



Federal Aviation Administration

Memorandum

Date:

To: Instrument Flight Procedure Service Providers

From: Wade E.K. Terrell, Manager, Flight Procedures and Airspace Group

Subject: Waiver to FAA Order 8260.58C paragraph 1-2-5.c.(3), Maximum bank angle

Background: The Performance Based Navigation (PBN) Aviation Rulemaking Committee (PARC) made a recommendation that the FAA adjust the turn parameters used in PBN instrument flight procedure (IFP) design to reflect modern avionics values. The Flight Procedures and Airspace Group analyzed current avionics specifications with the help of several FAA offices and RTCA SC-227 to identify the new bank angles necessary for current IFP design. The Flight Procedures and Airspace Group then conducted an Operational Safety Review (OSR) for this amendment to bank angle criteria. The outcome of the OSR was that no new hazard is introduced into the National Aerospace System (NAS).

Purpose: This memorandum waives FAA Order 8260.58C, United States Standard for Performance Based Navigation (PBN) Instrument Procedure Design, paragraph 1-2-5.c.(3) and authorizes use of a maximum bank angle of 23 degrees above FL195 up to FL245 and a maximum bank angle of 16 degrees above FL245.

This waiver remains in effect until rescinded. No additional waiver request action is required. Please direct all inquiries to Thomas J. Nichols, Standards Section Manager, Flight Procedures and Airspace Group at 405-954-1171 or thomas.j.nichols@faa.gov