95–10–16, amendment 39–9233, are not considered to be approved as alternative methods of compliance with this AD.

**Note 3:** Information concerning the existence of approved alternative methods of compliance with this AD, if any, may be obtained from the Seattle ACO.

(m) 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.

(n) Except as provided by paragraphs (a)(2), (c), (d)(1), (d)(1)(ii), (d)(2), (g), (h)(1)(ii), (h)(2), (h)(2)(i), and (k) of this AD, the inspections, rework, and reseal shall be done in accordance with Boeing Alert Service Bulletin 747–54A2126, Revision 5, dated June 26, 1997; Boeing Service Bulletin 747–54A2126, Revision 6, dated August 28, 1997; or Boeing Alert Service Bulletin 747–54A2126, Revision 7, dated November 20, 1998.

(1) The incorporation by reference of Boeing Alert Service Bulletin 747–54A2126, Revision 5, dated June 26, 1997, 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 September 29, 1997 (62 FR 47927, September 12, 1997).

(2) The incorporation by reference of Boeing Service Bulletin 747–54A2126, Revision 6, dated August 28, 1997; and Boeing Alert Service Bulletin 747–54A2126, Revision 7, dated November 20, 1998; is approved by the Director of the Federal Register in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552(a) and 1 CFR part 51. Copies may be obtained from Boeing Commercial Airplane Group, P.O. Box 3707, Seattle, Washington 98124–2207

(3) Copies may be inspected at the FAA, Transport Airplane Directorate, 1601 Lind Avenue, SW., Renton, Washington; or at the Office of the Federal Register, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., suite 700, Washington, DC.

(o) This amendment becomes effective on January 15, 1999.

Issued in Renton, Washington, on December 23, 1998.

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# **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

## **Federal Aviation Administration**

#### 14 CFR Part 39

[Docket No. 98-ANE-77-AD; Amendment 39-10975; AD 99-01-08]

RIN 2120-AA64

Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney JT8D and JT3D Series Turbofan Engines

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration, DOT.

**ACTION:** Final rule; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** This amendment adopts a new airworthiness directive (AD) that is applicable to Pratt & Whitney (PW) JT8D and JT3D series turbofan engines. This action requires operators to remove and replace with serviceable parts, certain stage 7 through stage 15 high-pressure compressor (HPC) disks identified by part number and serial number. This amendment is prompted by a report of an uncontained failure of a stage 8 HPC disk during a takeoff roll that resulted in damage to the airplane. The actions specified in this AD are intended to prevent the failure of a high-pressure compressor disk due to Cadmium embrittlement, resulting in uncontained engine failure and damage to the airplane.

DATES: Effective January 5, 1999. Comments for inclusion in the Rules Docket must be received on or before March 1, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments in triplicate to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), New England Region, Office of the Regional Counsel, Attention: Rules Docket No. 98–ANE–77–AD, 12 New England Executive Park, Burlington, MA 01803–5299. Comments may also be sent via the Internet using the following address: "9-adengineprop@faa.gov". Comments sent via the Internet must contain the docket number in the subject line.

The service information referenced in this AD may be obtained from Pratt & Whitney, 400 Main St., East Hartford, CT 06108; telephone (860) 565–6600, fax (860) 565–4503. This information may be examined at the FAA, New England Region, Office of the Regional Counsel, Burlington, MA.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Christopher Spinney, Aerospace Engineer, Engine Certification Office, FAA, Engine and Propeller Directorate, 12 New England Executive Park, Burlington, MA 01803–5299; telephone (781) 238–7175, fax (781) 238–7199.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has received a report of an uncontained failure of a stage 8 high-pressure compressor (HPC) disk, part number (P/N) 787008, installed on a Pratt & Whitney (PW) JT8D–9 turbofan engine. The laboratory testing revealed that the disk failed as a result of Cadmium embrittlement. Nickel-Cadmium (NiCd) coatings are used on JT8D and JT3D steel disks to inhibit corrosion. The coating process consists of many steps, the most fundamental of which are the electrolytic deposition of a Nickel base

layer followed eventually by the electrolytic deposition of a Cadmium layer. The part is then baked in an oven. During the bake cycle the Nickel layer diffuses into the Cadmium which creates an alloy with a higher melting temperature than pure Cadmium and immobilizes the Cadmium to prevent the liquid metal embrittlement of the steel part. The Cadmium rich outer layer acts as the corrosion inhibitor. The diffused Nickel acts to immobilize the Cadmium and prevent Cadmium embrittlement of the steel. If the Nickel plating is not applied with sufficient thickness during the NiCd plating process, the undiffused Cadmium can attack the grain boundaries of the base metal. Failure results when the disk is exposed to engine operating temperatures and stresses. Analysis of this and other Cadmium embrittlement failures indicates that a disk exposed to Cadmium embrittlement will likely fail within 500 hours time-in-service (TIS). Based on the risks associated with a process anomaly at the repair facility that plated the disk, the FAA has determined that action is required to remove a number of disks plated at that facility since February 1996. The disks most at risk are those disks which have accumulated less than 500 hours TIS since they were last plated. Disks which have accumulated more than 500 hours TIS since plating will not be recalled by this AD. The FAA has identified stage 7 through stage 15 HPC disks by P/N and serial number (S/N) that have been NiCd plated by the repair facility from February 1996 through October 1998. This condition, if not corrected, could result in the failure of a high-pressure compressor disk due to Cadmium embrittlement, resulting in uncontained engine failure and damage to the airplane.

