

European Aviation Safety Agency

**DECISION NO. 2007/015/R
OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE EUROPEAN AVIATION SAFETY AGENCY**

of 3 December 2007

AMENDING DECISION NO 2003/9/RM OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE AGENCY OF 24 OCTOBER 2003 ON CERTIFICATION SPECIFICATIONS, INCLUDING AIRWORTHINESS CODES AND ACCEPTABLE MEANS OF COMPLIANCE, FOR ENGINES (« CS-E »)

THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE EUROPEAN AVIATION SAFETY AGENCY

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 1592/2002¹ of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 July 2002 on common rules in the field of civil aviation and establishing a European Aviation Safety Agency (hereinafter referred to as the "Basic Regulation"), and in particular Articles 13 and 14 thereof,

Having regard to the Commission Regulation (EC) No 1702/2003² of 24 September 2003 laying down implementing rules for the airworthiness and environmental certification of aircraft and related products, parts and appliances, as well as for the certification of design and production organisations, in particular 21A.16A of Part 21 of the Annex to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1702/2003 ("Part 21") thereof,

Having regard to the Decision No 2003/9/RM of the Executive Director of the Agency of 24 October 2003 on certification specifications, including airworthiness codes and acceptable means of compliance, for engines (« CS-E »),

Whereas:

- (1) The Agency shall, pursuant to Article 13 of the Basic Regulation, issue certification specifications, including airworthiness codes and acceptable means of compliance, as well as guidance material for the application of the Basic Regulation and its implementing rules.
- (2) The Agency is obliged, pursuant to Article 14 of the Basic Regulation, to reflect the state of the art and the best practices in the fields concerned and update certification specifications taking into account world wide aircraft experience in service, and scientific and technical progress.

¹ OJ L 240, 7.9.2002, p.1. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 334/2007 (*OJ L 88, 29.3.2007, p. 39*).

² OJ L 243, 27.9.2003, p.6. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 375/2007 (*OJ L 94, 4.4.2007, p. 3*).

- (3) The Agency, pursuant to Article 43.1(c) of the Basic Regulation, and articles 5(3) and 6 of the EASA Rulemaking Procedure³, has widely consulted interested parties (see: NPAs No 3/2005 and 4/2005) on the matters which are subject of the Decision and has provided thereafter a written response to the comments received (see: CRDs No 3/2005 and 4/2005).

HAS DECIDED:

Article 1

The Annex to the Executive Director Decision No 2003/9/RM of 24 October 2003 containing the certification specifications including airworthiness codes and acceptable means of compliance for Engines (« CS-E ») is replaced by the Annex to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision shall enter into force on 10 December 2007. It shall be published in the *Official Publication of the Agency*.

Done in Cologne, 03 December 2007

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³ Management Board Decision concerning the procedure to be applied by the Agency for the issuing of opinions, certification specifications and guidance material ("Rulemaking Procedure"), EASA MB/08/07, 13.6.2007.