



U.S. Department  
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# Advisory Circular

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**Subject:** ANNOUNCEMENT OF AVAILABILITY:  
FAA-S-8081-19, Recreational Pilot Powered  
Parachute Practical Test Standard

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**Change:**

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**1. PURPOSE.** This advisory circular announces the availability of FAA-S-8081-19, Recreational Pilot Powered Parachute Practical Test Standard; and provides information on obtaining printed copies or electronic access of this document.

**2. BACKGROUND.** The Recreational Pilot Powered Parachute Practical Test Standard has been published by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) to establish the standard for recreational pilot certification practical tests for the powered parachute category. This standard will become effective when the recommended change to Title 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations (14 CFR) part 61 is approved establishing a recreational pilot certificate for this category. FAA inspectors and designated pilot examiners shall conduct practical tests in compliance with this standard. Powered parachute pilots exercising flight instructor privileges and applicants should find this standard helpful during training and when preparing for practical tests.

**3. HOW TO ORDER PRINTED COPIES.** Printed copies of FAA-S-8081-19 may be obtained from:

New Orders  
Superintendent of Documents  
P.O. Box 371954  
Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954

When ordering, make check or money order payable to "Superintendent of Documents." MasterCard or VISA credit cards may also be used. For your convenience, a copy of the Superintendent of Documents Publications Order Form is attached. In addition, orders may be placed at U.S. Government Printing Office bookstores located in major cities throughout the United States. Specify:

Title: Recreational Pilot Powered Parachute Practical Test Standard  
Identification: FAA-S-8081-19  
Stock Number: 050-007-01163-6  
Price: \$2.50

**4. HOW TO OBTAIN ELECTRONICALLY.** FAA-S-8081-19 may be accessed through the FedWorld Information System by computer modem at 703-321-3339. It may also be accessed on the Internet at <http://www.fedworld.gov/pub/faa-att/faa-att.htm>. This address goes to the index of training and testing files in the FAA-ATT Library on FedWorld. Subsequent changes to this standard, in accordance with AC 60-27, Announcement of Availability: Changes to Practical Test Standards, will be available through FedWorld and then later incorporated into a printed revision.

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