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**Rescindment of Exemption and Aeronautical Information Circular, AIC 61.6**

**1. Applicability**

This General Notice is applicable to all Type Certified aircraft registered in the Republic of South Africa

**2. Regulatory Reference**

CAR 2011 as amended, CAR Part 43 particularly 43.02.15.

**3. Purpose of this General Notice**

This General Notice serves as a notification to Aircraft Maintenance Organizations (AMO's), Operators and any other affected parties regarding the ruling, issued by the Director of Civil Aviation, to rescind the exemption and the associated AIC 61.6 which relates to Approval of modification and repair process to type certified aircraft using already approved data. (Already approved data refers to STC, AD and Repair schemes not forming part of the SRM issued by a competent Civil Aviation Authority).

**4. Approval of Modification and Repair on type certified aircraft (Using already approved data)**


ICAO prescribes that the State of Registry shall be responsible for approval of all design changes (modifications) to type certified aircraft under its jurisdiction including the installations of already approved data. AIC 61.6 absolve the authority from abiding to this ICAO critical requirement. As a consequence of this rescindment, any AMO or any other person applying for a modification and Repair approval on behalf of an AMO when in possession of already approved data shall use Form CA 43-14 and mark "INSTALLATION" in case of a modification or mark "REPAIR" in case of a repair scheme under section 3 of the application form. A properly completed application form (Form CA 43-14) accompanied by the appropriate fee in terms of Part 187 must be submitted to the CAA Engineering Office at [eng@caa.co.za](mailto:eng@caa.co.za) for processing, before aircraft is modified or repaired as required the Regulations.

**5. Queries**

For any queries regarding this notification should be sent to: **Manager, Airworthiness Engineering at [eng@caa.co.za](mailto:eng@caa.co.za)**

**6. Effective date:**

This notification is effective from the date of SACAA approval as indicated below.

<b>(SACAA Approval)</b>		
<b>VALIDATED &amp; APPROVED BY:</b>		
	<b>MDUDUZI SIKHOSANA</b>	<b>30 September 2016</b>
<b>SIGNATURE OF SENIOR MANAGER: AIRWORTHINESS DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS</b>	<b>DATE</b>