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TO: KRWA NOUS2 _____

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NOTICE: 8000.90

SUBJECT: INITIAL IMPLEMENTATION CHANGES TO FAA ORDER 8000.90, AOV CREDENTIALING AND CONTROL TOWER OPERATOR CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS

EFFECTIVE: IMMEDIATELY

CANCELLATION: MAY 11, 2008

FOR THE PURPOSE OF INITIAL IMPLEMENTATION, THE DEFINITION OF EXAMINER DESIGNATION IN FAA ORDER 8000.90, PARAGRAPH 1-7Q, IS MODIFIED FOR AIRWAY TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM SPECIALISTS (ATSS) AS FOLLOWS:

"AN AUTHORIZATION THAT PERMITS THE HOLDER TO PERFORM SKILLS EVALUATIONS. THE HOLDER OF THIS DESIGNATION IS REFERRED TO AS AN EXAMINER. THIS DESIGNATION IS A MANAGERIAL FUNCTION."

THE PERIOD OF INITIAL IMPLEMENTION FOR AIRWAY TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM SPECIALISTS (ATSS) CREDENTIALS REFERENCED IN FAA ORDER 8000.90, PARAGRAPH 1-9, BEGAN ON MARCH 30, 2007. AS A RESULT, THE PROVISIONS OF FAA ORDER 8000.90, PARAGRAPHS 6-3A AND 6-3B, GO INTO EFFECT FOR ATSS CREDENTIALS ON JUNE 30, 2007.

ADDITIONALLY, PARAGRAPH 8-1, PAGE 25: THE LAST SENTENCE IN THE INITIAL PARAGRAH IS CHANGED TO READ:

"AN AOV CREDENTIAL WILL BE ISSUED TO THOSE WHO MEET THE REQUIREMENT FOR PROFICIENCY MANAGER OR EXAMINER AND TO AN ATO EMPLOYEE WHO:

A. SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETES ANY REQUIRED TECHNICAL TRAINING AND PERFORMANCE EXAMS NECESSARY TO ATTAIN CERTIFICATION AUTHORITY AS PRESCRIBED IN FAA ORDER 3400.3, AIRWAY FACILITIES MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL CERTIFICATION PROGRAM, CURRENT EDITION;

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B. HOLDS AT LEAST ONE EQUIPMENT ENDORSEMENT; AND

C. PASSES THE SKILLS EVALUATION.”

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