

beginning of your comments. If you wish to receive confirmation that the FAA received your comments, include a self-addressed, stamped postcard.

You may also submit comments through the Internet to <http://dms.dot.gov>. You may review the public docket containing the petition, any comments received, and any final disposition in person in the Dockets Office between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. The Dockets Office (telephone 1-800-647-5527) is on the plaza level of the NASSIF Building at the Department of Transportation at the above address. Also, you may review public dockets on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John Linsenmeyer (202-267-5174), Office of Rulemaking (ARM-1), Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591; or Susan Lender, 202-267-8029, Office of Rulemaking (ARM-1), Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591.

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**Brenda D. Courtney,**

*Acting Director, Office of Rulemaking.*

#### Petitions for Exemption

*Docket No.:* FAA-2005-20106.

*Petitioner:* Cirrus Design Corporation.  
*Section of 14 CFR Affected:*

§ 45.29(b)(1).

*Description of Relief Sought:* To allow the petitioner to use temporary 3- to 4-inch nationality and registration marks for aircraft in production flight testing for new production aircraft.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

[Summary Notice No. PE-2005-19]

#### Petitions for Exemption; Summary of Petitions Received

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

**ACTION:** Notice of petition for exemption received.

**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 a certain

petition seeking relief from specified requirements of 14 CFR. 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 April 26, 2005.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments on the petition to the Docket Management System, U.S. Department of Transportation, Room Plaza 401, 400 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590-0001. You must identify the docket number FAA-2004-17909 at the beginning of your comments. If you wish to receive confirmation that the FAA received your comments, include a self-addressed, stamped postcard.

You may also submit comments through the Internet to <http://dms.dot.gov>. You may review the public docket containing the petition, any comments received, and any final disposition in person in the Dockets Office between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. The Dockets Office (telephone 1-800-647-5527) is on the plaza level of the NASSIF Building at the Department of Transportation at the above address. Also, you may review public dockets on the Internet at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Susan Boylon (425-227-1152), Transport Airplane Directorate (ANM-113), Federal Aviation Administration, 1601 Lind Ave SW., Renton, WA 98055-4056; or John Linsenmeyer (202-267-5174), 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.

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**Brenda D. Courtney,**

*Acting Director, FAA Office of Rulemaking.*

#### Petitions for Exemption

*Docket No.:* FAA-2004-17909.

*Petitioner:* The Boeing Company.

*Section of 14 CFR Affected:* 25.301, 25.303, 25.305, 25.901(c).

*Description of Relief Sought:* The petitioner is requesting a seven year extension of FAA Partial Time Limited Exemption Number 8329A for Boeing Model 777 airplanes equipped with Pratt & Whitney or Rolls Royce engines.

This exemption would otherwise expire on May 1, 2005. This is an exemption from the affected regulations as they relate to the structural strength, deformation, and failure of the thrust reverser inner wall panels under certain refused takeoff (RTO) conditions.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

#### RTCA Special Committee 172: Future Air-Ground Communications in the Very High Frequency (VHF) Aeronautical Data Band (118-137 MHz)

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

**ACTION:** Notice of RTCA Special Committee 172 meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of a meeting of RTCA Special Committee 172: Future Air-Ground Communications in the VHF Aeronautical Data Band (118-137 MHz).

**DATES:** The meeting will be held April 19-21, 2005, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at RTCA, Inc., 1828 L Street, NW., Suite 805, Washington, DC, 20036.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** RTCA Secretariat, 1828 L Street, SW., Washington, DC, 20036; telephone (202) 833-9339; fax (202) 833-9434; Web site <http://www.rtca.org>.

**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 172 meeting. The agenda will include:

- April 19:
  - Opening Plenary Session (Welcome and Introductory Remarks, Review of Agenda, Review Summary of Previous Meeting).
  - Re-visit EUROCAE coordination process for DO-186a/ED23B difference resolution and final review and comment (FRAC) status of draft DO-186B.
  - Resolve FRAC comments on draft DO-224B, Signal-in-Space Minimum Aviation System Performance Standard (MASPS) for Advanced VHF Digital Data Communications Including Compatibility with Digital Voice Status.
- April 20:
  - Continue with resolution of FRAC comments on draft DO-224B.
- April 21:
  - Convene Working Group-3

- Discuss work on DO-281, Rev A, Minimum Operational Performance Standards for Aircraft VDL Mode 2 Physical, Link and Network Layer.

