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Subject: Request by LOM PRAHA s.p. for surrender of Type Certificate No. CZ 92-09 for the V-231 propeller affecting the V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models

Type Certificates No.: CAA Czech Republic Type Certificate No. 92-09, dated 30th November 1992

Issued by: The LOM PRAHA s.p. V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models were initially approved by the Civil Aviation Authority of the Czech Republic on 30th November 1992. EASA Type Certification for the V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models is granted in accordance with Article 3 paragraph 1 (a) (i) of Commission Regulation (EU) No. 748/2012\(^1\) based on the aforementioned CAA CZ certification of this propeller.

Type Certificate Holder: LOM PRAHA s.p.
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EASA DOA No.: EASA.21J.306

Background: LOM PRAHA s.p., as current holder of the Type Certificate for the V-231 propeller type including the V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models, submitted to EASA a request to surrender the aforementioned Type Certificate.

The V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models were initially approved by the Civil Aviation Authority of the Czech Republic (CAA CZ) under Type Certificate No. 92-09 and Type Certificate Data Sheet No. 92-09.

EASA Type Certification for the V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models is granted in accordance with Article 3 paragraph 1 (a) (i) of Commission Regulation (EU) No. 748/2012 based on the CAA CZ type certification of these propeller models.

\(^1\) Commission Regulation (EU) No 748/2012 of 03/08/2012 laying down implementing rules for the airworthiness and environmental certification of aircraft and related products, parts and appliances, as well as for the certification of design and production organisations (OJ L 224, 21.08.2012, p.1)
LOM PRAHA s.p. informed EASA that 88 propellers of these propeller models have been produced and that the V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models went out-of-production in 2005. LOM PRAHA s.p. confirmed to EASA that LOM PRAHA s.p. has not received from any known operator operational data reports or requests for overhaul despite the manufacturer’s recommended Time Between Overhaul. Since 2005, LOM PRAHA s.p. has also not received any request for a new propeller, spare parts or repair. Pursuant the above, LOM PRAHA s.p. considers that the V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models are no longer in service, hence their wish to surrender the type certificate for the V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models.

EASA hereby asks you to communicate the aforementioned request to any natural or legal person to whom this surrender could be of direct and individual concern as well as to other interested persons. When doing so, EASA also asks you to inform them about the possibility, no later than 21st July 2019 of commenting on the above.

After satisfactory evaluation of the surrender request, taking into account the comments received, EASA may both accept the request and take the decision to transfer or revoke the Type Certificate for the V-231, V-231P and V-231R propeller models or refuse the surrender request in accordance with the applicable administrative procedures established by EASA².

Contact: Any request, query or comment should be sent, no later than 21st July 2019, to:

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² EASA procedure PR.TOC.00001 on Transfer or surrender of a product certificate (http://www.easa.europa.eu/document-library/internal-certification-working-procedures/transfer-or-surrender-product-certificate)