

Draft EU Ground Handling Regulation

Annex II – Authority Requirements

Consultation Webinar

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Agenda

Welcome and Introduction

14:00 – 14:45

Legal Background and Scope of the future GH Regulation

14:45 – 15:00

Q&A, discussion

15:00 – 15:15

Break

15:15 – 16:00

Organisation Requirements (Annex III)

16:00 – 16:15

Q&A, discussion

16:15 – 16:30

Break

16:30 – 16:45

Operational Requirements (Annex IV)

16:45 – 17:00

Q&A, discussion

17:00 – 17:15

Break

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Authority Requirements (Annex II)

17:30 – 17:45

Q&A, discussion

17:45 – 18:00

Conclusions and Next Steps

Authority Requirements – Principles

Management system

Easy to integrate in existing structures

Cooperative oversight

Most relevant for GH in today's global context

Exercising the authority in own Member State is not affected

Inspector training

Emphasis on the training element, to build the right competencies



Oversight by Competent Authority



- When receiving a declaration, the competent authority (CA) has to:
 - 1. acknowledge the receipt of declaration (and any accompanying documents) and
 - 2. include the organisation in the oversight planning.
- Which organisations are subject to oversight by CA:
 - Organisations that provide GH services at an aerodrome within the BR scope.
- Which organisations are NOT subject to direct oversight by CA:
 - Organisations that provide GH services outside an aerodrome.
- What happens to those GH services?
 - They remain under the management system of the aircraft operator or aerodrome operator.
 - They may be indirectly overseen by the CA of the aircraft operator or of the aerodrome operator in the EASA Member States.

Cooperative oversight

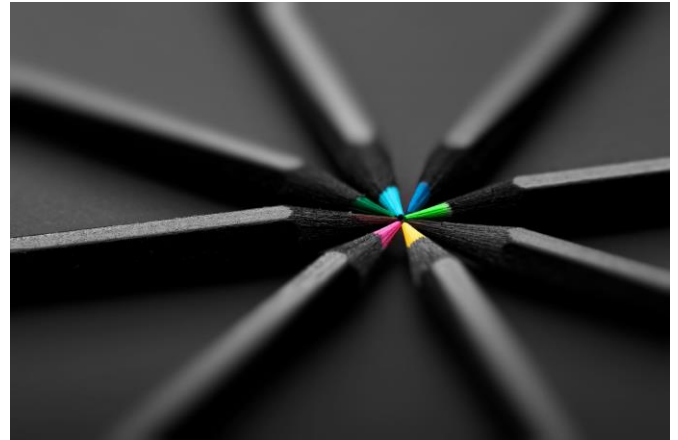


- EASA e-tool — to share information between competent authorities
- Any systemic issues (affecting elements of the management system) identified at one aerodrome,
 - Check if this is repeating on other aerodromes in the same State;
 - Check if this is repeating on other aerodromes in other Member States – **cooperative oversight**
- Exchange of inspectors as part of recurrent training
- Cooperative oversight is put into practice through a regulatory framework, but is built beyond that.



Practical example of cooperative oversight

- This is how it goes in practice:
 - Communicate, communicate, communicate
 - Common database of audit reports
 - Network of inspectors
 - Mixed inspector teams
 - Common checklists (like SAFA/SACA)



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