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A001 . Issuance and Applicability

HQ Control: 02/11/2016

Certificate No.: A9PR286X

HQ Revision: 05e

a. These operations specifications are issued to AEROSPACE COATINGS INTERNATIONAL LLC, a Repair Station located in the United States, pursuant to 14 CFR Part 145, § 145.53. The repair station certificate holder shall conduct operations in accordance with 14 CFR Part 145 and these operations specifications.

The certificate holder's address:

Fixed Location: 370 KNIGHT DRIVE Oxford, Alabama 36203

- b. The holder of these operations specifications is the holder of certificate number A9PR286X and shall hereafter be referred to as the "certificate holder".
- c. These operations specifications are issued as part of this repair station certificate and are in effect as of the date approval is effective. This certificate and these operations specifications shall remain in effect until the certificate for a repair station that is located in the United States is surrendered, suspended, or revoked.
- d. The repair station specified on these operations specifications and located within the United States performs maintenance and/or an alteration of aircraft and/or aeronautical products to be installed on aircraft under the terms and conditions of the U.S./EU Safety Agreement, Annex 2, Maintenance, between the FAA and the EU.
- e. The certificate holder is authorized to use only the business name which appears on the certificate to conduct the operations described in subparagraph a.

Delegated authorities: None

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A002. Definitions and Abbreviations

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Unless otherwise defined in these operations specifications, all words, phrases, definitions, and abbreviations have identical meanings to those used in 14 CFR and 49 U.S.C., as cited in Public Law 103-272, as amended. Additionally, the definitions listed below are applicable to operations conducted in accordance with these operations specifications.

BASA The Bilateral Aviation Safety Agreement (BASA) is an executive

agreement concluded between the United States and a foreign country

for the purpose of promoting aviation safety; also known as an

Agreement for the Promotion of Aviation Safety.

Certificate Holder In these operations specifications, the term "certificate holder" means

the holder of the repair station certificate described in these operations specifications in Part A paragraph A001 and any of its officers, employees, or agents used in the conduct of operations under this

certificate.

CAAS Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

Class Rating As used with respect to the certification, ratings, privileges of

airframes, powerplants, propellers, radios, instruments, and

accessories within a category having similar operating characteristics.

EASA European Aviation Safety Agency

EASA Accountable

Manager

The manager who has corporate authority for ensuring that all

maintenance required by the customer can be financed and carried out

to the standard required by the EASA full-member Authority.

EU European Union

Exemption An authorization that permits an alternate means of compliance with a

specific CFR. The exemption must meet the procedural requirements

of 14 CFR Part 11.

FOCA Federal Office of Civil Aviation

FAA Accountable

Manager

A person designated by the certificated repair station who is

responsible for and has authority over all repair station operations that are conducted under 14 CFR Part 145, including ensuring that the repair station's personnel follow the regulations and serving as the

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primary contact with the FAA.

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Geographic Authorization

Authorization provided to a repair station located outside the United States to perform maintenance support under contract for a U.S. air carrier (or an operator of U.S.- registered aircraft under 14 CFR Part 129) at a location other than the repair station's main facility. A geographic authorization is issued by the FAA to respond to a U.S. air carrier's or Part 129 foreign operator's need for maintenance at a station where the frequency and scope of that maintenance does not warrant permanently staffing and equipping the station for its accomplishment.

Limited Rating

A rating issued to repair stations for the performance of maintenance on particular makes and models of airframes, powerplants, propellers, radios, instruments, accessories, and/or parts.

Limited Ratings - Specialized Services

Rating issued for a special maintenance function when the function is performed in accordance with a specification approved by the Administrator.

Line Maintenance

Any unscheduled maintenance resulting from unforeseen events, or scheduled checks where certain servicing and/or inspections do not require specialized training, equipment, or facilities.

MAG

The Maintenance Annex Guidance (MAG) defines the process that the FAA and EASA undertake in the inspection, findings of compliance certification, and monitoring of repair stations, as well as their joint cooperation in quality assurance and standardization activities in support of the EASA Agreement, Annex 2, Maintenance. The term Maintenance Agreement Guidance (MAG) defines the processes and activities applicable to a specific country under an MIP, and is not associated with the EASA Agreement.

Maintenance

The inspection, overhaul, repair, preservation, and replacement of parts, but excludes preventive maintenance.

U.S./EU Aviation Safety Agreement, Annex 2, Maintenance

Annex 2 covers the reciprocal acceptance of findings of compliance, approvals, documentation and technical assistance regarding approvals and the monitoring of repair stations/maintenance organizations.

MIP

Maintenance Implementation Procedures (MIP) are procedures for implementing the provisions of a BASA that apply to maintenance performed under 14 CFR Part 145, Section 145.53(b).

MOE

A maintenance organization exposition (MOE) pertains to procedural manuals used by maintenance organizations certificated by a foreign country. The MOE along with the FAA Supplement, sets forth the structure and procedures of the repair station to meet the requirements of 14 CFR Part 145 under a MIP.

