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# **Subpart 01 - GENERAL DEFINITIONS**

**Accident** means an occurrence that is associated with the operation of an aircraft and takes place between the time any person boards the aircraft with the intention of flight and such time as all such persons have disembarked and the engine or any propellers or rotors come to rest, being an occurrence in which:

- (1) A person is fatally or seriously injured as a result of;
  - (i) Being in the aircraft; or
  - (ii) Direct contact with any part of the aircraft, including any part that has become detached from the aircraft; or
  - (iii) Direct exposure to jet blast;

Except when the injuries are self-inflicted or inflicted by other persons, or when the injuries are to stowaways hiding outside the areas normally available to passengers and crew; or

- (2) The aircraft sustains damage or structural failure that;
  - (i) Adversely affects the structural strength, performance, or flight characteristics of the aircraft; and
  - (ii) Would normally require major repair or replacement of the affected component;

Except engine failure or damage that is limited to the engine, its cowlings, or accessories, or damage limited to propellers, wing tips, rotors, antennas, tires, brakes, fairings, small dents, or puncture holes in the aircraft skin; or the aircraft is missing or is completely inaccessible.

'Aeroplane' means an engine-driven fixed-wing aircraft heavier than air, that is supported in flight by the dynamic reaction of the air against its wings.

'Aerodynamic coefficients' means non-dimensional coefficients for aerodynamic forces and moments.

**Aerodrome**; Means any defined area of land or water intended or

designed to be used either wholly or partly for the landing, departure, and surface movement of aircraft, includes any buildings, installations, and equipment on or adjacent to any such area used.

'Aerodrome Operator' means any legal or natural person operating or proposing to operate one or more aerodromes:

'Aerodrome' means a defined area, on land or on water, on a fixed, fixed offshore or floating structure, including any buildings, installations and equipment thereon, intended to be used either wholly or in part for the arrival, departure and surface movement of aircraft;

**Aerodrome traffic** means all traffic in the maneuvering area of an aerodrome; and all aircraft flying in the vicinity of an aerodrome.

**Aerodrome traffic circuit** means the pattern flown by aircraft operating in the vicinity of an aerodrome.

**Aerodrome traffic zone** means an airspace of defined dimensions established around an aerodrome for the protection of aerodrome traffic.

**Aeronautical Information Circular** means a notice containing information that does not qualify for the origination of a NOTAM or for inclusion in the Libyan AIP, but which relates to flight safety, air navigation, technical, administrative or legislative matters.

**Aeronautical information publication** means a publication issued by, or with the authority of, a State and containing aeronautical information of a lasting character essential to air navigation.

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**Aeronautical information service** means any of the following services that distribute aeronautical information essential for the safety, regularity and efficiency of air navigation.

**Airworthiness certificate** means airworthiness certificate issued by the LYCAA under LYCAR.Part-21.

**Airworthiness directive** means a mandatory airworthiness requirement that specifies modifications, inspections, conditions, or limitations to be applied to an aircraft or aeronautical product to ensure continued safe operating conditions.

**Airworthy condition** means the condition of an aircraft, including its components, fuel, and other materials and substances essential to the manufacture and operation of the aircraft that complies with all the requirements prescribed by the Civil Aviation Regulations relating to design, manufacture, maintenance, modification, repair, and safety.

'Aircraft' means any machine that can derive support in the atmosphere from the reactions of the air other than reactions of the air against the earth's surface;

'Airborne' means entirely supported by aerodynamic forces.

'Aircraft-Supplied Data' means all data which is supplied by or via aircraft systems and is used by the Engine/Propeller Control System.

'Aircraft-Supplied Electrical Power' means any electrical power which is supplied by or via aircraft systems and is used by the Engine/Propeller Control System.

'Airframe' means the fuselage, booms, nacelles, cowlings, fairings, aerofoil surfaces (including rotors but excluding propellers and rotating aerofoils of engines), and landing gear of an aircraft and their accessories and controls.

'Alternate Mode' (Engine related definition) means any Control Mode, including Back-up Modes that are not the Primary Mode used for controlling the Engine.

'**Apron**' means a defined area of an aerodrome intended to accommodate aircraft for purposes of loading or unloading passengers, baggage, mail or cargo, fueling, parking or maintenance;

'Apron Management Service (AMS)' means a service provided to regulate the activities and the movement of aircraft and vehicles on an apron;

**Approved**, means approved accepted by a Contracting State as suitable for a particular purpose.

'Atmosphere, International Standard' means the atmosphere defined in ICAO Document 7488/2.

'ATM/ANS' means air traffic management and air navigation services and covers all of the following: the air traffic management functions and services; the air navigation services, including the network management functions and services, as well as services which augment signals emitted by satellites of core constellations of GNSS for the purpose of air navigation; flight procedures design; and services consisting in the origination and processing of data and the formatting and delivering of data to general air traffic for the purpose of air navigation;

**'ATM/ANS constituent'** means tangible objects such as hardware and intangible objects such as software upon which the interoperability of the EATMN depends;

'ATM/ANS system' means the aggregation of airborne and ground-based constituents, as well as space-based equipment, that provides support for air navigation services for all phases of flight;

'ATM Master Plan' means the plan endorsed by Libyan Civil Aviation Authority (LYCAA);

'Autorotation' means a rotorcraft flight condition in which the lifting rotor is driven entirely by action of the air when the rotorcraft is in motion.

'Auxiliary Power Unit (APU)' means any gas turbine-powered unit delivering rotating shaft power, compressor air, or both which is not intended for direct propulsion of an aircraft.

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'Auxiliary rotor' means a rotor that principally serves to counteract the effect of the main rotor torque on a rotorcraft and/or to manoeuvre the rotorcraft about one or more of its three principal axes.

'Back-up Mode' (Engine related definition) means the Control Mode of the back-up system.

**'Back-up System'** means a part of the Engine/Propeller Control System where the operating characteristics or capabilities of the Engine/Propeller control are sufficiently different from the Primary System that the operating characteristics or capabilities of the aircraft, crew workload, or what constitutes appropriate crew procedures may be significantly impacted or changed.

'Brake Horsepower' means the power delivered at the main output shaft of an aircraft engine.

**'Calibrated airspeed'** means indicated airspeed of an aircraft, corrected for position and instrument error. Calibrated airspeed is equal to true airspeed in RNAV at sea level.

