

public convenience and necessity authorizing Ameristar to engage in foreign charter air transportation of property and mail between points in the United States and points in various foreign countries.

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Description: Application of Ameristar Air Cargo, Inc. pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 41102 and Subpart Q, applies for a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing Ameristar to provide interstate charter air transportation of property and mail between various points in the United States.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

RTCA Program Management Committee

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 5 U.S.C., Appendix 2), notice is hereby given for Program Management Committee meeting to be held October 6, 1999, starting at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be held at National Business Aviation Association, 1200 18th Street, NW., Suite 400, Washington, D.C. 20036.

The agenda will include: (1) Welcome and Introductions; (2) Review/Approve Summary of previous meeting; (3) Discussion: A. Special Committee 194, ATM Data Link Implementation, 1. Consider proposed revision to the Terms of Reference; 2. Consider a new Co-Chairman; B. Proposed New Special Committee for Night Vision Goggles, 1. Consider Terms of Reference and Proposed Co-Chairs; C. Status report on Special Committee 147, Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System; D. Update on Special Committee 165, Aeronautical Mobile Satellite Services; (4) Publication Consideration/Approval: A. Final Draft, First Annual Report for Clarification of DO-178B, Software Consideration in Airborne System and Equipment Certification (RTCA Paper No. 163-99/PMC-053, prepared by SC-190); B. Final Draft, Development and Implementation Planning Guide for Automatic Dependent Surveillance Broadcast (ADS-B) Applications, (RTCA Paper No. 221-99/PMC-059, prepared

by SC-186); C. Final Draft, DO-229B, Minimum Operational Performance Standards for Global Positioning System/Wide Area Augmentation System Airborne Equipment (RTCA Paper No. 183-99/PMC-054, prepared by SC-159); (5) Action Item Review: A. Action Item 99-09. Comment on RTCA's process for facilitating the FAA's External Relations Program and value of input provided for the first Mission Needs review. B. Action Item 99-10. Proposed policy for PMC Member Attendance; C. Action Item 99-11. Update of deliverables and completion schedule for Special Committee 189, Air Traffic Service Safety & Interoperability Requirements; D. Action Item 99-12. Recommendation for changes to Terms of Reference for: 1. SC-186, Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast; 2. SC-193, Terrain and Airport Databases; 3. SC-195, Flight Information Services Communications. Changes have been suggested by the FAA to focus work programs and better support the Safe Flight 21 Program; E. Action Item 99-13. Proposed policy for termination/extension of Special Committees that have completed their assigned work programs; (6) Other Business; (7) Review Document Production Schedule and Future Meetings Dates; (8) Closing.

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairman, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the RTCA Secretariat, 1140 Connecticut Avenue, NW., Suite 1020, Washington, DC 20036; (202) 833-9339 (phone); (202) 833-9434 (fax); or <http://www.rtca.org> (web site). Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

RTCA Special Committee 159; Minimum Operational Performance Standards for Airborne Navigation Equipment Using Global Positioning System (GPS)

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 5 U.S.C., Appendix 2), notice

is hereby given for a Special Committee 159 meeting to be held October 4-8, 1999, starting at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be held at RTCA, 1140 Connecticut Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20036.

The agenda will be as follows:

Specific Working Group Sessions:
October 4: Working Group 1, Third Civil Frequency; Working Group 2C, Global Positioning System (GPS)/Inertial; Working Group 5, Airport Surface Surveillance. October 5: Ad Hoc, Recommendation Support; 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.: Working Group 6, Interference; Precision Landing Guidance (LAAS) 1:30-4:30 p.m. October 6: Working Group 4, Precision Landing Guidance (LAAS CAT I/II/III). Working Group 2, WAAS; 1:30-4:30 p.m. October 7: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Working Group 4, Precision Landing Guidance (LAAS CAT I/II/III); 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., Working Group 2, WAAS.

October 7, 1:30-4:30 p.m., Plenary Session (continuing on October 8, 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.): (1) Chairman's Introductory Remarks; (2) Review/Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting; (3) Review WG Progress and Identify Issues for Resolution: (a) GPS/Third Civil Frequency (WG-1); (b) GPS/WAAS (WG-2); (c) GPS/GLONASS (WG-2A); (d) GPS/Inertial (WG-2C); (e) GPS/Precision Landing Guidance (WG-4); (f) GPS/Airport Surface Surveillance (WG-5); (g) GPS/Interference (WG-6); (h) SC-159 Ad Hoc; (4) Review of EUROCAE Activities; (5) Review/Approval of Minimum Operational Performance Standards for Global Positioning System Local Area Augmentation System Airborne Equipment (RTCA Paper No. 227-99/159-826); and Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) Based Precision Approach Local Area Augmentation System (LLAS) Signal-In-Space Interface Control Document (RTCA Paper No. 227-99/159-826); (6) Assignment/Review of Future Work; (7) Other Business; (8) Date and Location of Next Meeting; (9) Closing.

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