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Preventive

As defined in 14 CFR part 1 and part 43 appendix A,

Maintenance

subparagraph (c).

QCM

Quality Control Manual

Repair Station located in the United States

A FAA certificated repair station located in the United States.

Repair Station located

outside the United

States

A FAA certificated repair station located outside of the United States.

RSM

Repair Station Manual

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A003. Ratings and Limitations

HQ Control: 04/03/2017

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The certificate holder is authorized the following Ratings and/or Limitations:

Class Ratings

None authorized

Limited Ratings

Rating Landing Gear Components	Manufacturer From the Capability List, as amended.	Make/Model From the Capability List, as amended.	<u>Limitations</u> none
Nondestructive Inspection, Testing, and Processing	N/A	N/A	Limited to Magnetic Particle and Liquid Penetrant in accordance with ASTM-E-1417, ASTM-E-1444, manufacturer's current technical/component data. Air Carrier's Manual or other data acceptable to the administrator.
Accessories	From the Capability List, as amended.	From the Capability List, as amended.	none
Airframe	From the Capability List, as amended.	From the Capability List, as amended.	Limited to Inspection, Overhaul, Repair and Modification of Aircraft Cargo Netting Systems in accordance with Accepted Manufactures Maintenance Manual and FAA Approved Data.
Engines	From the Capability List, as amended.	From the Capability List, as amended.	Limited to Inspection, Overhaul, Repair of Engine Insulation Blankets in accordance with Accepted Manufactures Maintenance Manual and FAA Approved Data.

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Limited Ratings - Specialized Services

Rating	Specifications	Limitations
Plating	AMS 2406 AMS 2460 AMS-QQ-C-320 BAC5709 ISO6158 LGPS 1101 LIEBHERR 20-00-10	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification, as revised and/or customer work request.
Plating	MIL-STD-1501 PSC-2110 SOPM20-42-03 AMS2438 AMS2438 AMS2460 CLASS 1 DCMP-138 AMS2403 AMS2423 AMS2424 AMS-QQ-N-290 AMS2416 SOPM 20-11-03 BAC5746 MIL-STD-868 SOPM20-42-09 AMS2404 AMS-C-26074 BAC5728 SOPM20-42-08 AMS2400 AMS2419 BAC5804 DPS9.28 LGPS1103 MIL-STD-1500 SOPM20-10-02 SOPM20-10-02 SOPM20-10-02 SOPM20-10-02 SOPM20-10-02 SOPM20-10-02 SOPM20-10-03 BAC5718 BAC5718 BAC5854 GD20-00-01 LHBSPM20-00-10 MB20-09-01 SOPM20-42-10 AMS2451/2A BAC5718 BAC5854 GD20-00-01 LHBSPM20-00-10 MB20-09-01 SOPM20-42-10 AMS-QQ-P-416 DSP9.74 PCS2101 AMS2411	

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Rating	Specifications	Limitations
	AMS2412 ASTM-B-700 BAC5715 QQ-S-365 SOPM20-42-06 AMS 2418 AMS 2429 AMS 2415/4B	
Machining	SOPM 20-10-02 AMS2453 BAC5032 BAC5436 BAC5440 BAC5492 BAC5855 MIL-STD-866 SOPM20-10-01 SOPM20-10-02 SOPM20-10-04 SOPM20-20-06 SOPM20-10-07 MIL-STD-1907	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification or manufacturer's maintenance manuals as revised and/or customer work request.
Metal Spray HVOF Plasma Spray	AMS2447 AMS2437 BMS 10-67 MIL-STD-3021 BAC 5851 MIL-STD-1687 MIL-STD-869 SOPM 20-10-05	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification, as revised and/or customer work request.
Metal Processing	AMS2430 AMS2431 BAC5730 SOPM20-10-03 SOPM20-10-10 SOPM20-11-01 AMS2485 AMS2405 AMS2481 BAC5810 MIL-DTL-16232 AMS2649 BAC5436 MIL-STD-867 SOPM10-10-31 AMS2700 AMS-QQ-P-35 ASTM-A-967 BAC5625 BAC5715 BAC5715 BAC5719 MIL-DTL-81706 SOPM20-43-03 AMS2453	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification.

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Rating	Specifications	Limitations
Rating	AMS2759	Limitations
	AMS2770	
	AMS4225	
	BAC5617	
	BAC5619	
	SOPM20-10-01	
	SOPM20-10-02	
	SOPM20-10-05	
	SOPM20-10-06 AMS2485	
	BAC5725	
	BAC5771	
	MIL-STD-865	
	MIL-STD-871	
	SOPM20-30-02	
	MIL-STD-870	
	PCS2101	
	PS100 PS5100	
	BAC5748	
	BAC5749	
	BAC5750	
	BAC5763	
	SOPM20-30-03	
	BAC5719	
	MIL-DTL-5541	
	MIL-DTL-81706 SOPM 20-43-03	
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Welding/ Brazing	AWS D17.1M AWS B2.2/B2M	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification.
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Non-destructive Insp, Non-	AMS2644 ASTM-E-1417	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification.
Destructive Testing	ASTM-E-1417 ASTM-E-165	Williamy Specification.
and	BAC5423	
Processing	SOPM20-20-02	
C	SOPM20-30-02	
	ASTM-E-1444	
	BAC5424	
	MIL-STD-1949	
	MIL-STD-6868 SOPM20-20-01	
	SOPM20-30-01	
	SOPM20-70-1	