'Category' as used with respect to;

Category A, with respect to rotorcraft, means a multi-engined rotorcraft designed with engine and system isolation features specified in CS-27 / CS-29 and capable of operations using take-off and landing data scheduled under a critical engine failure concept which assures adequate designated surface area and adequate performance capability for continued safe flight or safe rejected take-off in the event of engine failure.

**Category B**, with respect to rotorcraft, means a single-engine or multi-engine rotorcraft which does not meet Category A standards. Category B rotorcraft have no guaranteed capability to continue safe flight in the event of an engine failure, and unscheduled landing is assumed.

**'Civil Aircraft'** means any aircraft on the civil register of a State, other than those which that State treats as being in the service of the State, either permanently or temporarily.

'**Certificate**' means any certificate, approval, licence, authorisation, or other document issued as the result of a certification attesting compliance with the applicable requirements;

'Certification' means any form of recognition, based on an appropriate assessment, that a legal or natural person, product, part, non-installed equipment, equipment to control unmanned aircraft remotely, aerodrome, safety-related aerodrome equipment, ATM/ANS system, ATM/ANS constituent or flight simulation training device complies with the applicable requirements and of the delegated and implementing acts adopted on the basis thereof, through the issuance of a certificate attesting such compliance;

'Aircraft Operator' means any legal or natural person operating or proposing to operate one or more aircraft:

'Chicago Convention' shall mean the Convention on International Civil Aviation and its Annexes, signed in Chicago on 7 December 1944;

Charge Cooling' (piston engines) means the percentage degree of charge cooling.

'Certifying Staff' means personnel responsible for the release of an aircraft or a component after maintenance:

**Clearway** means a defined rectangular area on the ground or water, at the departure end of the runway; under the control of the aerodrome operator; or with the agreement of the authority controlling the clearway; selected or prepared as a suitable area over which an aeroplane may.

'Commercial Operation' shall mean any operation of an aircraft, in return for remuneration or other valuable consideration, which is available to the public or, when not made available to the public, which is performed under a contract between an operator and a customer, where the latter has no control over the operator;

'Complex Motor-Powered Aircraft' shall mean:

- (i) an aeroplane:
  - with a maximum certificated take-off mass exceeding 5 700 kg, or

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- certificated for a maximum passenger seating configuration of more than nineteen, or
- certificated for operation with a minimum crew of at least two pilots, or
- equipped with (a) turbojet engine(s) or more than one turboprop engine, or
- (ii) a helicopter certificated:
  - for a maximum take-off mass exceeding 3175 kg, or
  - for a maximum passenger seating configuration of more than nine, or
  - for operation with a minimum crew of at least two pilots, or
- (iii) a tilt rotor aircraft;

'Component' means any engine, propeller, part or appliance;

'Continuing Oversight' shall mean the tasks to be conducted to verify that the conditions under which a certificate has been granted continue to be fulfilled at any time during its period of validity, as well as the taking of any safeguard measure;

'Continuing Airworthiness' means all of the processes ensuring that, at any time in its operating life, the aircraft complies with the airworthiness requirements in force and is in a condition for safe operation;

**'Clearway'** means, for turbine engine powered aeroplanes certificated after August 29, 1959, an area beyond the runway, not less than 152 m (500 ft) wide, centrally located about the extended centre-line of the runway, and under the control of the airport authorities. The clearway is expressed in terms of a clearway plane, extending from the end of the runway with an upward slope not exceeding 1·25%, above which no object or terrain protrudes. However, threshold lights may protrude above the plane if their height above the end of the runway is 0·66 m (26 ins) or less and if they are located to each side of the runway.

**'Climates, Standard'** This sub-paragraph defines three standard climates – Temperate, Tropical and Arctic – by stating the envelope conditions applicable to each. The conditions thus represented are acceptable as giving suitable design criteria for aeroplanes intended for operation in such regions. They are drawn up on the basis of conditions unlikely to be exceeded more often than on one day per year except that they do not cover the extremes of temperature occasionally reached in tropical deserts or in Siberia in winter.

'Commercial Air Transport' means an aircraft operation to transport passengers, cargo or mail for remuneration or other valuable consideration;

**'Committal point**' means the point in the approach at which the pilot flying decides that, in the event of an engine failure being recognised, the safest option is to continue to the elevated final approach and take-off area (elevated FATO).

'Continuous OEI Power and/or Thrust' means the power and/or thrust identified in the performance data for use after take-off when a power-unit has failed or been shut down, during periods of unrestricted duration.

'Continuous OEI Power and/or Thrust Rating' means the minimum test bed acceptance power and/or thrust, as stated in the engine type certificate data sheet, when running at the specified conditions and within the appropriate acceptance limitations.

**'Control Mode'** (Engine related definition) means each defined operational state of the Engine Control System where satisfactory Engine control can be exercised by the crew.

'Covered Fault' means a Fault which is detected and accommodated.

'Critical Engine' means the engine whose failure would most adversely affect the performance or handling qualities of an aircraft.

'Declaration' means any written statement under the sole responsibility of a legal or natural person subject to Libyan Civil Aviation Regulations (LYCARs) and which confirms that the applicable requirements of the LYCARs and of the delegated and implementing acts adopted on the basis

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thereof relating to a legal or natural person, product, part, non-installed equipment, equipment to control unmanned aircraft remotely, safety-related aerodrome equipment, ATM/ANS system, ATM/ANS constituent or flight simulation training device are complied with;

**'Detent'** means a mechanical arrangement which indicates, by feel, a given position of an operating control. Once the operating control is placed in this position the detent will hold the lever there and an additional-to-normal force will be required to move the operating control away from the position.

**'Electronic Engine Control System'** (EECS) means an Engine Control System in which the primary functions are provided using electronics. It includes all the components (e.g. electrical, electronic, hydromechanical and pneumatic) necessary for the control of the Engine and may incorporate other control functions where desired.

'Emergency locator transmitter' is a generic term describing equipment that broadcasts distinctive signals on designated frequencies and, depending on application, may be activated by impact or may be manually activated.

**'Engine'** means an engine used or intended to be used for aircraft propulsion. It consists of at least those components and equipment necessary for the functioning and control, but excludes the propeller.

