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**Federal Aviation
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Alaskan Region

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Aeronautical Study 08-AAL-58NR
Request for Public Input

Proposal to Decommission
The Mendenhall (MND) Non Directional Beacon (NDB)
And MND Transcribed Weather Broadcast (TWEB)
Juneau, Alaska

1. **Proposed Change.** The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is seeking input from interested parties regarding a proposal to decommission the Mendenhall NDB located at Juneau, Alaska.

The FAA is proposing to decommission the MND NDB located at Juneau, Alaska. The Mendenhall NDB was installed as part of the Juneau runway 08 Localizer Type Directional Aid (LDA) approach. The instrument procedures have recently been revised and the MND NDB is no longer part of the approach. The FAA has determined that MND NDB is not used for any instrument approach procedure, airway, or holding fix. The NDB is unusable beyond 20 NM all altitudes. The MND NDB hosts a continuous Transcribed Weather Broadcast (TWEB) recording. If this proposal is adopted, the TWEB will be decommissioned along with the MND NDB.

If this proposal is adopted, the costs associated with maintaining and repairing the MND NDB and TWEB will be eliminated.

2. **Public Input:** The public is invited to submit, in writing, comments regarding the overall aeronautical aspects of the proposed decommissioning of the MND NDB and MND TWEB.

This proposal is subject to change after review of public comments. Comments in writing concurring with or objecting to the proposed change may be indicated by use of the attached endorsement form, or may be mailed separately, or may be emailed (see link below).

3. **Comment Information:** Comments must be received by close of business, Wednesday, May 13, 2009 to be considered. You may E-Mail comments to 9-AAL-530-Comments@faa.gov or mail them to the Federal Aviation Administration, Alaska Flight Service Information Area Group, 222 W. 7th Avenue, #14, Anchorage, AK 99513-7587.

This proposal can also be reviewed via internet on our web page.

<http://www.alaska.faa.gov/at/notices/Alaska-MND-NDB-decommission.pdf>

5. **Proponent Information:** If you have questions regarding this change, please contact Derril Bergt, Alaska Flight Service Information Area Group, at (907) 271-2796.

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COMMENT: Aeronautical Study 08-AAL-58NR; Proposed Decommissioning of MND NDB located at Juneau, Alaska.

I have reviewed the proposal identified above and I have no objections.

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____

Representing: _____

or

I have reviewed the proposal identified above and I have comments (see below, or attached).

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____

Mail Comments to: Federal Aviation Administration
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