

NOTICE

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION
Air Traffic Organization Policy

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SUBJ: Administration of Facilities; En Route Operations and Services

- 1. Purpose of This Notice.** This notice amends FAA Order JO 7210.3, Facility Operation and Administration, paragraph 2-3-3, Requirements; and paragraph 6-1-2, Sectors by updating and reformatting some information. The changes amend content pertaining to operational/control positions and sector definitions.
- 2. Audience.** This notice applies to the following Air Traffic Organization (ATO) service units: Air Traffic Services, Mission Support Services, System Operations Services, Safety and Technical Training, and all associated air traffic facilities.
- 3. Where Can I Find This Notice?** This notice is available on the MyFAA employee website at https://employees.faa.gov/tools_resources/orders_notices/ and on the air traffic publications website at http://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/.
- 4. Explanation of Change.** This change modifies paragraph 2-3-3, *NOTE* by updating en route position identifiers from “R-side” or “D-side,” to “Radar” and “Radar Associate.” ATOP is added as a operational/control position. Paragraph 6-1-2, Sectors, is modified by updating en route position identifiers from “R-side” or “D-side,” to “Radar” and “Radar Associate.” ATOP is added as a operational/control sector.
- 5. Procedures/Action.** Amend FAA Order JO 7210.3 by changing the following paragraphs to read as follows:

2-3-3. REQUIREMENTS

Title through b.1(c), No change

NOTE-

Operational/control positions are: Local and/or Ground (Tower), Satellite Radar, Departure Radar, Arrival Radar and/or Final Radar (TRACON), Radar Position, Radar Associate Position and/or ATOP (En Route).

No further changes to paragraph

6-1-2. SECTORS

The basic unit in each area of operation is the sector. Sectors are classified as one Radar and one Radar Associate, or one ATOP.

No further changes to paragraph

6. Distribution. This notice is distributed to the following ATO service units: Air Traffic Services, Mission Support Services, System Operations Services, and Safety and Technical Training; the Air Traffic Safety Oversight Service; the William J. Hughes Technical Center; and the Mike Monroney Aeronautical Center.

7. Background. FAA Order JO 7210.3, Facility Operation and Administration, provides direction and guidance for the day-to-day operation of facilities and offices under the administrative jurisdiction of the Federal Aviation Administration's Air Traffic Organization. These responsibilities include position currency definitions, and requirements which are updated from time to time.

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