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A004. Summary of Special Authorizations and Limitations HQ Control: 09/23/1998

HQ Revision: 010

Certificate No.: A9PR286X

a. The certificate holder, in accordance with the reference paragraphs, is authorized to:

	Reference Paragraphs
Use an acceptable electronic recordkeeping system, electronic/digital signature, and/or electronic media.	A025
Perform safety-sensitive functions requiring a drug and alcohol testing program under 14 CFR part 120	A449

b. The certificate holder is not authorized and shall not:

Use Exemptions.	Reference Paragraphs A005
Perform maintenance with ratings for repair stations located outside the United States under a Bilateral Aviation Safety Agreement with Maintenance Provisions.	A060
Perform work, including continuous operations, at additional locations other than at its primary fixed location.	A101
Perform maintenance in accordance with foreign repair station geographic authorizations.	B050
Perform work, excluding continuous operations, at additional locations other than at its primary Fixed Location.	D100
Perform line maintenance for cert. holders conducting operations under Parts 121 and 135 and for foreign carriers/persons operating non-U.Sregistered aircraft in common carriage under Part 129, apart from D100 which authorizes that work away from station.	D107

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A007. Designated Persons

HO Control: 09/08/2021

Certificate No.: A9PR286X

HO Revision:

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a. The personnel listed in the following table are designated to officially apply for and receive operations specifications for the certificate holder indicated below.

Table 1 – Designated Persons to Apply for and Receive Authorizations

Title	Name	Parts Authorized	Email Address
Director of Operations / General Manager	Bryant, John	A,D	
FAA Accountable Manager, 145 / QUALITY MANAGER	Beers, Eric W.	A,D	
EASA Accountable Manager, 145 / Quality Manager	Beers, Eric W	A,D	

b. The following personnel listed in Table 2 are designated by the certificate holder to receive Information for Operators (InFO) messages for the certificate holder as indicated below. A receipt for the information by an operator or person is not required.

Table 2 - Designated to Receive InFO Messages

Name	Email Address	Telephone No.	Type of Information to Receive

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A025 . Electronic/Digital Recordkeeping System, Electronic/Digital Signature, and Electronic Media HO Control: 04/03/2017

Certificate No.: A9PR286X

HQ Revision: 00b

The certificate holder is authorized to use an acceptable electronic/digital recordkeeping system, described and/or referenced in this paragraph (if none, enter N/A.)

N/A

The certificate holder is authorized the use of the following electronic/digital signature procedures (if none, enter "N/A").

N/A

The certificate holder is authorized to use electronic media for the repair station and quality control manuals, if acceptable (if none, enter "N/A").

RSQCM Section 3.2, Section 3.9

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A449. Drug and Alcohol Testing Program

HQ Control: 08/30/2021

HQ Revision: 00b

Certificate No.: A9PR286X

- a. The 14 CFR Part 145 repair station certificate holder has implemented a drug and alcohol testing program because the certificate holder performs safety-sensitive functions for a 14 CFR Part 121, 121/135, and/or 135 certificate holder, and/or for a 14 CFR Part 91operator conducting operations under § 91.147.
- b. The certificate holder certifies that it will comply with the requirements of 14 CFR Part 120 and 49 CFR Part 40 for its drug and alcohol testing program.
- c. Drug and alcohol testing program records are maintained and available for inspection by the FAA's Drug Abatement Compliance and Enforcement Inspectors at the location listed in Table 1 below:

Table 1

Location & Telephone of Drug and Alcohol Testing Program Records		
Telephone Number:	A1(256) 241-2750	
Address:	370 Knight Drive	
Address:		
City:	Oxford	
State:	AL	
Zip code:	36203	

d. Limitations and Provisions.

- (1) The FAA's Drug Abatement Division is responsible for oversight and enforcement of the DOT/FAA-mandated drug and alcohol testing program. Questions regarding the program requirements or regulations must be directed to the Drug Abatement Division at 202-267-8442 or drugabatement@faa.gov.
- (2) The certificate holder is responsible for updating this operations specification when any of the following changes occur:
- (a) Phone number and address where the drug and alcohol testing program records are kept.
- (b) If the certificate holder's number of safety-sensitive employees goes to 50 and above, or falls below 50 safety-sensitive employees.
- (3) The certificate holder with 50 or more employees performing a safety-sensitive function on January 1 of the calendar year must submit an annual report to the Drug Abatement Division of the FAA.
 - (4) The certificate holder with fewer than 50 employees performing a safety-sensitive function

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on January 1 of any calendar year must submit an annual report upon request of the Administrator.

- The certificate holder has 50 or more safety-sensitive employees. e.
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