**'Engine Control System'** means any system or device which is part of the Engine Type design, which controls, limits or monitors Engine operation and is necessary for continued airworthiness of the Engine.

**'ETOPS (Extended Range Operations for Two-Engine Aeroplanes)'** means those operations of two-engine aeroplanes that are approved by the Director General of Civil Aviation Authority (ETOPS approval), to operate beyond the threshold distance determined in accordance with operational requirements from an "Adequate Aerodrome".

**'Equivalent airspeed'** means the calibrated airspeed of an aircraft corrected for adiabatic compressible flow for the particular altitude. Equivalent airspeed is equal to calibrated airspeed in standard atmosphere at sea level.

'Exhaust Gas Temperature' means the average temperature of the exhaust gas stream.

'External load' means a load that is carried, towed or extends, outside the aircraft fuselage.

**'External load attaching means'** means the structural components used to attach an external load to an aircraft, including external-load containers, the backup structure at the attachment points, and any quick-release device used to jettison the external load.

**Exposure time**' means the actual period during which the performance of the helicopter with the critical engine inoperative in still air does not guarantee a safe forced landing or the safe continuation of the flight.

'Fail-operational flight control system' means a flight control system with which, in the event of a failure below alert height, the approach, flare and landing can be completed automatically. In the event of a failure, the automatic landing system will operate as a fail-passive system.

'Fail-operational hybrid landing system' means a system that consists of a primary fail-passive automatic landing system and a secondary independent guidance system enabling the pilot to complete a landing manually after failure of the primary system.

**'Fail-passive flight control system'**: a flight control system is fail-passive if, in the event of a failure, there is no significant out-of-trim condition or deviation of flight path or attitude but the landing is not completed automatically. For a fail-passive automatic flight control system the pilot assumes control of the aeroplane after a failure.

**'Fault (or) Failure'** means an occurrence which affects the operation of a component, part, or element such that it can no longer function as intended.

'Fault (or) Failure Accommodation' means the capability to mitigate, either wholly or in part, the effects of a Fault or Failure.

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**'Flight control system'** in the context of low visibility operations means a system that includes an automatic landing system and/or a hybrid landing system.

'Flight Information Service' means a service provided for the purpose of giving advice and information useful for the safe and efficient conduct of flights;

'Flight Simulation Training Device' means any type of device in which flight conditions are simulated on the ground, including flight simulators, flight training devices, flight and navigation procedures trainers and basic instrument training devices;

'Final take-off speed' means the speed of the aeroplane that exists at the end of the take- off path in the en-route configuration with one engine inoperative.

'Fireproof.' With respect to materials, components and equipment, means the capability to withstand the application of heat by a flame, for a period of 15 minutes without any failure that would create a hazard to the aircraft.

**'Fire-resistant.'** With respect to materials, components and equipment, means the capability' 5fo withstand the application of heat by a flame, as defined for 'Fireproof', for a period to. minutes without any failure that would create a hazard to the aircraft

'Fixed Pitch Propeller' means a propeller, the pitch of which cannot be changed, except by' processes constituting a workshop operation

**'Flame resistant'** means not susceptible to combustion to the point of propagating a flame, beyond safe limits, after the ignition source is removed.

'Flammable', with respect to a fluid or gas, means susceptible to igniting readily or exploding.

'Flap extended speed' means the highest speed permissible with wing-flaps in a prescribed extended position.

'Flash resistant' means not susceptible to burning violently when ignited.

**'Full-up Configuration'** (Engine related definition) means an EECS that has no known Faults or Failures present.

'General Air Traffic' means all movements of civil aircraft and state aircraft carried out in conformity with the procedures of the International Civil Aviation Organization ('ICAO');

'Ground-Handling Service' means any service provided at aerodromes comprising safety -related activities in the areas of ground supervision, flight dispatch and load control, passenger handling, baggage handling, freight and mail handling, apron handling of aircraft, aircraft services, fuel and oil handling, and loading of catering; including the case where aircraft operators provide those ground handling services to themselves (self-handling);

'**Gyroplane**' means a rotorcraft the rotors of which are not engine driven except for initial starting, but are made to rotate by action of the air when the rotorcraft is moving, and the means of propulsion of which, consisting usually of conventional propellers, is independent of the rotor system.

**'HEMS dispatch centre'** means a place where, if established, the coordination or control of the helicopter emergency medical service (HEMS) flight takes place. It may be located in a HEMS operating base.

**'Hybrid head-up display landing system (hybrid HUDLS)'** means a system that consists of a primary fail-passive automatic landing system and a secondary independent HUD/HUDLS enabling the pilot to complete a landing manually after failure of the primary system.

'Harness' means the equipment, consisting of two shoulder straps and a lap belt, which is provided to restrain a member of the flight crew against inertia loads occurring in emergency conditions.

'Helicopter' means a rotorcraft that, for its horizontal motion, depends principally on its engine-driven rotors.

'Heliport' means an area of land, water, or structure used or intended to be used for the landing and takeoff of helicopters.

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**Human Factors principles.** Principles which apply to the term is not defined aeronautical design, certification, training, operations and maintenance and which seek safe interface between the human and other system components by proper consideration to human performance.

**Human Performance.** Human capabilities and limitations the term is not defined. Which have an impact on the safety and efficiency of aeronautical operations.

'IFR conditions' means weather conditions below the minimum for flight under Visual Flight Rules

'Indicated airspeed' means the speed of an aircraft as shown on its pitot static airspeed' vindicator calibrated to reflect standard atmosphere adiabatic compressible flow at sea lei. uncorrected for airspeed system errors.

'Instrument' means a device using an internal mechanism to show visually or aurally the' devices fortitude, altitude, or operation of an aircraft or aircraft part. It includes electronica automatically controlling an aircraft in flight.

'International Standards and Recommended Practices' means the international standards and recommended practices adopted by ICAO in accordance with Article 37 of the Chicago Convention;

"Large aeroplane" means an aeroplane that has the Certification Specifications for large aeroplanes "CS-25" or equivalent in its certification basis

"Large helicopter" means a helicopter that has the Certification Specifications for large rotorcraft "CS-29" or equivalent in its certification basis

**'Landing distance available (LDAH)'** means the length of the final approach and take-off area plus any additional area declared available by the State of the aerodrome and suitable for helicopters to complete the landing manoeuvre from a defined height.

