



*This document provides additional information to support Certificate Holders and Applicants as they learn about the initial certification process and the Safety Assurance System (SAS) External Portal.*

## **Initial Certification Information for 14 CFR Parts 121, 135, 141, 145, and 147**

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From the main Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) website ([www.faa.gov](http://www.faa.gov)) you can navigate to initial certification information for 14 CFR parts, including:

- [14 CFR Part 121 Air Carrier Certification Process Information](#)
- [14 CFR Part 135 Air Carrier and Operator Certification Process Information](#)
- [14 CFR Part 141 Pilot Schools](#)
- [14 CFR Part 145 Repair Station Certification Process Information](#)
- [14 CFR Part 147 Aircraft Maintenance Technician Schools \(AMTS\)](#)

## **Safety Assurance System (SAS) Policy and Procedures**

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From the DRS website (<https://drs.faa.gov/>) you can find FAA Order 8900.1, Volume 10, Safety Assurance System Policy and Procedures.

## **Training**

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You can access the *Introduction to the SAS External Portal* training course at this link:  
[https://www.faa.gov/sas/multimedia/SAS\\_External\\_Portal\\_for\\_CHO\\_A\\_Web/story.html](https://www.faa.gov/sas/multimedia/SAS_External_Portal_for_CHO_A_Web/story.html)



## SAS External Portal Information Guide

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The SAS External Portal Information Guide is a one-stop-shop for information about the SAS External Portal for Certificate Holders and Applicants. You can access the *SAS External Portal Information Guide* at this link: <https://www.faa.gov/sasdeployment/sas-external-portal-information-guide>

## SAS External Portal Questions

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Questions regarding the SAS External Portal should be directed to local Flight Standards District Offices (FSDOs), Certificate Management Offices (CMOs), and International Field Offices (IFOs).

## FAA Help Desk

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