

Tuesday, September 2, 2003, via e-mail or fax. Kimberly Mace, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street SW., Washington, DC 20416; (202) 401-8525 phone or (202) 481-2974 fax or e-mail kimberly.mace@sba.gov.

Sincerely,

Scott Morris,

Deputy Chief of Staff.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

[Summary Notice No. PE-2003-52]

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

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of petitions for exemption received and of dispositions of prior petitions.

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 September 22, 2003.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments [identified by DOT DMS Docket Number FAA-200X-XXXXX] by any of the following methods:

- Web Site: <http://dms.dot.gov>.

Follow the instructions for submitting comments on the DOT electronic docket site.

- Fax: 1-202-493-2251.

- Mail: Docket Management Facility; U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Nassif Building, Room PL-401, Washington, DC 20590-001.

- Hand Delivery: Room PL-401 on the plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington,

DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays.

- Federal eRulemaking Portal: Go to <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.

Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to <http://dms.dot.gov> at any time or to Room PL-401 on the plaza level of the Nassif Building, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tim Adams (202) 267-8033, Sandy Buchanan-Sumter (202) 267-7271, 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.

Issued in Washington, DC, on August 26, 2003.

Donald P. Byrne,

Assistant Chief Counsel for Regulations.

Petitions for Exemption

Docket No.: FAA-2003-15751.

Petitioner: JetBlue Airways, Inc.

Section of 14 CFR Affected: 14 CFR 91.107 and 121.311.

Description of Relief Sought: To permit JetBlue Airways, Inc., to operate Airbus A-320 aircraft equipped with a child restraint device, in addition to the aircraft's lap belt. The restraint device holds the upper torso of a child who is between 22 and 44 pounds, to the seat back in its own airplane seat. In addition, the device is being evaluated to determine if it will meet all occupant safety requirements established by the Los Angeles Aircraft Certification Office during the Supplemental Type Certificate process.

Docket No.: FAA-2003-14780.

Petitioner: Ronald DiGiovanni.

Section of 14 CFR Affected: 14 CFR 61.113(c).

Description of Relief Sought: To permit members of Ronald DiGiovanni's family to cover all of his operating expenses when being carried as passengers on an airplane that he is operating as pilot in command under his private pilot certificate.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Additional Requirements: Aquila GmbH Engine Mount Connection Design Criteria and Winglets for the Aquila GmbH AT01 JAR-VLA Airplane

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of availability of proposed design criteria and request for comments.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the availability of and requests comments on the proposed design criteria for fire protection of the connection between the metal structure of an engine mount and composite airframe on an Aquila GmbH AT01 single-engine aircraft with winglets on the wings. This airplane will be certified under the requirements of JAR-VLA (Joint Aviation Requirements—Very Light Aircraft) Amendment VLA/92/01 as developed by the Joint Aviation Authority, and under Title 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations. Additional provisions addressing JAR-VLA parts 865, 1191, and 445 were issued by the airworthiness authority for Germany, the Luftfahrt-Bundesamt (LBA). The FAA is issuing the same additional requirements.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before October 2, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Send all comments on the proposed design criteria to: Federal Aviation Administration, Attention: Mr. Karl Schletzbaum, Project Support Office, ACE-112, 901 Locust, Kansas City, Missouri 64106. Comments may be inspected at the above address between 7:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays, except Federal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Karl Schletzbaum, 816-329-4146.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Comments Invited

Interested persons are invited to comment on the proposed policy by submitting such written data, views, or arguments as they may desire. Commenters should identify the proposed design criteria on the Aquila GmbH engine mount and winglets, and submit comments, in duplicate, to the address specified above. All communications received on or before the closing date for comments will be considered by the Small Airplane Directorate before issuing the final design criteria.

Discussion*Proposed Design Criteria*

This airplane will be certified under the requirements of JAR-VLA (Joint Aviation Requirements—Very Light Aircraft) Amendment VLA/92/01 as developed by the Joint Aviation Authority and 14 CFR 21.17.

