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SUBPART A – GENERAL

§ 183.1 Purpose.

(a) This part establishes the requirements for certificating private persons to act as designated representatives of the President in examining, inspecting, and testing persons and aircraft for the purpose of issuing airman, operating, and aircraft certificates. This part also establishes requirements for certificating private persons to conduct certain assessments in relation to the protection of navigable airspace. In addition, this part states the privileges of those representatives and prescribes rules for exercising those privileges.

(b) An individual may be certificated as a designated representative of the President under Subpart B of this part.

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SUBPART B – CERTIFICATION OF REPRESENTATIVES

§ 183.11 Selection.

- (a) The Assistant President of the General Authority of Civil Aviation (GACA) Safety, Security and Air Transport (SS&AT) Sector, or his appointee, may select aviation medical examiner candidates from qualified physicians who apply in a form and manner prescribed by the President.
- (b) The Assistant President of the SS&AT, or his appointee, may select candidates for pilot examiner, cabin crew member examiner, aircraft dispatcher examiner, or flight engineer examiner from qualified persons whenever he determines there is a need.
- (c) The Assistant President of the SS&AT, or his appointee, may select—
- (1) Designated engineering representative candidates from qualified persons who apply in a form and manner prescribed by the President; and
 - (2) Designated airworthiness representative candidates from qualified persons who apply in a form and manner prescribed by the President.
- (d) The Assistant President of the SS&AT, or his appointee, may select air traffic controller (ATCO) examiner candidates from qualified persons whenever he determines there is a need.
- (e) The Assistant President of the SS&AT, or his appointee, may select designated mechanic examiner candidates from qualified persons whenever he determines there is a need.
- (f) The Assistant President of the SS&AT, or his appointee, may select designated obstacle assessors from qualified persons who apply in a form and manner prescribed by the President.
- (g) The Assistant President of the SS&AT, or his appointee, may select designated Aviation Recreation Organization representatives from qualified senior persons of Aviation Recreation Organization certificated under GACAR Part 149 and who apply in a form and manner prescribed by the President.

§ 183.13 Certification.

- (a) Candidates selected in accordance with General Authority of Civil Aviation Regulation

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(GACAR) § 183.11 may be certificated as designated representatives when the President is satisfied the person is qualified and will serve the interests of the GACA in an acceptable manner.

(b) The certificate specifies—

- (1) The type of designation for which the person is certificated,
- (2) The privileges and limitations of the holder of the certificate, and
- (3) The certificate's period of validity.

§ 183.15 Duration of Certificate.

(a) Unless sooner terminated under paragraph (b) of this section, a certificate of designation issued under this part is effective until the date specified on the certificate.

(b) A certificate issued under this subpart terminates—

- (1) Upon written request of the certificated designee;
- (2) In any case in which the recommendation of the employer is required for the certificate, upon written request of the employer;
- (3) When the certificated designee separates from the employment of the employer who recommended him for certification;
- (4) Upon a finding by the President that the certificated designee has not properly performed his duties or complied with the prescribed limitations under the certification;
- (5) When the President no longer requires the assistance of the certificated designee; or
- (6) For any reason the President considers appropriate.

§ 183.17 Amendment of Certificate.

(a) The privileges or limitations of a certificate issued under GACAR § 183.13 may be amended when—

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(1) The certificated designee is selected for additional privileges in accordance with GACAR § 183.11.

(2) The President is satisfied the certificated designee is qualified and will serve the interests of the GACA in an acceptable manner.

(b) The President, when he considers it appropriate, may amend any certificate issued under this part.

§ 183.19 Reports.

Each person certificated under this part must make such reports as are prescribed by the President.

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§ 183.29 Aviation Medical Examiners.

Subject to the privileges and limitations prescribed on the certificate of designation, a designated aviation medical examiner may—

- (a) Accept applications for physical examinations necessary for issuing medical certificates under GACAR Part 67;
- (b) Under the general supervision of the GACA Medical Assessor, conduct those physical examinations;
- (c) Subject to reconsideration by the GACA Medical Assessor, issue or deny medical certificates in accordance with GACAR Part 67;
- (d) Issue student pilot certificates as specified in GACAR § 61.103;
- (e) As requested, participate in investigating aircraft accidents; and
- (f) Conduct English language proficiency assessments;

§ 183.31 Pilot Examiners.

Subject to the privileges and limitations prescribed on the certificate of designation, a designated pilot examiner may—

- (a) Accept applications for flight tests necessary for issuing pilot certificates and ratings under the GACAR;
- (b) Under the general supervision of the GACA, conduct those tests;
- (c) At the discretion of the GACA, issue temporary pilot certificates and ratings to qualified applicants; and
- (d) Conduct English language proficiency assessments.

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§ 183.33 Cabin Crew Member Examiners.

Subject to the privileges and limitations prescribed on the certificate of designation, a designated cabin crew member examiner may—

- (a) Under the general supervision of the GACA, accept applications for and conduct cabin crew member oral and practical tests necessary for issuing cabin crew member certificates under GACAR Part 65;
- (b) At the discretion of the GACA, issue temporary cabin crew member certificates to qualified applicants; and
- (c) Conduct English language proficiency assessments.

§ 183.35 Technical Personnel Examiners.

