



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

Office of Airport Safety and
Standards

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Dear Industry Representative:

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) posted the Draft Advisory Circular (AC) 150/5395-1A, Seaplane Bases, 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 about issues you may have with the draft and recommended modifications. We may revise the final document as a result of comments received and further review by the Office of Airport Safety and Standards.

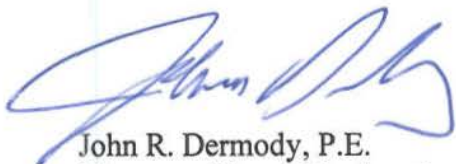
This AC provides guidance to assist operators in planning, designing, and constructing seaplane bases and associated facilities. We request concurrence with the enclosure. We will consider comments received by July 9, 2013, for inclusion in the AC.

Submit comments on the provided INDUSTRY REVIEW COMMENTS MATRIX which references the paragraph in question with your recommended change.

Please email the completed MATRIX to George Legarreta at george.legarreta@faa.gov.

You will find a PDF version of the draft advisory circular and a WORD version of the MATRIX on the FAA website at: [http://www.faa.gov/airports/resources/draft advisory circulars/](http://www.faa.gov/airports/resources/draft%20advisory%20circulars/).

Sincerely,



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