**'Landing distance required (LDRH)'**, in the case of helicopters, means the horizontal distance required to land and come to a full stop from a point 15 m (50 ft) above the landing surface.

**'Landing gear extended speed**' means the maximum speed at which an aircraft can be safely flown with the landing gear extended

**'Landing gear operating speed'** means the maximum speed at which the landing gear can be safely extended or retracted

'Large Aircraft' means an aircraft, classified as an aeroplane with a maximum take-off mass of more than 5700 kg, or a multi-engined helicopter;

**'LLA1 Aircraft'** means the following manned Libyan Light Aircraft:

- (i) an aeroplane with a maximum take-off mass (MTOM) of 1200 kg or less that is not classified as complex motor-powered aircraft;
- (ii) a sailplane or powered sailplane of 1200 kg MTOM or less;
- (iii) a balloon with a maximum design lifting gas or hot air volume of not more than 3400 m3 for hot air balloons, 1050 m3 for gas balloons, 300 m3 for tethered gas balloons;
- (iv) an airship designed for not more than four occupants and a maximum design lifting gas or hot air volume of not more than 3400 m3 for hot air airships and 1000 m3 for gas airships;

'LSA Aircraft' means a light sport aeroplane which has all of the following characteristics:

- (i) a Maximum Take-off Mass (MTOM) of not more than 600 kg;
- (ii) a maximum stalling speed in the landing configuration (VS0) of not more than 45 knots Calibrated Airspeed (CAS) at the aircraft's maximum certificated take-off mass and most critical centre of gravity;
- (iii) a maximum seating capacity of no more than two persons, including the pilot;
- (iv) a single, non-turbine engine fitted with a propeller;
- (v) a non-pressurised cabin;

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**'Load factor'** means the ratio of a specified load to the total weight of the aircraft. The' specified load is expressed in terms of any of the following: aerodynamic forces, inertias. forces or ground or water reactions.

"Low-occupancy aeroplane" means an aeroplane that has a maximum operational passenger seating configuration of:

- (i) up to and including 19 seats, or;
- (ii) up to and including one third of the maximum passenger seating capacity of the type-certified aeroplane, as indicated in the aeroplane type-certificate data sheet (TCDS), provided that both of the following conditions are met:
  - (a) the total number of passenger seats approved for occupancy during taxiing, take-off or landing does not exceed 100 per deck;
  - (b) the maximum operational passenger seating configuration during taxiing, take-off or landing in any individual zone between pairs of emergency exits (or any dead-end zone) does not exceed one third of the sum of the passenger seat allowances for the emergency exit pairs bounding that zone (using the passenger seat allowance for each emergency exit pairs as defined by the applicable certification basis of the aeroplane). For the purpose of determining compliance with this zonal limitation, in the case of an aeroplane that has deactivated emergency exits, it shall be assumed that all emergency exits are functional.'

**'Libyan Civil Aviation Authority – LYCAA'** means the entity designated by the State of Libya and having the necessary powers and allocated responsibilities for performing the tasks related to certification, oversight and enforcement, and with the delegated and implementing acts adopted on the basis thereof, in accordance with Article (5) of Civil Aviation Law No.6 (2005);

'Maintenance' means any one or combination of the following activities: overhaul, repair, inspection, replacement, modification or defect rectification of an aircraft or component, with the exception of pre-flight inspection;

'Mach number' means the ratio of true air speed to the speed of sound.

'Main rotor(s)' means the rotor or rotors that supply the principal lift to a rotorcraft.

**'Maximum structural landing mass'** means the maximum permissible total aeroplane mass upon landing under normal circumstances.

'Maximum zero fuel mass' means the maximum permissible mass of an aeroplane with no usable fuel. The mass of the fuel contained in particular tanks should be included in the zero fuel mass when it is explicitly mentioned in the aircraft flight manual.

'Maximum Continuous Power and/or Thrust' means the power and/or thrust identified in the performance data for use during periods of unrestricted duration.

'Maximum Continuous Power and/or Thrust Rating' means the minimum test bed acceptance power and/or thrust, as stated in the engine type certificate data sheet, of series and newly overhauled engines when running at the specified conditions and within the appropriate acceptance limitations.

'Maximum Engine Over-speed' means the maximum rotational speed of a mechanically independent main rotating system of an engine, inadvertent occurrence of which for periods of up to 20 seconds, has been agreed not to require rejection of the engine from service or maintenance action (other than to correct the cause).

**'Maximum Engine Over-torque'** means (applicable only to turbo-propeller and turbo-shaft engines incorporating free power-turbines) the maximum torque of the free power-turbine, inadvertent occurrence of which for periods of up to 20 seconds, has been agreed not to require rejection of the engine from service or maintenance action (other than to correct the cause).

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'Maximum Exhaust Gas Over-temperature' means (turbine engines) the maximum engine exhaust gas temperature, inadvertent use of which for periods of up to 20 seconds, has been agreed not to require rejection of the engine from service or maintenance action (other than to correct the cause). This is not to be confused with maximum temperatures established for use during starting operations.

**'Maximum Power-turbine Over-speed'** means (applicable only to free power-turbine engines for helicopters) the maximum rotational speed of the free power-turbine, inadvertent occurrence of which for periods of up to 20 seconds, has been agreed not to require rejection of the engine from service or maintenance action (other than to correct the cause).

'Maximum Power-turbine Speed for Autorotation' (applicable only to free power-turbine engines for helicopters) means the maximum rotational speed of the power-turbine permitted during autorotation for periods of unrestricted duration.

**'Maximum Governed Rotational Speed'** (variable pitch (governing) propellers) means the maximum rotational speed as determined by the setting of the propeller governor or control mechanism.

**'Maximum Permissible Rotational Speed'** (fixed, adjustable or variable (non-governing) pitch propellers) means the maximum propeller rotational speed permitted in normal or likely emergency operation.

**'Maximum Propeller Overspeed'** (20 second) means the maximum propeller rotational speed, inadvertent occurrence of which for periods of up to 20 seconds, has been agreed not to require rejection of the propeller from service or maintenance action (other than to correct the cause).

**'Minimum Governed Rotational Speed'** (variable pitch (governing) propellers) means the minimum rotational speed as determined by the setting of the propeller governor or control mechanism.