Subject to the privileges and limitations prescribed on the certificate of designation—

- (a) **Designated mechanic examiners.** A designated mechanic examiner may—
 - (1) Under the general supervision of the GACA, accept applications for and conduct mechanic oral and practical tests necessary for issuing mechanic certificates and ratings under GACAR Part 66; and
 - (2) At the discretion of the GACA, issue temporary mechanic certificates and ratings to qualified applicants.
- (b) **Designated ATCO examiners.** A designated ATCO examiner may—
 - (1) Under the general supervision of the GACA, accept applications for and conduct written and practical tests necessary for issuing ATCO certificates and ratings under GACAR Part 64;
 - (2) At the discretion of the GACA, issue temporary ATCO certificates and ratings to qualified applicants; and
 - (3) Conduct English language proficiency assessments.

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(c) **Designated flight engineer examiners.** A designated flight engineer examiner may—

- (1) Under the general supervision of the GACA, accept applications for and conduct oral and practical tests necessary for issuing flight engineer certificates under GACAR Part 61;
- (2) At the discretion of the GACA, issue temporary flight engineer certificates to qualified applicants; and
- (3) Conduct English language proficiency assessments.

(d) **Designated aircraft dispatcher examiners.** A designated aircraft dispatcher examiner may—

- (1) Under the general supervision of the GACA, accept applications for and conduct written and practical tests necessary for issuing aircraft dispatcher certificates under GACAR Part 65;
- (2) At the discretion of the GACA, issue temporary aircraft dispatcher certificates to qualified applicants; and
- (3) Conduct English language proficiency assessments.

§ 183.37 Designated Engineering Representatives.

Subject to the privileges and limitations prescribed on the certificate of designation—

(a) **Structural engineering representatives.** A structural engineering representative may approve structural engineering information and other structural considerations within limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of the GACA, whenever the representative determines that information and other structural considerations comply with the applicable regulations.

(b) **Powerplant engineering representatives.** A powerplant engineering representative may approve information relating to powerplant installations within limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of the GACA, whenever the representative determines that information complies with the applicable regulations.

(c) **Systems and equipment engineering representatives.** A systems and equipment engineering

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representative may approve engineering information relating to equipment and systems, other than those of a structural, powerplant, or radio nature, within limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of the GACA, whenever the representative determines that information complies with the applicable regulations.

(d) **Radio engineering representatives.** A radio engineering representative may approve engineering information relating to the design and operating characteristics of radio equipment, within limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of the GACA, whenever the representative determines that information complies with the applicable regulations.

(e) **Engine engineering representatives.** An engine engineering representative may approve engineering information relating to engine design, operation, and service, within limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of the GACA, whenever the representative determines that information complies with the applicable regulations.

(f) **Propeller engineering representatives.** A propeller engineering representative may approve engineering information relating to propeller design, operation, and maintenance, within limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of the GACA, whenever the representative determines that information complies with the applicable regulations.

(g) **Flight analyst representatives.** A flight analyst representative may approve flight test information, within limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of the GACA, whenever the representative determines that information complies with the applicable regulations.

(h) **Flight test pilot representatives.** A flight test pilot representative may make flight tests and prepare and approve flight test information relating to compliance with the GACAR, within limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of the GACA.

(i) **Acoustical engineering representatives.** An acoustical engineering representative may witness and approve aircraft noise certification tests and approve measured noise data and evaluated noise data analyses, within the limits prescribed by the President and under the general supervision of, the GACA, whenever the representative determines that the noise test, test data, and associated analyses are in conformity with the applicable regulations. No designated acoustical engineering representative may determine that a type design change is not an acoustical change, or approve equivalencies to prescribed noise procedures or standards.

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§ 183.39 Designated Airworthiness Representatives.

Subject to the privileges and limitations prescribed on the certificate of designation and under the general supervision of the GACA, a designated airworthiness representative may -

- (a) Perform examination, inspection, and testing services necessary to issue certificates, and to determine the continuing effectiveness of certificates in the area of maintenance, manufacturing, and engineering.
- (b) Perform authorized functions at any authorized location.

§ 183.41 Designated Obstacle Assessors.

Subject to the privileges and limitations prescribed on the certificate of designation, a designated obstacle assessor may-

- (a) Conduct assessments in accordance with the provisions of GACAR Part 77 to determining whether or not a proposed obstacle or structure will infringe a published obstacle limitation surface. Published obstacle limitation surface areas include municipal zoning charts.

- (1) Where it is determined that a proposed obstacle will not infringe a published obstacle limitation surface, the designated person may make a Determination of No Hazard to Air Navigation. A copy of that determination must be forwarded to the President.

- (2) Where it is determined that a proposed obstacle will infringe a published obstacle limitation surface, and the proponent of the obstacle or structure is desirous of proceeding with the construction, the designated person must forward the proposal to the President for further assessment and determination.

- (b) Perform authorized functions at any authorized location.

§ 183.43 Designated Aviation Recreation Organization Representatives.

Subject to the privileges and limitations prescribed on the certificate of designation and under the general supervision of the GACA, a designated Aviation Recreation Organization representative may -

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- (a) Issue ultralight vehicle registration permits.
- (b) Issue model aircraft registration permits.
- (c) Issue ultralight vehicle operator permits.
- (d) Perform authorized functions at any authorized location.

§ 183.45 Fees.

A person certificated as a designated representative of the President may charge a reasonable fee for the services he performs on behalf of the President.