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FAQs:

Part-SPO, Air Operations, Regulations

Question:

Is the skydiving activity itself under the scope of Regulation (EU) No 965/2012?

Answer:

Skydiving/parachute dropping

Parachutes are completely outside Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 (the Basic Regulation), on account that they are not an aircraft.

In addition, the way people do skydiving (parachute jumps/tandem jumps) does not belong to the scope of Regulation 965/2012.

Regulation (EU) No 965/2012 applies to the flight operation of bringing parachutists at the required level for the execution of the jumps.

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