

INFORMATION CONTACT. Requests to participate should be made in writing and postmarked on or before April 12, 2001. The request should indicate whether or not they are a member or an official of a particular interest group. The request should also state whether or not they are proposing to represent air tour, conservation, or Native American interests while serving on the group. The term of service of advisory group members will be determined by the group itself once it is convened.

At this time all persons who anticipate being covered by the regulation are invited to submit their requests. Once an altitude is established the FAA will once again allow any parties who did not convey an interest because they didn't think they were within the scope of the act to indicate their interest. Membership of the advisory group will be representative of the balanced interests of overflights of national parks as enumerated by Pub. L. 106-181 discussed above. Membership will be limited in number to facilitate efficiency in advice and counsel.

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L. Nicholas Lacey,

Director, Flight Standards Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement and Hold Scoping Meetings for Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport, Phoenix, AZ

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration, DOT.

ACTION: Notice to hold one (1) public scoping meeting and one (1) Governmental and Public Agency scoping meeting.

SUMMARY: The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is issuing this notice to advise the public that an Environmental Impact Statement will be prepared for development of the proposed West Terminal Complex at the Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport, Phoenix, Arizona. To ensure that all significant issues related to the proposed action are identified, one (1) public scoping meeting and one (1) governmental and public agency scoping meeting will be held.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kevin B. Flynn, Supervisor, Arizona Standards Section, AWP-623, Airports Division, Federal Aviation

Administration, Western-Pacific Region, P.O. Box 92007, Los Angeles, California 90009-2007, Telephone: 310/725-3632. Comments on the scope of the EIS should be submitted to the address above and must be received no later than Wednesday, May 23, 2001.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) will prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for development of the proposed West Terminal Complex at the Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport (PHX), Phoenix, Arizona. The need to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is based on the procedures described in FAA Order 5050.4A Airport Environmental Handbook. PHX is a commercial service airport located within a standard metropolitan statistical area and the proposed development includes the development of a new terminal complex; and the proposed development is likely to be controversial. The alternatives to be evaluated in the EIS include, but will not necessarily be limited to, the No-Action Alternative; the Proposed Action Alternative; the Modification of Existing Facilities Alternative, and the Combination of Constructing New and Modifying Existing Facilities Alternative. Comments and suggestions are invited from Federal, State, and local agencies, and other interested parties to ensure that the full range of issues related to these proposed projects are addressed and all significant issues are identified. The FAA reserves the right to the option of converting the study to an Environmental Assessment (EA), if the agency finds that the projected environmental impacts would not be significant. If the EA option is selected, the FAA will then issue a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI), which will allow the City of Phoenix to implement the Proposed Action Alternative. Written comments and suggestions concerning the scope of the EIS may be mailed to the FAA informational contact listed above and must be received no later than Wednesday, May 23, 2001.

Public Scoping Meetings

The FAA will hold one (1) public and one (1) governmental agency scoping meeting to solicit input from the public and various Federal, State, and local agencies which have jurisdiction by law or have specific expertise with respect to any environmental impacts associated with the proposed project. The public scoping meeting will be held Monday, April 23, 2001, at the Holiday Inn Select Phoenix Airport, 4300 East

Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85034. The meeting will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. local time. A scoping meeting will be held specifically for governmental and public agencies on Monday, April 23, 2001, at the Holiday Inn Select Phoenix Airport, 4300 East Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85034. The meeting will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. local time.

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Herman C. Bliss,

Manager, Airports Division, Western-Pacific Region, AWP-600.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

[Summary Notice No. PE-2001-17]

Petitions for Exemption; Summary of Petitions Received; Dispositions of Petitions Issued

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of petition for exemption received and disposition of prior petition.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to FAA's rulemaking provisions governing the application, processing, and disposition of petitions for exemption part 11 of Title 14, Code of Federal Regulations (14 CFR), this notice contains a summary of certain petitions seeking relief from specified requirements of 14 CFR, dispositions of certain petitions previously received, and corrections. The purpose of this notice is to improve the public's awareness of, and participation in, this aspect of FAA's regulatory activities. Neither publication of this notice nor the inclusion or omission of information in the summary is intended to affect the legal status of any petition or its final disposition.

DATES: Comments on petitions received must identify the petition docket number involved and must be received on or before April 2, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Send comments on any petition to the Docket Management System, U.S. Department of Transportation, Room Plaza 401, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590-0001. You must identify the docket number FAA-2000-XXXX at the beginning of your comments. If you wish to receive confirmation that FAA received your comments, include a self-addressed, stamped postcard.

