

## **European Aviation Safety Agency**

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**DECISION N° 2009/016/R  
OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE EUROPEAN AVIATION SAFETY AGENCY  
OF 01 DECEMBER 2009**

**amending Appendix I Aircraft type ratings for Part-66 aircraft maintenance licence to Annex IV Acceptable Means of Compliance to Part-66 of Decision No. 2003/19/RM<sub>1</sub> of the Executive Director of the Agency of 28 November 2003<sup>1</sup> on**

**acceptable means of compliance and guidance material to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2042/2003 of 20 November 2003 on the continuing airworthiness of aircraft and aeronautical products, parts and appliances, and on the approval of organisations and personnel involved in these tasks**

**"Aircraft type ratings for Part-66 aircraft maintenance licences"**

THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE EUROPEAN AVIATION SAFETY AGENCY,

Having regard to the Regulation (EC) No 216/2008<sup>2</sup> of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 February 2008 on common rules in the field of civil aviation and establishing a European Aviation Safety Agency, (hereinafter "The Basic Regulation").

Having regard to the Commission Regulation (EC) No 2042/2003<sup>3</sup> of 20 November 2003 on the continuing airworthiness of aircraft and aeronautical products, parts and appliances, and on the approval of organisations and personnel involved in these tasks.

Whereas:

- (1) Appendix I, Aircraft type ratings of Annex IV Acceptable Means of Compliance to Part-66 of Decision No.2003/19/RM (hereinafter referred to as Part-66 AMC Appendix I) is required to be up to date to serve as reference for the National Aviation Authorities.

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1 Decision No 2003/19/RM of the Executive Director of the Agency of 28.11.2003 on acceptable means of compliance and guidance material to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2042/2003 of 20 November 2003 on the continuing airworthiness of aircraft and aeronautical products, parts and appliances, and on the approval of organisations and personnel involved in these tasks. Decision as last amended by Decision 2009/008/R of 24 March 2009.

2 Regulation (EC) No 216/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 February 2008 on common rules in the field of civil aviation and establishing a European Aviation Safety Agency, and repealing Council Directive 91/670/EEC, Regulation (EC) No 1592/2002 and Directive 2004/36/EC (OJ L 79, 19.03.2008, p.1) and in particular Articles 18(c), 38(3)(a) and (e) thereof.

3 OJ L 315, 28.11.2003, p. 1 Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1056/2008 of 27 October 2008 (OJ L 283, 28.10.2008 p.5).

- (2) To achieve this requirement the text of Part-66 AMC Appendix I should be amended regularly to add new aircraft type ratings.
- (3) The regular amendment of Part-66 AMC Appendix I is considered a permanent rulemaking task for European Aviation Safety Agency (hereinafter referred to as the Agency). This decision represents the fifth amendment to the Part-66 AMC Appendix I. The last amendment of Appendix I was the Decision No. 2008/003/R of 11 July 2008. Further to agreement with AGNA and SSCC, the timing for this task follows the normal rulemaking procedure.
- (4) The Agency shall issue certification specifications, including airworthiness codes and acceptable means of compliance, as well as any guidance material for the application of the Basic Regulation and its implementing rules.
- (5) The Agency, pursuant to Article 52 of the Basic Regulation and Articles 5(3) and 6 of the Rulemaking Procedure<sup>4</sup>, has widely consulted interested parties<sup>5</sup> on the matters which are the subject of this Decision and has provided thereafter a written response to the comments received<sup>6</sup>.

HAS DECIDED:

Article 1

Appendix I (Aircraft type ratings for Part-66 aircraft maintenance licence) to Annex IV (Acceptable Means of Compliance to Part-66) to Decision No 2003/19/RM is hereby amended by Annex I to this decision.

Article 2

This decision shall enter into force on 08 December 2009. It shall be published in the Official Publication of the Agency.

Done in Cologne, on 1<sup>st</sup> December 2009

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<sup>4</sup> Decision of the Management Board concerning the procedure to be applied by the Agency for the issuing of Opinions, Certifications Specifications and Guidance Material. EASA MB 08-2007 of 13.06.2007 ("Rulemaking Procedure").

<sup>5</sup> See NPA 2009-05 at [http://www.easa.europa.eu/ws\\_prod/r/doc/NPA/NPA%202009-05.pdf](http://www.easa.europa.eu/ws_prod/r/doc/NPA/NPA%202009-05.pdf)

<sup>6</sup> See CRD 2009-05 at [http://www.easa.europa.eu/ws\\_prod/r/doc/CRD%202009-05.pdf](http://www.easa.europa.eu/ws_prod/r/doc/CRD%202009-05.pdf)