§ 21.253  Type certificates: application.

(b) Delegation option authorizations may be used for—

(1) Type certification;
(2) Changes in the type design of products for which the manufacturer holds, or obtains, a type certificate;
(3) The amendment of a production certificate held by the manufacturer to include additional models or additional types for which he holds or obtains a type certificate; and
(4) The issue of—
   (i) Experimental certificates for aircraft for which the manufacturer has applied for a type certificate or amended type certificate under § 21.253, to permit the operation of those aircraft for the purpose of research and development, crew training, market surveys, or the showing of compliance with the applicable airworthiness requirements;
   (ii) Airworthiness certificates (other than experimental certificates) for aircraft for which the manufacturer holds a type certificate and holds or is in the process of obtaining a production certificate;
   (iii) Airworthiness approval tags (FAA Form 8130–3) for engines and propellers for which the manufacturer holds a type certificate and holds or is in the process of obtaining a production certificate; and
   (iv) Airworthiness approval tags (FAA Form 8130–3) for parts of products covered by this section.

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§ 21.257  Type certificates: issue.

An applicant is entitled to a type certificate for a product manufactured under a delegation option authorization if the Administrator finds that the product meets the applicable airworthiness, noise, fuel venting, and exhaust emission requirements (including applicable acoustical change or emissions change requirements in the case of changes in type design).

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