



U.S. Department  
of Transportation  
**Federal Aviation  
Administration**

Office of Airport Safety  
and Standards

800 Independence Ave., SW.  
Washington, DC 20591

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Dear Industry Representative:

Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Draft Advisory Circular (AC) 150/5200-36A, *Qualifications for Wildlife Biologist Conducting Wildlife Hazard Assessments and Training Curriculums for Airport Personnel Involved in Controlling Wildlife Hazards on Airports*, is being circulated to interested industry associations to obtain comments and recommendations of actions to be taken. Please review this draft and submit comments as appropriate. Additionally, please provide justification for all comments regarding oppositions and recommended modifications. The final document may be revised as a result of comments received and further review by the Office of Airport Safety and Standards.

This Advisory Circular (AC) has two purposes. First, this AC describes the qualifications for wildlife biologists who conduct Wildlife Hazard Assessments (WHA) for airports certificated under Title 14, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 139 (14 CFR Part 139), and at non-certificated airports funded by a Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Airport Improvement Program (AIP) or Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) Program. Second, this AC addresses the minimum wildlife hazard management curriculum for the initial and recurrent training of airport personnel who implement an FAA-approved WHMP.

Comments may be submitted in writing to the FAA National Wildlife Biologist John Weller at 800 Independence Ave. SW., AAS-300 Room 618, Washington, DC 20591 or by email at [john.weller@faa.gov](mailto:john.weller@faa.gov). Comments received by July 13, 2011, will be considered for inclusion in the advisory circular. Concurrence with the enclosure is requested.

We have posted a PDF version of the draft advisory circular on the FAA website at [http://www.faa.gov/airports/resources/draft\\_advisory\\_circulars/](http://www.faa.gov/airports/resources/draft_advisory_circulars/)

Sincerely,

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