Since an unsafe condition has been identified that is likely to exist or develop on other engines of the same type design, this AD is being issued to prevent the failure of a high-pressure compressor disk due to Cadmium embrittlement, resulting in uncontained engine failure and damage to the airplane. This AD requires removal and replacement of certain part-numbered and serial-numbered stage 7 through stage 15 HPC disks with serviceable parts.

Since a situation exists that requires the immediate adoption of this regulation, it is found that notice and opportunity for prior public comment hereon are impracticable, and that good cause exists for making this amendment effective in less than 30 days.

#### **Comments Invited**

Although this action is in the form of a final rule that involves requirements affecting flight safety and, thus, was not preceded by notice and an opportunity for public comment, comments are invited on this rule. Interested persons are invited to comment on this rule by submitting such written data, views, or arguments as they may desire. Communications should identify the Rules Docket number and be submitted in triplicate to the address specified under the caption ADDRESSES. All communications received on or before the closing date for comments will be considered, and this rule may be amended in light of the comments received. Factual information that supports the commenter's ideas and suggestions is extremely helpful in evaluating the effectiveness of the AD action and determining whether additional rulemaking action would be needed.

Comments are specifically invited on the overall regulatory, economic, environmental, and energy aspects of the rule that might suggest a need to modify the rule. All comments submitted will be available, both before and after the closing date for comments, in the Rules Docket for examination by interested persons. A report that summarizes each FAA-public contact concerned with the substance of this AD will be filed in the Rules Docket.

Commenters wishing the FAA to acknowledge receipt of their comments submitted in response to this notice must submit a self-addressed, stamped postcard on which the following statement is made: "Comments to Docket Number 98–ANE–77–AD." The postcard will be date stamped and returned to the commenter.

The regulations adopted herein will not have substantial direct effects on the States, on the relationship between the national government and the States, or on the distribution of power and responsibilities among the various levels of government. Therefore, in accordance with Executive Order 12612, it is determined that this final rule does not have sufficient federalism implications to warrant the preparation of a Federalism Assessment.

The FAA has determined that this regulation is an emergency regulation that must be issued immediately to correct an unsafe condition in aircraft, and is not a "significant regulatory action" under Executive Order 12866. It has been determined further that this action involves an emergency regulation under DOT Regulatory Policies and Procedures (44 FR 11034, February 26,

1979). If it is determined that this emergency regulation otherwise would be significant under DOT Regulatory Policies and Procedures, a final regulatory evaluation will be prepared and placed in the Rules Docket. A copy of it, if filed, may be obtained from the Rules Docket at the location provided under the caption ADDRESSES.

## List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 39

Air transportation, Aircraft, Aviation safety, Safety.

## Adoption of the Amendment

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority delegated to me by the Administrator, the Federal Aviation Administration amends part 39 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR part 39) as follows:

# PART 39—AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVES

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

Authority: 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40113, 44701.

#### § 39.13 [Amended]

2. Section 39.13 is amended by adding the following new airworthiness directive:

99–01–08 Pratt & Whitney: Amendment 39–10975. Docket 98–ANE–77–AD.

Applicability: Pratt & Whitney (PW) JT8D and JT3D series turbofan engines, with stage 7 through stage 15 high-pressure compressor (HPC) disks installed, identified by part number (P/N) and serial number (S/N) specified in Appendix 1. These engines are installed on but not limited to the following aircraft: Boeing 707, 727, and 737 series airplanes and McDonnell Douglas DC-8, DC-9, and MD-80 series airplanes.

# Appendix 1

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7	774407	BENCAH2327	7
7	774407	BENCAH2851	7
7	774407	BENCAH4091	7
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7	774407	P60446	
7	774407	P70328	
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7	774407	R12413	
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Note 1: This airworthiness directive (AD)							

applies to each engine 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 engines that have been modified, altered, or repaired so that the performance of the requirements of this AD is affected, the owner/operator must request approval for an alternative method of compliance in accordance with paragraph (b) of this AD. The request should include an assessment of the effect of the modification, alteration, or repair on the unsafe condition addressed by this AD; and, if the unsafe condition has not been eliminated, the request should include specific proposed actions to address it.

Compliance: Required as indicated, unless accomplished previously.

