International NOTAM FDC 3/2735
Definitions

IFDC 3/3013 FDC ... SPECIAL NOTICE ... THIS NOTICE IS THE DEFINITIONS FOR FDC SPECIAL NOTICE
NOTAMS 3/2735 AND 3/2768 SEPARATE SPECIAL NOTICES FOR INTERNATIONAL AIRCRAFT THAT
OPERATE TO OR FROM OR WITHIN OR TRANSIT TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE OF THE UNITED STATES (U.S.).

EFFECTIVE 1307010001 UTC UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED IN 14 CFR PART 99, SECURITY CONTROL OF AIR
TRAFFIC, THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL SECURITY REQUIREMENTS ARE IN EFFECT PURSUANT TO 14 CFR
SECTION 99.7 SPECIAL SECURITY INSTRUCTIONS.

DEFINITIONS

POSSESSIONS, AND THE AIRSPACE OVERLYING THE TERRITORIAL WATERS BETWEEN THE U.S. COAST
AND TWELVE (12) NAUTICAL MILES FROM THE U.S. COAST.

B. TO OR FROM MEANS ANY FLIGHT ENTERING U.S. TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE AFTER DEPARTURE FROM A
LOCATION OUTSIDE OF THE U.S. FOR LANDING AT A DESTINATION IN THE U.S., OR EXITING U.S.
TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE AFTER DEPARTURE FROM A LOCATION IN THE U.S., OR ANY FLIGHT THAT EXITS
U.S. TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE AND RETURNS INTO U.S. TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE TO LAND AT A
DESTINATION IN THE U.S.

C. TRANSIT MEANS ANY FLIGHT DEPARTING FROM A LOCATION OUTSIDE OF THE U.S., ITS TERRITORIES
OR POSSESSIONS, WHICH OPERATES IN THE TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE OF THE U.S. ENROUTE TO A
LOCATION OUTSIDE THE U.S., ITS TERRITORIES OR POSSESSIONS.

D. WITHIN MEANS ANY FLIGHT DEPARTING FROM A LOCATION INSIDE OF THE U.S., ITS TERRITORIES OR
POSSESSIONS, WHICH OPERATES IN THE TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE OF THE U.S. ENROUTE TO A LOCATION
INSIDE THE U.S., ITS TERRITORIES OR POSSESSIONS.

    NOTE 1: AIRCRAFT CONDUCTING TEST OPERATIONS THAT DEPART AND RETURN TO US
    AIRPORTS, WITHOUT ANY INTERMEDIATE STOPS, ARE CONSIDERED AIRCRAFT OPERATING
    WITHIN US TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE.

    NOTE 2: AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS THAT DEPART U.S. AIRPORTS AND TRANSIT CANADIAN,
    MEXICAN, OR INTERNATIONAL AIRSPACE ENROUTE TO ANOTHER U.S. AIRPORT, WITHOUT ANY
    INTERMEDIATE STOPS OUTSIDE OF THE UNITED STATES, ARE CONSIDERED AIRCRAFT
    OPERATING WITHIN US TERRITORIAL AIRSPACE.

E. FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION (FAA)/TRANSPORTATION SECURITY ADMINISTRATION (TSA)
AIRSPACE WAIVER MEANS A GRANT OF RELIEF BY THE FAA/TSA FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF SPECIFIC
REGULATIONS TO THE DEGREE AND FOR THE TIME PERIOD SPECIFIED IN THE WAIVER.

F. STATE DEPARTMENT DESIGNATED SPECIAL INTEREST COUNTRIES ARE CUBA, IRAN, NORTH KOREA,
PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, RUSSIA, SUDAN, AND SYRIA.
G. COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT. A COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT IS ANY AIRCRAFT TRANSPORTING PASSENGERS AND/OR CARGO FOR SOME PAYMENT OR OTHER CONSIDERATION, INCLUDING MONEY OR SERVICES RENDERED.