**'Minimum Take-off Crankshaft Rotational Speed'** (piston engines) means the minimum crankshaft rotational speed permissible for use with the maximum take-off manifold pressure.

'Normal operating differential pressure' means the pressure differential between the cabin pressure and the outside ambient pressure, including the tolerances of the normal pressure regulating system.

'Non-installed Equipment' means any instrument, equipment, mechanism, apparatus, appurtenance, software or accessory carried on board of an aircraft by the aircraft operator, which is not a part, and which is used or intended to be used in operating or controlling an aircraft, supports the occupants' survivability, or which could impact the safe operation of the aircraft;

'Organisation' means a natural person, a legal person or part of a legal person. Such an organisation may be established at more than one location whether or not within the territory of the Member States:

'**Operator**' shall mean any legal or natural person, operating or proposing to operate one or more aircraft;

'**Overpack**', for the purpose of transporting dangerous goods, means an enclosure used by a single shipper to contain one or more packages and to form one handling unit for convenience of handling and stowage.

'Part' means any element of a product, as defined by that product's type design;

'Parts and Appliances' shall mean any instrument, equipment, mechanism, part, apparatus, appurtenance or accessory, including communications equipment, that is used or intended to be used in operating or controlling an aircraft in flight and is installed in or attached to the aircraft. It shall include parts of an airframe, engine or propeller;

'Product' shall mean an aircraft, engine or propeller;

'Pitch Setting' means the propeller blade setting determined by the blade angle, measured in a manner and at a radius declared by the manufacturer and specified in the appropriate Manual.

**'Powered sailplane'** means an aircraft, equipped with one or more engines having, with engine(s) inoperative, the characteristics of a sailplane.

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**'Primary Mode'** (Engine related definition) means the mode that is intended to be used for controlling the Engine under normal operation. This is often referred to as the 'normal mode'.

**'Primary System'** means the part of the Engine/Propeller Control System used for controlling the Engine/Propeller under normal operation.

**'Programmable Logic Device'** (PLD) means an electronic component that is altered to perform an installation specific function. PLDs include, but are not limited to, Programmable Array Logic components (PAL), General Array Logic components (GAL), Field Programmable Gate Array (FPGA) components, and Erasable Programmable Logic Devices (EPLD).

'Propeller' means a complete propeller including all parts attached to and rotating with the hub and blades, and any equipment defined in the Propeller type design required for the control and operation of the propeller.

**'Protective breathing equipment'** means breathing equipment for protection against smoke, fumes and other harmful gases.

'Pre-Flight Inspection' means the inspection carried out before flight to ensure that the aircraft is fit for the intended flight;

'Principal Place of Business' means the head office or the registered office of the undertaking within which the principal financial functions and operational control of the activities.

'Package', for the purpose of transporting dangerous goods, means the complete product of the packing operation consisting of the packaging and its contents prepared for transport.

'Packaging', for the purpose of transporting dangerous goods, means receptacles and any other components or materials necessary for the receptacle to perform its containment function.

'Qualified Entity' means an accredited legal or natural person which may be charged with certain certification or oversight tasks under the LYCARs and under the control and the responsibility of the Director General of Libyan Civil Aviation Authority;

'Rating' shall mean a statement entered on a licence, setting forth privileges, special conditions or limitations pertaining thereto.

**'Oversight'** means the verification, by the LYCAA inspectors, on a continuous basis that the requirements of the LYCARs and of the delegated and implementing acts adopted on the basis thereof, on the basis of which a certificate has been issued or in respect of which a declaration has been made, continue to be complied with;

'Rated 30-Second OEI Power' means, with respect to rotorcraft turbine engines, the approved one-engine-inoperative brake horsepower developed under static conditions at specified altitudes and temperatures within the operating limitations established for the engine, for continuation of the one-flight operation after the failure or shutdown of one engine in multi-engine rotorcraft, for up to three periods of use no longer than 30 seconds each in any one flight, and followed by mandatory inspection and prescribed maintenance action.

**'Rated 2-Minute OEI Power'** means, with respect to rotorcraft turbine engines, the approved one-engine-inoperative brake horsepower developed under static conditions at specified altitudes and temperatures within the operating limitations established for the engine, for continuation of the one-flight operation after the failure or shutdown of one engine in multi-engine rotorcraft, for up to three periods of use no longer than 2 minutes each in any one flight, and followed by mandatory inspection and prescribed maintenance action.

'Reference landing speed' means the speed of the aeroplane, in a specified landing configuration, at the point where it descends through the landing screen height in the determination of the landing distance for manual landings.

'Reversible Pitch Propeller' means a Propeller in which blade angle can be changed by the flight crew to produce reverse thrust.

'Rotational Direction of Equipment' means the direction of rotation as observed when looking at the drive face of the equipment (usually described as 'clockwise' or 'anti- clockwise').

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'Rotorcraft' means a heavier-than-air aircraft that depends principally for its support in flight on the lift generated by one or more rotors.

'Rotorcraft-load combination' means the combination of a rotorcraft and an external-load, including the external load attaching means. Rotorcraft-load combinations are designated as Class A, Class B, Class C and Class D as follows:

- Class A rotorcraft-load combination means one in which the external load cannot move freely, cannot be jettisoned, and does not extend below the landing gear.
- Class B rotorcraft-load combination means one in which the external load is jettisonable and is lifted free of land or water during the rotorcraft operation.
- Class C rotorcraft-load combination means one in which the external load is jettisonable and remains in contact with land or water during the rotorcraft operation.
- Class D rotorcraft-load combination means one in which the external load is other than a
   Class A, B or C and has been specifically approved for that operation.

**'Safety Catch'** means a mechanism which locks an operating control in a given position. It engages automatically whenever the operating control is put into that position but has to be manually taken out of engagement in order to move the operating control away from that position.

**'Sailplane'** means a heavier-than-air aircraft that is supported in flight by the dynamic reaction of the air against its fixed lifting surfaces, the free flight of which does not depend on an engine.

**'Stop-way'** means an area beyond the take-off runway, no less wide than the runway and centred upon the extended centre-line of the runway, able to support the aeroplane during an abortive take-off, without causing structural damage to the aeroplane, and designated by the airport authorities for use in decelerating the aeroplane during an abortive take-off.

