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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee (Pub. L. 92-463, 5 U.S.C., Appendix 2), notice is hereby given for a Special Committee 207 meeting. The agenda will include:

- March 8:
  - Opening Plenary Session (Welcome, Introductions, and Administrative Remarks).
  - Review of Meeting Summary.
  - Review of workgroup leader meetings.
  - Workgroup Reports.
    - Overview.
    - Workgroup 2: System Performance Requirements.
    - Workgroup 3: Subsystem Functional Performance Requirements.
    - Workgroup 4: System Verification and validation.
    - Workgroup 5: Biometrics.
    - Workgroup 6: Credentials.
    - Workgroup 7: Perimeter.
  - ICAO Update.
  - Closing Plenary Session (Other Business, Establish Agenda, Date and Place of Following Meetings).

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairmen, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section. Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

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**Francisco Estrada C.,**

*RTCA Advisory Committee.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

#### **RTCA Special Committee 135: Environmental Conditions and Test Procedures for Airborne Equipment Joint With EUROCAE Working Group 14**

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of RTCA Special Committee 135 meeting joint with EUROCAE Working Group 14.

**SUMMARY:** The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of a meeting of

RTCA Special Committee 135: Environmental Conditions and Test Procedures for Airborne Equipment joint with EUROCAE Working Group 14.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held March 13-15, 2007 starting at 9 a.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at Hotel Paradou, near Eurocopter Sausset-les-Pins, France.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Due to the particular organization of this meeting please make your booking and provide information on your stay to Marc Poncon as soon as possible at [marc.poncon@eurocopter.com](mailto:marc.poncon@eurocopter.com).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** 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 a Special Committee 135 meeting joint with EUROCAE Working Group 14. The agenda will include:

- March 13-15.
  - Chairman's Opening Remark, Introductions.
  - Welcome from EUROCAE WG-14 Chairman.
  - Approval of Summary from the Forty-Eighth SC 135 Meeting and Sixtieth WG 14 Meeting.
    - RTCA Paper No. 023/SC135-659.
    - EUR 396-06/GT 14-127.
  - Review Change Proposals for First Draft of DO-160F/ED (draft section on RTCA Web site).
  - Review Schedule to Release DO-16-ED14 F.
  - Closing Plenary Session (New/Unfinished Business, Date and Place of Next Meeting).

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairmen, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section. Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

#### **Notice of Final Opinion on the Transferability of Interim Operating Authority Under the National Parks Air Tour Management Act**

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice of final opinion.

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the FAA's final opinion on the transferability of interim operating authority under the National Parks Air Tour Management Act.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** James W. Whitlow, Deputy Chief Counsel for Policy and Adjudications, Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591; telephone (202) 267-3773.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice sets forth the FAA's final opinion on the transferability of interim operating authority.

On April 5, 2000, Congress passed the National Parks Air Tour Management Act (Act). The Act set up a process by which the FAA and the National Park Service (NPS) would work together to establish air tour management plans for all units of the national park system and abutting tribal lands having commercial air tours. On October 25, 2002, the FAA published a final rule in 14 CFR part 136, National Parks Air Tour Management (67 FR 65662), pursuant to a mandate specified in the Act. This final rule completed the definition of "commercial air tour operation" by establishing the altitude (5,000 feet above ground level) below which an operator flying over a national park for the purpose of sightseeing is classified as a commercial air tour operator. The rule also codified provisions of the Act in the FAA's regulations at 14 CFR part 136.

Under the Act, the air tour management plan (ATMP) process is initiated when a commercial air tour operator files an application for operating authority with the FAA to conduct commercial air tours over a national park or abutting tribal land (49 U.S.C. 40128(a); 14 CFR 136.7). Once an application is filed, the FAA, in cooperation with the Director of the National Park Service, must develop and implement an ATMP for the park or abutting tribal land. Operators conducting commercial air tours over a unit of the national park system or abutting tribal land during the 12 month period prior to adoption of the Act are