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SUBJECT: FAA CONTRACT TOWER (FCT) AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER ELIGIBILITY

THIS GENOT APPLIES TO HIRING ELIGIBILITY FOR FCTS ONLY, AND DOES NOT REQUIRE A BRIEFING TO THE FAA OPERATIONAL AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER WORKFORCE. CONTENT WILL BE INCORPORATED INTO FAA ORDER JO 7210.3EE EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 20, 2025.

FAA ORDER JO 7210.3, FACILITY OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION, PARAGRAPH 11-2-6, FCT AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER ELIGIBILITY, IS CHANGED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

11-2-6. FCT AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER ELIGIBILITY

TO BE AN AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER IN THE FAA CONTRACT TOWER (FCT) PROGRAM:

a. A PERSON MUST MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS (CFR), TITLE 14, AERONAUTICS AND SPACE, PART 65 AND PART 67, AND HELD A PREVIOUS CONTROL TOWER OPERATOR CERTIFICATE (CTO) OR FAA AIR TRAFFIC SAFETY OVERSIGHT (AOV) CREDENTIAL WITH A TOWER RATING.

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b. PERSONS NOT HOLDING A PREVIOUS CTO OR AOV CREDENTIAL WITH A TOWER RATING MUST HAVE A VALID ENHANCED AT-CTI ENDORSEMENT LETTER.

c. THERE IS NO MAXIMUM AGE RESTRICTION FOR FCT AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS.

PLEASE DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS TO RICHARD.PARKS@FAA.GOV.

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