**'Supplemental oxygen'** means the additional oxygen required to protect each occupant against the adverse effects of excessive cabin altitude and to maintain acceptable physiological conditions.

'Take-off Power and/or Thrust' means the output shaft power and/or thrust identified in the performance data for use during take-off, discontinued approach and baulked landing:

- for piston engines, it is limited in use to a continuous period of not more than 5 minutes;
- for turbine engines installed in aeroplanes and helicopters, limited in use to a continuous period of not more than 5 minutes; and
- for turbine engines installed in aeroplanes only (when specifically requested), limited in use to a continuous period of not more than 10 minutes in the event of a power-unit having failed or been shut down.

'Take-off Power and/or Thrust Rating' means the minimum test bed acceptance power and/or thrust as stated in the engine type certificate data sheet, of series and newly overhauled engines when running at the specified conditions and within the appropriate acceptance limitations.

'Take-off safety speed' means a referenced airspeed obtained after lift-off at which the required one-engine-inoperative climb performance can be achieved.

'True airspeed' means the airspeed of an aircraft relative to undisturbed air.

'Touch down and lift-off area (TLOF)' means a load-bearing area on which a helicopter may touch down or lift off.

**'Uncovered Fault'** means a Fault or Failure for which either no detection mechanism exists or, if detected, no accommodation exists.

**Variable Pitch Propeller**' means a Propeller, the Pitch Setting of which changes or can be', changed: when the Propeller is rotating. This includes

- A non-governing Propeller, the Pitch Setting of which is directly under the control of the flight crew (controllable pitch propeller).
- A governing Propeller, the Pitch Setting of which is controlled by a governor or other

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automatic means which may be either integral with the Propeller or a separately mounted equipment and which may or may not be controlled by the flight crew (constant speed Propeller).

 A governing Propeller, the Pitch Setting of which may be controlled by a combination of the methods of a. and b.

'2½-Minute OEI Power and/or Thrust' means the power and/or thrust identified in the performance data for use when a power-unit has failed or been shut down during take-off, baulked landing or prior to a discontinued approach and limited in use for a continuous period of not more than 2½ minutes. The 2½ minute period for use of 2½-Minute OEI Power and/or Thrust is additional to the 5 minute or 10-minute period at take-off power and/or thrust (see above.) and may be added to the take-off limitation at any point in time.

'2½-Minute OEI Power and/or Thrust Rating' means the minimum test bed acceptance power and/or thrust, as stated in the engine type certificate data sheet, of series and newly overhauled engines when running at the specified conditions and within the appropriate acceptance limitations.

**'30-Minute OEI Power'** (applicable to multi-engined helicopters only) means the power identified in the performance data for use after take-off when an engine has failed or been shut down, and limited in scheduled use for a total period of not more than 30 minutes in any one flight.

**'30-Minute OEI Power Rating'** (applicable to multi-engined helicopters only) means the minimum test bed acceptance power, as stated in the engine type certificate data sheet, of series and overhauled engines when running at the specified conditions and within the appropriate acceptance limitations.

'Rotation point (RP)' means the point at which a cyclic input is made to initiate a nose-down attitude change during the take-off flight path. It is the last point in the take-off path from which, in the event of an engine failure being recognised, a forced landing on the aerodrome can be achieved.

'Safety-Related Aerodrome Equipment' means any instrument, equipment, mechanism, apparatus, appurtenance, software or accessory that is used or intended to be used to contribute to the safe operation of aircraft at an aerodrome;

'Safety Performance' means an organisation's safety achievement, as defined by its safety performance targets and safety performance indicators;

'Safety Performance Indicator' means a parameter used for monitoring and assessing safety performance;

'Safety Performance Target' means a planned or intended objective for complying with safety performance indicators over a given period of time;

'Unmanned Aircraft' means any aircraft operating or designed to operate autonomously or to be piloted remotely without a pilot on board;

'Remote Pilot' means a natural person responsible for safely conducting the flight of an unmanned aircraft by operating its flight controls, either manually or, when the unmanned aircraft flies automatically, by monitoring its course and remaining able to intervene and change the course at any time;

**Equipment to Control Unmanned Aircraft Remotely'** means any instrument, equipment, mechanism, apparatus, appurtenance, software or accessory that is necessary for the safe operation of an unmanned aircraft, which is not a part, and which is not carried on board of that unmanned aircraft;

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# **Subpart 02 - ABBREVIATIONS**

A Aeroplane

a/c Aircraft

**AAC** Aeronautical Administrative Communications

**AAL** Above Aerodrome Level

AC Advisory Circular
AC Alternating Current

ACAS Airborne Collision Avoidance System

**ADF** Automatic Direction Finder

ADG Air Driven Generator

ADS Automatic Dependent Surveillance

ADS-B Automatic Dependent Surveillance - Broadcast
ADS-C Automatic Dependent Surveillance - Contract

**AEO** All-Engines-Operative

**AFFF** Aqueous Film Forming Foams

AFM Aircraft Flight Manual
AFN Aircraft Flight Notification

AFN ATS Facilities Notification
AGL Above Ground Level

AHRS Attitude Heading Reference System

AIS Aeronautical Information Service

ALARP As Low As Reasonably Practicable

ALSF Approach Lighting System with sequenced Flashing lights

**AMC** Acceptable Means of Compliance

**AMEL** Aircraft Maintenance Engineer Licence

**AMSL** Above Mean Sea Level

ANP Actual Navigation Performance
AOC Aeronautical Operational Control

AOC Air Operator Certificate
APU Auxiliary Power Unit

APV Approach Procedure with Vertical guidance

ARA Airborne Radar Approach

ARA Authority Requirements for Aircrew

ARO Authority Requirements for Air Operations

ARP Aerospace Recommended Practices

ASC equivalent airspeed
ASC Air Safety Committee

**ASDA** Accelerate-Stop Distance Available

ASE Altimeter System Error
ATA Air Transport Association

ATC Air Traffic Control

ATIS Automatic Terminal Information Service

**ATN** Air Traffic Navigation

ATPL Airline Transport Pilot Licence

**ATQP** Alternative Training and Qualification Programme

ATS Air Traffic Services

ATSC Air Traffic Service Communication

**AVGAS** Aviation Gasoline

**AVTAG** Aviation Turbine Gasoline (wide-cut fuel)

**AWO** All Weather Operations

BALS Basic Approach Lighting System
BITD Basic Instrument Training Device

**BTPS** means body temperature, pressure, saturated, i.e.37°C, ambient pressure and saturated with water vapour at 47 mmHg partial pressure.

