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FAQs:

Certification Authorities for Transport Airplanes (CATA), International cooperation

Question:

What happens if an applicant does not elect to follow a CWI?

Answer:

An applicant may use an alternative compliance approach by using existing guidance or agree to a new method by using the certifying authority's existing issue resolution process. However, this approach might not be harmonized among the four authorities, which could result in additional time and effort in validation projects.

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