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FAQs:

Alternative Method of Compliance (AMOC) to an Airworthiness Directive (AD)

Question:

What is not an Alternative Method of Compliance (AMOC) to an Airworthiness Directive (AD)?

Answer:

Requests for extension of compliance time without other alternative compliance methods or compensative factors are in general not eligible for an AMOC application. The operator may wish to contact the responsible national authority and apply for a temporary exemption in accordance with Article 71 of the Basic Regulation. A justification document from the type certificate holder may be suitable to support such a time limited exemption on a case by case basis.

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