Additional Requirements: Engine Mount Connection Design Criteria

The Aquila AT01 is a full composite single-engine aircraft with the engine mount fitted to the glass fiber composite fuselage. The airplane will be certified to the requirements of JAR/VLA 865 (Fire protection of flight controls and other flight structure) and JAR/VLA 1191 (Firewalls). However, tests must be performed that demonstrate that the interface between the metallic engine mount and the glass fiber reinforced plastic fuselage withstand a fire for 15 minutes while carrying loads under the following conditions:

(a) With one lost engine mount fitting the loads are distributed over the remaining 3 engine mount fittings. The most critical of these fittings must be chosen for the test.

(1) The loads are:

(i) in Z-direction the mass of the propulsion unit multiplied by a maneuvering load factor resulting from a 30° turn for 15 minutes, superimposed by a maneuvering load of 3 seconds representing the maximum positive limit maneuvering load factor of $n=3.8$ arising from JAR/VLA 337(a).

(ii) in X-direction the engine propulsion force at maximum continuous power for 5 minutes.

(b) The flame to which the component test arrangement is subjected must provide a temperature of 500° C within the target area.

(c) The flame must be large enough to maintain the required temperature over the entire test zone, *i.e.*, the fitting on the engine compartment side.

(d) It must be shown that the test equipment, *e.g.*, burner and instrumentation are of sufficient power, size, and precision to yield the test requirements arising from paragraphs (a) to (c) above. Guidance will be drawn from advisory material AC 20-135 to AC 23-2.

Additional Requirements: Winglets

Since winglets, as a specific structural element, are not addressed in the JAR/VLA requirements, the following is required:

Compliance must be demonstrated to the requirements of JAR 23.445—Outboard fins or winglets.

Issued in Kansas City, Missouri, on August 15, 2003.

Diane K. Malone,

Acting Manager, Small Airplane Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**Federal Aviation Administration****Final Policy Statement, Propeller Testing V_d Versus V_{NE} , PS-ACE100-2002-008**

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of issuance of policy.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the issuance of policy PS-ACE100-2002-008, Final Policy Statement, Propeller Testing V_d Versus V_{NE} . The purpose of this policy statement is to clarify the flight testing requirements for vibration and flutter when a different propeller is installed on an aircraft. The installation of a different propeller model, whether by supplemental, amended, or new type certification, is a significant design change, as defined in Order 8100.5, chapter 1, paragraph 103, subparagraph j, section 2 f:

DATES: PS-ACE100-2002-008 was issued by the Acting Manager of the Small Airplane Directorate on July 23, 2003.

How to Obtain Copies: A paper copy of the policy PS-ACE100-2002-008 may be obtained by contacting Mr. Pete Rouse, (816) 329-4135 Small Airplane Directorate, Standards Office (ACE-110), Aircraft Certification Office, Federal Aviation Administration, 901 Locust, Room 301, Kansas City, MO 64106, or by faxing your request to (816) 329-4090. The policy will also be available on the Internet at <http://www.airweb.faa.gov/policy>.

Issued in Kansas City, Missouri on August 15, 2003.

Diane K. Malone,

Acting Manager, Small Airplane Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**Office of the Comptroller of the Currency****Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

AGENCY: Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice and request for comment.

SUMMARY: The OCC, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on a continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection unless the information collection displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OCC is soliciting comment concerning its information collection titled, "Investment Securities (12 CFR 1)." The OCC also gives notice that it has sent the information collection to OMB for review and approval.

DATES: You should submit your comments to the OCC and the OMB Desk Officer by October 2, 2003.

ADDRESSES: You should direct comments to:

Communications Division, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Public Information Room, Mailstop 1-5, Attention: 1557-0205-2, 250 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20219. Due to delays in paper mail delivery in the Washington area, commenters are encouraged to submit comments by fax or e-mail. Comments may be sent by fax to (202) 874-4448, or by e-mail to regs.comments@occ.treas.gov. You can inspect and photocopy the comments at the OCC's Public Information Room, 250 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20219. You can make an appointment to inspect the comments by calling (202) 874-5043.

Joseph F. Lackey, Jr., OMB Desk Officer for the OCC, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: You can request additional information or a copy of the collection from Jessie Dunaway, OCC Clearance Officer, or Camille Dixon, (202) 874-5090, Legislative and Regulatory Activities Division, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, 250 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20219.