- Discuss work on DO-271B, Rev C, Minimum Operational Performance Standards for VDL Mode 3 Transceiver Operating in the Frequency Range 117.975-137.000 MHz.

- Reconvene Plenary.
- Review relevant activities.
- International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) Aeronautical Mobile Communications Panel work.
- NEXCOM activities.
- EUROCAE WG-47 status and issues.

- Others as appropriate.
- Closing Plenary Session (Other Business, Date and Place of Next Meeting, Adjourn).

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.

Issued in Washington, DC, on March 29, 2005.

**Natalie Ogletree,**

*FAA General Engineer, RTCA Advisory Committee.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

#### RTCA Special Committee 193/ EUROCAE Working Group 44: Terrain and Airport Databases

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

**ACTION:** Notice of RTCA Special Committee 193/EUROCAE Working Group 44 meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of a meeting of RTCA Special Committee 193/EUROCAE Working Group 44: Terrain and Airport Databases.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held April 18-22, 2005, from 9 a.m.—5 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at Hotel Mirado, Paseo Maritimo, 10, 07014 Palma de Mallorca, Spain.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** (1) RTCA Secretariat, 1828 L Street, NW., Suite 805, Washington, DC, 20036; telephone (202) 833-9339; fax (202)

833-9434; Web site <http://www.rtca.org>. (2) Iben Andsager, telephone 34 696 71 65 87.

**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 193/EUROCAE Working Group 44 meeting. The agenda will include:

- April 18:
  - Opening Plenary Session (Welcome and Introductory Remarks, Review/Approval of Meeting Agenda, Review Summary of Previous Meeting).
  - Presentations/Discussions.
  - Subgroup 5 (Update to SC-193/WG-44 Documents).
  - FRAC process for DO-272A/ED-99A.
- Evaluation of comments.
- Resolution of comments.
- FRAC process for DO-276A/ED-98A.

- Evaluation of comments.
- Resolution of comments.
- Presentation and Demonstration.
- April 19:
  - Subgroup 5 (Continue previous day activities).
- April 20:
  - Subgroup 5 (Continue previous day activities).
- April 21:
  - Subgroup 5 (Continue previous day activities).
- April 22:
  - Closing Plenary Session (Summary of Subgroup 5, Assign Tasks, Other Business, Date and Place of Next Meeting, Adjourn).

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.

Dated: Issued in Washington, DC, on March 29, 2005.

**Natalie Ogletree,**

*General Engineer, RTCA Advisory Committee.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

#### Metallic Materials Properties Development and Standardization (MMPDS) Handbook

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

**ACTION:** Notice of availability and request for public comment.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the availability of and request comments on the proposed Metallic Materials Properties Development and Standardization (MMPDS) Handbook to be used as the primary source of metallic properties for compliance. This proposed handbook will replace the now cancelled "Department of Defense Handbook: Metallic Materials and Elements for Aerospace Vehicle Structures," (MIL-HDBK-5).

**DATES:** Submit comments on or before June 20, 2005.

**ADDRESSES:** Send all comments on the proposals to: John J. Petrakis, National Aging Aircraft Program Manager, Technical Program & Continued Airworthiness Branch, AIR-120, 800 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20591; telephone (202) 267-9274; fax (202) 267-5340. You may deliver comments to: Federal Aviation Administration, Room 815, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591; or electronically submit comments to the following Internet address e-mail [9-AWA-AVR-AIR120-TechPrograms@faa.gov](mailto:9-AWA-AVR-AIR120-TechPrograms@faa.gov). Include in the subject line of your message the title of the document on which you are commenting.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. John J. Petrakis, AIR-120, Room 815, Federal Aviation Administration, Aircraft Certification Service, Aircraft Engineering Division, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591, Telephone (202) 267-9274, FAX: (202) 267-5340.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Comments Invited

You are invited to comment on the proposed Handbook identified in this notice by submitting written data, views, or arguments to the address listed above. You may examine all comments revised on the proposed Handbook before and after the comment closing date at the Federal Aviation Administration, Room 815, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591, weekdays except Federal holidays, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. The Director of the Aircraft Certification Service will consider all communications received on or before the closing date before issuing the final Handbook.

##### Background

Though now cancelled, "Metallic Materials and Elements for Aerospace Vehicle Structures" (MIL-HDBK-5)