BTPD means body temperature, pressure, dry, i.e. 37°C, ambient pressure and no water vapour.

CAS means calibrated airspeed.

CAP Controller Access ParametersCAT Commercial Air Transport

CATI/II/III Category I / II / III

**CBT** Computer-Based Training

CC Cabin Crew

**CDFA** Continuous Descent Final Approach

CDL Configuration Deviation ListCFIT Controlled Flight Into Terrain

**CG** Centre of Gravity

**CM** Context Management

**CMV** Converted Meteorological Visibility

C of A Certificate of Airworthiness

C of P Code of Practice

C of R Certificate of Registration

**CP** Committal Point

CPA Closest Point of Approach

**CPDLC** Controller Pilot Data Link Communication

**CPL** Commercial Pilot Licence

**C-PED** Controlled Portable Electronic Device

CRE Class Rating Examiner
CRI Class Rating Instructor

CRM Crew Resource Management
CS Certification Specifications
CVR Cockpit Voice Recorder

**DA** Decision Altitude

**DA/H** Decision Altitude/Height

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**DAP** Downlinked Aircraft Parameters

**D-ATIS** Digital Automatic Terminal Information Service

**DC** Direct Current

**DCL** Departure Clearance

**D-FIS** Data Link Flight Information Service

DG Dangerous GoodsDH Decision HeightDI Daily Inspection

**DIFF** Deck Integrated Fire Fighting system

**DLR** Data Link Recorder

**DME** Distance Measuring Equipment

**D-METAR** Data Link-Meteorological Aerodrome Report

**D-OTIS** Data Link-Operational Terminal Information Service

DPATO Defined Point After Take-OffDPBL Defined Point Before Landing

DR Decision RangeDSTRK Desired Track

**EFB** Electronic Flight Bag

**EFIS** Electronic Flight Instrument System

**EGT** Exhaust Gas Temperature

**ELT** Emergency Locator Transmitter

**ELT(AD)** Emergency Locator Transmitter (Automatically Deployable)

ELT(AF) Emergency Locator Transmitter (Automatic Fixed)

ELT(AP) Emergency Locator Transmitter (Automatic Portable)

**ELT(S)** Survival Emergency Locator Transmitter

**EPE** Estimated Position of Error **EPR** Engine Pressure Ratio

EPU Estimated Position of Uncertainty
ERA En-Route Alternate (Aerodrome)

**ERP** Emergency Response Plan

**ETOPS** Extended Range Operations with two-engined aeroplanes

**EVS** Enhanced Vision System

**FAF** Final Approach Fix

**FALS** Full Approach Lighting System **FANS** Future Air Navigation Systems

**FAP** Final Approach Point

**FATO** Final Approach and Take-Off

FC Flight Crew

FCL Flight Crew Licensing

FCOM Flight Crew Operating Manual

**FDM** Flight Data Monitoring

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FDO Flying Display Operation
FDR Flight Data Recorder
FFS Full Flight Simulator

FGS Flight Control/Guidance System

FI Flight Instructor

**FLIPCY** Flight Plan Consistency

**FLTA** Forward-Looking Terrain Avoidance

**FMECA** Failure Mode, Effects and Criticality Analysis

FMS Flight Management System

**FNPT** Flight And Navigation Procedures Trainer

**FOD** Foreign Object Damage

**FPM** feet per minute

**FSTD** flight simulation training device

Ft Feet

FTD Flight Training Device
FTE Full Time Equivalent

FTL Flight and Duty Time Limitations

**G** Gram

GAGAN GPS Aided Geo Augmented NavigationGBAS Ground-Based Augmentation SystemGCAS Ground Collision Avoidance System

**GEN** general

GIDS Ground Ice Detection System

GLS GBAS Landing System

**GM** Guidance Material

**GMP** General Medical Practitioner

**GNSS** Global Navigation Satellite System

**GPS** Global Positioning System

**GPWS** Ground Proximity Warning System

**H** Helicopter

**HEMS** Helicopter Emergency Medical Service

**HF** High Frequency

**Hg** Mercury

**HHO** Helicopter Hoist Operation

HIALS High Intensity Approach Lighting System

HIGE Hover In Ground Effect
HLL Helideck Limitations List
HOGE Hover Out of Ground Effect

HoT Hold-Over TimehPa Hectopascals

**HPL** Human Performance and Limitations

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**HUD** Head-Up Display

**HUDLS** Head-Up guidance Landing System

**HUMS** Health Usage Monitor System

IAF Initial Approach Fix

IALS Intermediate Approach Lighting System

**IAS** means indicated airspeed.

ICAO International Civil Aviation Organization

**IDE** Instruments, Data and Equipment

**IF** Intermediate Fix

IFR Instrument Flight RulesIFSD In-Flight ShutdownIGE In Ground Effect

ILS Instrument Landing System

IMC Instrument Meteorological Conditions

in inches

INS Inertial Navigation System

IP Intermediate PointIR Implementing RuleIR Instrument Rating

IRS Inertial Reference System

ISA International Standard Atmosphere

IFR means instrument flight rules.

**ILS** means instrument landing system

**ISO** International Organization for Standardization

IV Intra-VenousKg KilogramsKm Kilometerskt Knots

LDA Landing Distance AvailableLDP Landing Decision PointLED Light-Emitting Diode

**LHS** Left Hand Seat

**LIFUS** Line Flying Under Supervision

LNAV Lateral NavigationL o A Letter of Acceptance

LOC Localiser

LOELine-Oriented EvaluationLOFTLine-Oriented Flight TrainingLOQELine-Oriented Quality Evaluation

LOS Limited Obstacle Surface

**LPV** Localiser Performance with Vertical Guidance

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LRCS Long Range Communication System

LRNS Long Range Navigation System

LVO Low Visibility Operation
LVP Low Visibility Procedures
LVTO Low Visibility Take-Off

**m** metres

**M** means Mach Number.

**MIL Spec** means USA Military Specification.

MALS Medium intensity Approach Lighting System

MALSF Medium intensity Approach Lighting System with sequenced Flashing lights

MALSR Medium intensity Approach Lighting System with Runway alignment indicator lights

