

Country Specific Steps to Obtain South Africa Design Approval

SOUTH AFRICA South African Civil Aviation Authority (SACAA)

GENERAL INFORMATION		
	For more details see agreement paragraph:	Note
Civil aeronautical product (herein also referred to as product) means any civil aircraft, or aircraft engine, propeller, appliance, material, sub-assembly, part, component, or replacement/modification part to be installed thereon.	Article 1(c)	
SACAA issues a Type Acceptance Certificate for Class I covered in South African Civil Aviation Requirements (SACAR) 21.04.5 NOTE: Your product may not need a Type Acceptance if it qualifies with Para. 6d in the South African Part 21 Type Acceptance document		http://www.caa.co.za/ Aircraft Certification Certification Engineering Technical Guidance Material Part 21 Type Acceptance
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APPLICATION PROCEDURE		
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Applicant Responsibilities		
1. Applicant sends application to geographic ACO with applicable data		Follow paragraph 7 of South African Part 21 Type Acceptance document
2. Include any fees		
ACO Responsibilities		
1. ACO cover letter on behalf of applicant (<i>Not necessary but helpful to track receipt and provide POC to SACAA</i>)		Use Memo 08-03 Appendix 1 pages 1 and 2 on AIR-40 website
2. Coordinate with SACAA to establish the supporting documentation and lines of communication	Article IV	
3. Forward applicants data package to SACAA	Appendix A	South African Civil Aviation Authority Private Bag x 73 Halfway House South Africa 1685

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POST APPLICATION - PRE-TC ISSUANCE PROCEDURES		
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SACAA Responsibilities		
1. After receipt of application package from FAA, SACAA notifies FAA of the acceptance of application or if incomplete, communicate what is deficient or missing <i>(Not necessary but helpful to provide)</i>	Article VI	
2. SACAA may apply some additional requirements	Article VI	
Applicant Responsibilities		
1. Provide information (as necessary)		
ACO Responsibilities		
1. Communicate (as necessary) project status between SACAA and applicant	Article VI	

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ISSUANCE OF THE TC		
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SACAA Responsibilities		
1. SACAA will notify FAA the issuance of Type Acceptance	Article VII	
ACO Responsibilities		
1. FAA should notify applicant of the issuance		
2. FAA should request a copy of the TC if SACAA did not send one to the applicant		

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SACAA will issue STC similar to the Type Acceptance process	Article I and Article II	
SACAA may apply additional requirements	Article VI	
<p>As of January 14, 2016: South African Civil Aviation Authority (SACAA) does not validate STCs from the FAA. This information is contained in AIC 61.6 available on the SACAA website. Organizations that want to install such modifications using FAA STCs are allowed do so; however, they have to notify the SACAA using Form CA 43-08. Failure to notify the SACAA of such installations renders the modification illegal and therefore invalidates the certificate of airworthiness (C of A) of the aircraft concerned.</p>		
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