You may also submit comments through the Internet to <http://dms.dot.gov>. You may review the public docket containing the petition, any comments received, and any final disposition in person in the Dockets Office between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. The Dockets Office (telephone 1-800-647-5527) is on the plaza level of the NASSIF Building at the Department of Transportation at the above address. Also, you may review public dockets on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Forest Rawls (202) 267-8033, or Vanessa Wilkins (202) 267-8029, Office of Rulemaking (ARM-1), Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591.

This notice is published pursuant to 14 CFR 11.85 and 11.91.

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Donald P. Byrne,

Assistant Chief Counsel for Regulations.

Petition for Exemption

Docket No.: FAA-2001-8678.

Petitioner: Lufthansa Technik AG.

Section of 14 CFR Affected: 14 CFR 25.785(j).

Description of Relief Sought: To permit installation of an executive interior on a Boeing 737-700IGW airplane without the required "firm handhold" in the passenger cabin.

Disposition of Petitions

Docket No.: FAA-2000-8428.

Petitioner: Delta Air Lines, Inc.

Section of 14 CFR Affected: 14 CFR 25.791(a) and 121.317(a).

Description of Relief Sought/Disposition: To permit Delta to operate its McDonnell Douglas MD-90 aircraft with "No Smoking" signs that always are illuminated.

Grant, 02/26/2001, Exemption No. 6034C

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Air Traffic Procedures Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

SUMMARY: The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public that a meeting of the Federal Aviation Administration Air

Traffic Procedures Advisory Committee (ATPAC) will be held to review present air traffic control procedures and practices for standardization, clarification, and upgrading of terminology and procedures.

DATES: The meeting will be held from April 2-5, 2001, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day.

ADDRESSES: This meeting will be held at the Federal Aviation Administration, Conference Rooms 8ABC, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Eric Harrell, Executive Director, ATPAC, Terminal and En Route Procedures Division, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591, telephone (202) 267-3725.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463; 5 U.S.C. App. 2), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the ATPAC to be held April 2 through April 5, 2001, at the Federal Aviation Administration, Conference Rooms 8ABC, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC.

The agenda for this meeting will cover: a continuation of the Committee's review of present air traffic control procedures and practices for standardization, clarification, and upgrading of terminology and procedures. it will also include:

1. Approval of Minutes.
2. Submission and Discussion of Areas of Concern.
3. Discussion of Potential Safety Items.
4. Report from Executive Director.
5. Items of Interest.
6. Discussion and agreement of location and dates for subsequent meetings.

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to the space available. With the approval of the Chairperson, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons desiring to attend and persons desiring to present oral statements should notify the person listed above not later than March 26, 2001. The next quarterly meeting of the FAA ATPAC is planned to be held from July 9-12, 2001, in San Francisco, California.

Any member of the public may present a written statement to the Committee at any time at the address given above.

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Eric Harrell,

Executive Director, Air Traffic, Procedures Advisory Committee.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

RTCA, Program Management Committee

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 5 U.S.C., appendix 2), notice is hereby given for Program Management Committee meeting to be held March 27, 2001, starting at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be held at RTCA, Inc., 1140 Connecticut Avenue, NW., Suite 1020, Washington, DC 20036.

The agenda will include: (1) Welcome and Introductory Remarks; (2) Review Meeting Agenda; (3) Review Previous Meeting Minutes; (4) Publication Consideration/Approval: (a) Final Draft, Minimum Aviation System Performance Standards (MASPS) for Flight Information Service Broadcast (FIS-B) Data Link, RTCA Paper No. 040-01/PMC-129, prepared by SC-195; (b) Final Draft, Concept of Operations, Night Vision Imaging System for Civil Operators, RTCA Paper No. 47-01/PMC-131, prepared by SC-196; (5) Discussion: (a) Special Committee 194, Air Traffic Data Link Implementation: Status Report; (b) Special Committee 198, NEXCOM: Status Report; (c) Special Committee 147, Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System: Status Report; (d) Proposed New Special Committee, National Airspace Redesign; (e) Special Committee 193, Terrain and Airport Databases: Progress Report; (f) Proposed New Special Committee to update DO-214, Minimum Operational Performance (MOPS) for Aircraft Audio System: Status Report; (g) Special Committee 159, Second Interim Report on Ultra Wide Band (UWB)/Global Positioning System (GPS) Interference: Consider for approval to forward to the Department of Transportation; (h) Review nominations for Annual RTCA Awards; (6) Action Item Review: (a) Action Item 00-09, Proposed revision to SC-181 Navigational Standards, Terms of Reference; (b) Action Item 00-15, Revised Document Guidance; (7) Other Business: (a) Status of ICAO Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPs) for Next Generation Satellite Systems (NGSS); (b) Ultra Wide Band (UWB) Portable Electronic Devices Interference;