

**European Aviation Safety Agency**

**DECISION N° 2006/04/E**  
**OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE AGENCY**  
**of 4<sup>th</sup> August 2006**

**on the delegation of the powers to staff members  
of the Quality and Standardisation Directorate**

THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE EUROPEAN AVIATION SAFETY AGENCY,

Having regard to the Regulation (EC) No 1592/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 July 2002 on common rules in the field of civil aviation and establishing a European Aviation Safety Agency<sup>1</sup> (hereinafter referred to as "the Basic Regulation"), and in particular Articles 29(3)(b), 29(3)(e) and 29(3)(i) thereof,

Having regard to the measures of the European Aviation Safety Agency (hereinafter referred to as "the Agency") as specified in Article 13(c) of the Basic Regulation,

Having regard to the role of the Agency in monitoring the application of the Basic Regulation and its implementing rules by National Aviation Authorities, as specified in Article 16(1) and (2) of the Basic Regulation,

Having regard to the Regulation (EC) No 736/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Commission of 16 May 2006 on working methods of the European Aviation Safety Agency for conducting standardisation inspections<sup>2</sup> (hereinafter referred to as "Regulation (EC) No 736/2006"),

**Whereas:**

- (1) The Executive Director is entitled in accordance with Article 29(3)(b) of the Basic Regulation to decide on inspections as provided for in Articles 45 of the Basic Regulation.
- (2) The Executive Director is entitled in accordance with Article 29(3)(e) of the Basic Regulation to take all necessary steps in order to ensure the functioning of the Agency.

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<sup>1</sup> OJ L 240, 7.9.2002, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1701/2003 (OJ L 243, 27.9.2003, p. 5.)

<sup>2</sup> OJ L 129, 17.5.2006, p. 10.

- (3) The Executive Director is entitled in accordance with Article 29(3)(i) of the Basic Regulation to delegate his powers to other staff members of the Agency according to rules adopted in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 54(2) of the Basic Regulation.
- (4) The Commission has adopted Decision C (2004) 88 final of 23 January 2004 on the rules governing delegation of the powers of the Executive Director of the European Aviation Safety Agency.
- (5) The Management Board has appointed the Quality and Standardisation Director in accordance with Article 30(3) of the Basic Regulation and the Quality and Standardisation Director is part of the Agency's staff as defined in Article 20(3) of the Basic Regulation.
- (6) For the proper functioning of the Agency it is necessary to delegate certain powers of the Executive Director to the Quality and Standardisation Director, as well as to the Head of Standardisation and to allow the Quality and Standardisation Director to authorise members of his staff to sign on his behalf and under his supervision and final responsibility certain documents.

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

*Article 1*

*Delegation of power*

The Executive Director hereby delegates his powers to:

Mr. Francesco Banal, Quality and Standardisation Director,  
and in his absence to

Mr. François Janvier, Head of Standardisation,  
to take decisions on inspections as provided for in Article 45 the Basic Regulation, according to Article 13(c) and Article 29(3)(b) of the Basic Regulation and Regulation (EC) No 736/2006.

*Article 2*

(a) In order to ensure the proper functioning of the Q Directorate the Quality and Standardisation Director may decide to authorise members of his staff to sign, on his behalf and under his supervision and final responsibility, documents as specified in that decision for the application of Regulation (EC) No 736/2006.

(b) The decision to authorise to sign shall be done by name and in writing and shall include the conditions, if any, under which such authorisation can be exercised.

- (c) The authorisation to sign the following documents may not be delegated:
- Authorisation of the Agency personnel;
  - Final report;

- Statement of findings' closure;
- Supplementary report.

(d) The Executive Director will be informed of such decision and any modification of such decision thereto.

*Article 3*

*Publication*

This Decision shall be published in the *Official Publication* of the Agency.

*Article 4*

*Entry into force*

This Decision shall enter into force on 4th August 2006.

*Article 5*

*Repeal*

Decisions 2005/13/A of the Executive Director of the Agency is hereby repealed.

Done at Cologne, 4<sup>th</sup> August 2006.

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