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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

12 CFR Part 708a

Mergers or Conversions of Federally-Insured Credit Unions to Non Credit Union Status: NCUA Approval

AGENCY: National Credit Union Administration (NCUA).

ACTION: Proposed rule; extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: On December 4, 1997 (62 FR 64185), the National Credit Union Administration (NCUA) published for public comment a proposed rule regarding disclosure statements for federally-insured credit unions proposing to convert to noncredit union status. The comment period for this proposed rule was to have expired on February 2, 1998. At the request of a trade association and to encourage additional comments, the NCUA Board has decided to extend the comment period on the proposed rule. The extended comment period now expires February 16, 1998.

DATES: The comment period has been extended and now expires February 16, 1998. Comments must be received on or before February 16, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be directed to Becky Baker, Secretary of the Board. Mail or hand-deliver comments to: National Credit Union Administration Board, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314-3428. Fax comments to (703) 518-6319. E-mail comments to boardmail@ncua.gov. Please send comments by one method only.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mary F. Rupp, Staff Attorney, Division of Operations, Office of General Counsel, at the above address or telephone: (703) 518-6540.

By the National Credit Union Administration Board on January 30, 1998.

Becky Baker,

Secretary to the Board.

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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

12 CFR Part 708b

Mergers of Federally-Insured Credit Unions; Voluntary Termination or Conversion of Insured Status

AGENCY: National Credit Union Administration (NCUA).

ACTION: Proposed rule; extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: On December 4, 1997 (62 FR 64187), the National Credit Union Administration (NCUA) published for public comment a proposed rule regarding disclosure statements for federally-insured credit unions proposing to convert to nonfederal insurance or to terminate federal insurance. The comment period for this proposed rule was to have expired on February 2, 1998. At the request of a trade association and to encourage additional comments, the NCUA Board has decided to extend the comment period on the proposed rule. The extended comment period now expires February 16, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be directed to Becky Baker, Secretary of the Board. Mail or hand-deliver comments to: National Credit Union Administration Board, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314-3428. Fax comments to (703) 518-6319. E-mail comments to boardmail@ncua.gov. Please send comments by one method only.

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By the National Credit Union Administration Board on January 30, 1998.

Becky Baker,

Secretary to the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

14 CFR Part 39

[Docket No. 97-CE-42-AD]

RIN 2120-AA64

Airworthiness Directives; SOCATA—Groupe AEROSPATIALE Model TBM 700 Airplanes

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration, DOT.

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM).

SUMMARY: This document proposes to adopt a new airworthiness directive (AD) that would apply to certain SOCATA—Groupe AEROSPATIALE Model TBM 700 airplanes. The proposed action would require modifying the airplane's left-hand (LH) front side lower panel. The proposed AD is the result of mandatory continuing airworthiness information (MCAI) issued by the airworthiness authority for France. The actions specified by the proposed AD are intended to prevent interference between the side trim of the LH front side lower panel and the roll control compass on the LH wheel assembly, which, if not corrected, could result in loss of directional control of the airplane.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before March 3, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments in triplicate to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), Central Region, Office of the Regional Counsel, Attention: Rules Docket No. 97-CE-42-AD, Room 1558, 601 E. 12th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64106. Comments may be inspected at this location between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, holidays excepted.

Service information that applies to the proposed AD may be obtained from SOCATA—Groupe AEROSPATIALE, Support Client/Customer Support, Aerodrome Tarbes-Ossun-Lourdes, B P 930, F65009 Tarbes Cedex, France; telephone (33) 62.41.73.00; facsimile (33) 62.41.76.54, or the Product Support Manager, SOCATA—Groupe AEROSPATIALE, North Perry Airport, 7501 Pembroke Road, Pembroke Pines, Florida 33023; telephone (954) 964-6877; facsimile: (954) 964-1668. This