To prevent the failure of a high-pressure compressor disk due to Cadmium embrittlement, resulting in uncontained engine failure and damage to the airplane, accomplish the following:

- (a) Remove from service stage 7 through stage 15 high-pressure compressor (HPC) disks identified in Appendix 1 of this AD as follows:
- (1) For disks with less than 250 hours time in service (TIS) since last NiCd plating, remove disk and replace with a serviceable part within 100 hours TIS after the effective date of this AD.
- (2) For disks with greater than or equal to 250 hours and less than 500 hours TIS since last NiCd plating, remove disk and replace with a serviceable part within 150 hours TIS after the effective date of this AD.
- (3) For disks with greater than or equal to 500 hours TIS since last NiCd plating no action is required.
- (4) Disks removed from service in accordance with this AD are not eligible for installation in any engine.
- (b) 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, Engine Certification Office. Operators shall submit their requests through an appropriate FAA Principal Maintenance Inspector, who may add comments and then send it to the Manager, Engine Certification Office.

**Note 2:** Information concerning the existence of approved alternative methods of compliance with this airworthiness directive, if any, may be obtained from the Engine Certification Office.

(c) 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 aircraft to a location where the record search requirements of this AD can be accomplished.

(d) This amendment becomes effective on January 5, 1999.

Issued in Burlington, Massachusetts, on December 23, 1998.

#### David A. Downey.

Assistant Manager, Engine and Propeller Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service. [FR Doc. 98–34706 Filed 12–30–98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4910–13–P

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### **Federal Aviation Administration**

# 14 CFR Part 71

[Airspace Docket No. 98-AEA-39]

# Amendment to Class E Airspace; Wise, VA

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) DOT.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** This action amends Class E airspace extending upward from 700

feet above Ground Level (AGL) at Wise, VA. The development of new Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (SIAP) based on the Global Positioning System (GPS) and the Localizer (LOC) at Lonesome Pine Airport has made this action necessary. This action is intended to provide adequate Class E airspace for instrument flight rules (IFR) operations by aircraft executing the GPS RWY 6 SIAP, GPS RWY 24 SIAP and a LOC RWY 24 SIAP to Lonesome Pine Airport.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 0901 UTC, March 25, 1999.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mr. Francis Jordan, Airspace Specialist, Airspace Branch, AEA–520, Air Traffic Division, Eastern Region, Federal Aviation Administration, Federal Building #111, John F. Kennedy International Airport, Jamaica, New York 11430, telephone: (718) 553–4521.

# SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

## History

On November 3, 1998, a notice proposing to amend Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 71) to amend the Class E airspace at Wise, VA, was published in the Federal Register (63 FR 59255). The development of a GPS RWY 6 SIAP, GPS RWY 24 and a LOC RWY 24 SIAP for Lonesome Pine Airport requires the amendment of the Class E airspace at Wise, VA. The notice proposed to amend controlled airspace extending upward from 700 feet AGL to contain IFR operations in controlled airspace during portions of the terminal operation and while transitioning between the enroute and terminal environments.

Interested parties were invited to participate in this rulemaking proceeding by submitting written comments on the proposal to the FAA. No comments to the proposal were received. The rule is adopted as proposed.

The coordinates for this airspace docket are based on North American Datum 83. Class E airspace areas designations for airspace extending upward from 700 feet AGL are published in paragraph 6005 of FAA Order 7400.9F, dated September 10, 1998, and effective September 16, 1998, which is incorporated by reference in 14 CFR 71.1. The Class E airspace designation listed in this document will be published subsequently in the Order.

#### The Rule

This amendment to Part 71 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR Part 71) amends Class E airspace at Wise, VA, to provide controlled airspace extending upward from 700 feet AGL for aircraft executing the GPS RWY 6 SIAP, GPS RWY 24 and LOC RWY 24 SIAP to Lonesome Pine Airport.

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. Therefore, this regulation—(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. Since this is a routine matter that will only affect air traffic procedures and air navigation it is certified that this rule will not have 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 71

Airspace, Incorporation by reference, Navigation (air).

## **Adoption of the Amendment**

In consideration of the foregoing, the Federal Aviation Administration amends 14 CFR part 71 as follows:

## PART 71—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for 14 CFR Part 71 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40103, 40113, 40120; EO 10854, 24 FR 9565, 3 CFR, 1959–1963 Comp., p. 389.

#### §71.1 [Amended]

2. The incorporation by reference in 14 CFR 71.1 of Federal Aviation Administration Order 7400.9F, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated September 10, 1998, and effective September 16, 1998, is amended as follows:

Paragraph 6005 Class E airspace areas extending upward from 700 feet or more above the surface of the earth.

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# **AEA VA E5 Wise, VA [Revised]**

Lonesome Pine Airport, Wise, VA (Lat.  $36^{\circ}$  59' 15'' N., long.  $82^{\circ}$  31' 49'' W.)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within an 10-mile radius of Lonesome Pine Airport.

Issued in Jamaica, New York, on December 18, 1998.

# Franklin D. Hatfield,

Manager, Air Traffic Division, Eastern Region. [FR Doc. 98–34691 Filed 12–30–98; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4910–13–M