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Question:

Article 5(1) of Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/203 and Article 4(1) of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1645 refer to the equivalence of requirements between Directive (EU) 2016/1148 (NIS Directive) and Part-IS. Does this mean that if one complies with the NIS Directive or the NIS 2 Directive, they are automatically compliant with Part-IS?

Answer:

No. Compliance with NIS requirements does not imply compliance with all Part-IS requirements. Compliance with the security requirements of Article 14 of Directive 2016/1148 (the 'NIS Directive') or Article 21 of Directive (EU) 2022/2555 (the 'NIS 2 Directive') must be equivalent in effect with the corresponding requirements of Part-IS. This equivalence in effect with Part-IS will be verified by the competent authority that is identified in Article 6 of Implementing Regulation (EU) 2023/203 and Article 5 of Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1645. Supporting material for performing this assessment is currently under development by the European Commission, the European Union Aviation Safety Agency (EASA), and the Member States' authorities, and is expected to be provided to the authorities concerned by 2025/Q4.

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