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**Question:**

**Do AOC holders certified by an EASA Member State need to apply for a TCO authorisation?**

**Answer:**

No. AOC holders certified by an EU Member State or an associated State (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland) do not require a TCO authorisation (Article 2 of TCO Regulation (EU) No 452/2014).

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