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SUBJ: RECONDITIONING OF RIGID RADOMES IN THE NATIONAL AIRSPACE SYSTEM (RIS: SM 6340-1)

1. <u>PURPOSE</u>. This supplement provides Southwest Regional procedures for submitting Pre-DLM radome evaluation data.

2. EXPLANATION OF CHANGE. Regional requirements are established for the Airway Facilities Sector offices to submit the Pre-DLM findings using FAA Form 6340-1 to the Airway Facilities Division, ASW-400, attention: Maintenance Operations Branch, ASW-460, prior to 1 August of each year.

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Sector Requirement for Submitting FAA Form 6340-1. Sectors shall perform a yearly Pre-DLM survey on each rigid radome in service except those that have been or will be reconditioned during the report year. Report the findings using FAA Form 6340-1 to the Airway Facilities Division, ASW-400, attention: Maintenance Operations Branch, ASW-460, prior to 1 August of each year. The degree of deterioration of individual panels has been noted to vary from section to section of the radome. The condition of the base panels may not reflect the condition of the top most panels. To be of maximum effectiveness, this evaluation should not be restricted to one area of the radome surface.

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