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Subject: Revised – Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) Responsibilities for Russia and members of the Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)

All validation requests for the Russian Federation must be sent to the Federal Air Transport Agency (FATA) at the address listed in the Bilateral Listing page for Russia linked below, Obtaining Certification Approval from this Country; https://www.faa.gov/aircraft/air_cert/international/bilateral_agreements/baa_basa_listing/. In this linked document there are appropriate contacts that are updated regularly when received from FATA. FATA remains the authorized agency for the Russian Federation for type design approval, primary airworthiness approval, civil aviation aircraft approval as related to environmental protection, and continued airworthiness of civil aircraft registered, or to-be registered in Russia.

The Interstate Aviation Committee Aviation Register (IAC AR) still claims to act as the technical agent for most of the CIS; however, several countries (e.g., Ukraine, Georgia and Kazakhstan) have indicated to the FAA that their civil aviation authorities operate independent of the IAC AR. The FAA maintains its relationship with the IAC AR for those CIS member States that still rely on them as technical agent. However, before sending any inquiries to the IAC AR concerning a CIS State, please contact AIR-400 to determine if the IAC AR or the State's CAA is the appropriate contact.

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