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of Transportation

**Federal Aviation
Administration**

Western-Pacific Region
Van Nuys Flight Standards District Office

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ALL INSPECTION AUTHORIZATION HOLDERS, VAN NUYS DISTRICT

Inspection Authorizations will be renewed **during the month of March and no later than March 31, 2009**. Renewal of your Inspection Authorization will be accomplished if you meet the renewal requirements of Title 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations (14 CFR), Section 65.93.

Inspection Authorizations may be renewed during the month of March by appearing at the Van Nuys Flight Standards District Office during regular business hours (7:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.).

To accommodate IAs who live and work in distant locations within the district, specific dates have been established for Inspection Authorization renewal outside of the FSDO and after regular business hours. Airworthiness Inspectors will be available at the following locations on the following dates:

Santa Maria, CA: Wednesday, March 18 5:30 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.
Airport Board Room, 3217 Terminal Drive

Santa Barbara, CA: Wednesday, March 25 5:30 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.
Stratman Aero Service, 101 Hartley Place

Mojave, CA: Thursday, March 26 3:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.
BAE Systems, Inc., 16921 Airport Blvd, Bldg 56, Shibley Hall

Van Nuys, CA: Thursday, March 26 4:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.
Van Nuys FSDO, 16501 Sherman Way Suite 330

A local Maintenance Symposium has not been scheduled for this year. FAA sponsored seminars are posted on the FAA Safety Team's website, at www.faasafety.gov. Furthermore, many companies offer FAA Approved IA Refresher Courses on-line. Some of the companies include: Gleim Publications, www.gleim.com; Blue Tuna Training and Documentation, d/b/a IA Renewal, www.iarenwal.com; and AMT Magazine, www.amtonline.com; this list is not all inclusive and is provided to aid you in finding on-line IA Refresher Courses; it is not an endorsement of any one provider.

Please complete FAA Form 8610-1 in duplicate. When listing activity performed by you since the last renewal or issuance of your Inspection Authorization (i.e. major repairs, major alterations, and annual/progressive inspections), please list the activity by date and N-Number on the Inspection Authorization Activity Record, which is on the reverse side of the enclosed FAA Form 8610-1. Also, please be prepared to present your Photo Identification and your Inspection Authorization card (FAA Form 8310-5) at the time of renewal.

If you should have any questions, please contact this office at the telephone number listed above and request to speak with the Airworthiness Inspector on duty.

Sincerely,

Richard Swanson
Manager

Enclosure

No certificate may be issued unless a completed application form has been received (14 C.F.R. 65)

Form Approved:
OMB No. 2120-0022
11/30/07

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION MECHANIC'S APPLICATION FOR INSPECTION AUTHORIZATION—PRIVACY ACT						
1. NAME (Last, first, middle)			2. MECHANIC CERTIFICATE NO.			
3. MAILING ADDRESS (Number, street, city, State/County, ZIP Code) (Place at which you desire to receive Airworthiness Directives, etc.)		4a. FIXED BASE OF OPERATIONS		4b. TELEPHONE NO.		
		PLACE AT WHICH YOU MAY BE LOCATED IN PERSON DURING NORMAL WORKING WEEK		PLACE AT WHICH YOU MAY BE LOCATED BY TELEPHONE DURING NORMAL WORKING WEEK		
5. HAVE YOU HELD A MECHANIC CERTIFICATE WITH BOTH AIRFRAME AND POWERPLANT RATINGS FOR THE 3 YEARS PRECEDING THE DATE OF THIS APPLICATION?					YES	NO
6. HAVE YOU BEEN ACTIVELY ENGAGED, FOR AT LEAST THE 2-YEAR PERIOD BEFORE THE DATE OF APPLICATION IN MAINTAINING AIRCRAFT CERTIFICATED AND MAINTAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FARs?						
7. HAS YOUR MECHANIC CERTIFICATE AND/OR RATINGS BEEN REVOKED OR SUSPENDED DURING THE 3—YEAR PERIOD PRECEDING THIS APPLICATION?						
8. HAS AN INSPECTION AUTHORIZATION BEEN DENIED YOU WITHIN 90 DAYS PREVIOUS TO THIS APPLICATION? IF ANSWER IS "YES", EXPLAIN IN REMARKS.						
9. HAVE YOU MET THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR RENEWAL OF INSPECTION AUTHORIZATION? (For Renewal Only)						
10. BASIS FOR RENEWAL (Number Performed)						
ALTERATIONS	REPAIRS	ANNUAL INSPECTIONS	PROGRESSIVE INSPECTIONS	RECENT ISSUANCE-IN EFFECT LESS THAN 90 DAYS BEFORE EXPIRATION DATE		
11. AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE ACTIVITY DURING LAST 2 YEARS						
DATES	NAME AND ADDRESS OF REPAIR STATION, FACILITY, MANUFACTURER, OPERATOR, ETC.		DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY			
FROM						
TO PRESENT						
FROM						
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FROM						
TO						
12. REMARKS						
13. CERTIFICATION: I certify that the statements made above and in all attachments hereto are correct and true.						
DATE			SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT			
14. RECORD OF ACTION (For FAA use only)						
<input type="checkbox"/> ISSUANCE <input type="checkbox"/> VOLUNTARY SURRENDER		INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE		OFFICE IDENTIFICATION		
<input type="checkbox"/> ENDORSEMENT <input type="checkbox"/> RENEWAL						

