 97.31 RADAR SIAPs; § 97.33 RNAV SIAPs; and § 97.35 COPTER SIAPs, identified as follows:

* * * Effective February 29, 1996

Galliano, LA, South Lafourche, GPS RWY 18, Orig

Grand Rapids, MI, Kent County Intl, VOR OR GPS RWY 18, Amdt 6, CANCELLED

Grand Rapids, MI, Kent County Intl, VOR– OR GPS RWY 36, Amdt 11, CANCELLED Grand Rapids, MI, Kent County Intl, VOR–A, Orig

Grand Rapids, MI, Kent County Intl, VOR–B, Orig

Grand Rapids, MI, Kent County Intl, NDB or GPS RWY 26L, Amdt 20

Grand Rapids, MI, Kent County Intl, ILS RWY 8R, Amdt 5

Grand Rapids, MI, Kent County Intl, ILS RWY 26L, Amdt 20

Grand Rapids, MI, Kent County Intl, RADAR-1, Amdt 10

Greenville, MI, Greenville Muni, VOR/DME OR GPS–A, Amdt 1

Hastings, MI, Hastings, VOR RWY 12, Orig Hastings, MI, Hastings, VOR OR GPS-A, Orig, CANCELLED

Kalamazoo, MI, Kalamazoo/Battle Creek Intl, GPS RWY 5, Orig

Kalamazoo, MI, Kalamazoo/Battle Creek Intl, GPS RWY 23, Orig

Port Huron, MI, St. Clair County Intl, NDB or GPS RWY 4, Amdt 3

Port Huron, MI St. Clair County Intl, ILS RWY 4, Amdt 3

Rugby, ND, Rugby Muni, GPS RWY 30, Orig Ashland, OH, Ashland County, VOR OR GPS–A, Amdt 7

Ashland, OH, Ashland County, NDB OR GPS RWY 18, Amdt 9

Huntingdon, TN, Carroll County, GPS RWY 19, Orig

Millington, TN, Charles W. Baker, VOR/DME RWY 18, Amdt 1

Millington, TN, Millington Muni, VOR/DME RWY 22, Amdt 1

Salt Lake City, UT, Salt Lake City Muni 2, GPS RWY 34, Orig

Burlington/Mount Vernon, Skagit Regional/ Bay View, GPS RWY 10, Orig

Burlington/Mount Vernon, Skagit Regional/ Bay View, GPS RWY 28, Orig Cheyenne, WY, Cheyenne, GPS RWY 12,

Orig
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[Docket No. 28442; Amdt. No. 1706]

Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Final rule.