MAPt Missed Approach Point

MCTOM Maximum Certified Take-Off Mass

MDA Minimum Descent AltitudeMDH Minimum Descent HeightMEA Minimum En-route Altitude

MED Medical

MEL Minimum Equipment List

**METAR** Meteorological Aerodrome Report

MGA Minimum Grid Altitude
MHA Minimum Holding Altitude

MHzMegahertzMIDMidpoint

MLR Manuals, Logs and RecordsMLS Microwave Landing System

MLX Milliluxmm millimetresMM Multi-Mode

MMEL Master Minimum Equipment List

MNPS Minimum Navigation Performance Specifications

MOC Minimum Obstacle Clearance

MOCA Minimum Obstacle Clearance Altitude

MOPSC Maximum Operational Passenger Seating Configuration

MORA Minimum Off-Route Altitude

MPSC Maximum Passenger Seating Capacity

MSA Minimum Sector Altitude

MSAS Multi-functional Satellite Augmentation System

MTCA Minimum Terrain Clearance Altitude

N North

NADP Noise Abatement Departure Procedure

NALS No Approach Lighting System

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NCC Non-Commercial operations with Complex Motor-Powered aircraft

NCO Non-Commercial operations with other-than-Complex Motor-Powered Aircraft

NF Free power turbine speed
NG engine gas generator speed

NM Nautical Miles

NTPD means normal temperature, pressure, dry, i.e. 21°C, 760 mmHg and no water vapour.

NPA means Notice of Proposed Amendment

**NOTAM** notice to airmen

**NOTECHS** non-technical skills evaluation

NOTOC notification to captain

NPA non-precision approach

NPA Notice of Proposed Amendment

NVD night vision deviceNVG night vision goggles

NVIS night vision imaging systemOAT outside air temperatureOCH obstacle clearance height

**OCL** oceanic clearance

**ODALS** omnidirectional approach lighting system

OEI one-engine-inoperative
OFS obstacle-free surface
OGE out of ground effect
OIP offset initiation point
OM operations manual

OML operational multi-pilot limitation
ONC operational navigation chart

**OPS** operations

**ORO** Organisation Requirements for Air Operations

OTS CAT II other than standard category II

PAPI precision approach path indicator

**PAR** precision approach radar

PBE protective breathing equipment
PBN performance-based navigation
PCDS personnel carrying device system

PDA premature descent alert
PDP predetermined point

**PED** portable electronic device

PIC pilot-in-command

**PIN** personal identification number

PIS public interest site
PNR point of no return

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POH pilot's operating handbook
PRM person with reduced mobility

QAR quick access recorder

QFE atmospheric pressure at aerodrome elevation / runway threshold

**QNH** atmospheric pressure at nautical height

RA resolution advisory
RAT ram air turbine

RCC rescue coordination centre
RCF reduced contingency fuel
RCLL runway centre line lights

RF fixed radius
RF radio frequency
RFC route facility chart
RI ramp inspection
RI rectification interval

**RIE** rectification interval extension

**RNAV** area navigation

**RNP** required navigation performance

ROD rate of descentRP rotation pointRPM revolutions per minute.

RTCA Radio Technical Commission for Aeronautics

RTODAH rejected take-off distance available (helicopters)

RTODRH rejected take-off distance required (helicopters)

**RTOM** reduced take-off mass

RTZL runway touchdown zone lights

**RVR** runway visual range

**RVSM** reduced vertical separation minima

**S** South

SAFA safety assessment of foreign aircraft
SALS simple approach lighting system

**SALSF** simple approach lighting system with sequenced flashing lights

**SAp** stabilised approach

**SAP** system access parameters

SAR search and rescue

**SAS** stability augmentation system

SBAS satellite-based augmentation system

**SCC** senior cabin crew

**SCP** special category of passenger

**SDCM** system of differential correction and monitoring

**SFE** synthetic flight examiner

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**SFI** synthetic flight instructor

SID standard instrument departure

SMM safety management manual

SMS safety management system

**SNAS** satellite navigation augmentation system

**SOP** standard operating procedure

SPA operations requiring specific approvalsSPECI aviation selected special weather report

**SPO** specialised operations

**SRA** surveillance radar approach

**SSALF** simplified short approach lighting system with sequenced flashing lights

**SSALR** simplified short approach lighting system with runway alignment indicator lights

**SSALS** simplified short approach lighting system

SSEC static source error correction
SSR secondary surveillance radar
STAR standard terminal arrival route
STC supplemental type certificate

**STPD** means standard temperature, pressure, dry, i.e. 0°C, 760 mmHg and no water

vapour.

TA traffic advisory

**TAC** terminal approach chart

TAS true airspeed

**TAWS** terrain awareness warning system

TC technical crew type certificate

TCAS traffic collision avoidance system

TCH type certificate holder
TDP take-off decision point

**TDP** with respect to rotorcraft means take-off decision point.

**TDZ** touchdown zone

THR threshold

TI Technical Instructions
TIT turbine inlet temperature

**TMG** touring motor glider

TODA take-off distance available (aeroplanes)

TODAH take-off distance available (helicopters)

TODRH take-off distance required (helicopters)

**TORA** take-off run available **TSO** Technical Standard Order.

**T-PED** transmitting portable electronic device

**TRE** type rating examiner

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TRI type rating instructor
TSE total system error
TVE total vertical error

**TWIP** terminal weather information for pilots

UMS usage monitoring system
UTC coordinated universal time

V<sub>2</sub> take-off safety speed

V<sub>st</sub> stalling speed

**V**<sub>AT</sub> indicated airspeed at threshold

VDF VHF direction finder
VFR visual flight rules
VHF very high frequency

**VIS** visibility

VMC visual meteorological conditions

 $V_{MO}$  maximum operating speed

**VNAV** vertical navigation

VOR VHF omnidirectional radio range

V<sub>T</sub> threshold speed

**V**<sub>TOL</sub> vertical take-off and landing

V<sub>TOSS</sub> take-off safety speedV<sub>A</sub> design maneuvering speed.

**V**<sub>B</sub> design speed for maximum gust intensity.

V<sub>C</sub> design cruising speed.

 $V_D/M_D$  design diving speed.

 $V_{DF}/M_{DF}$  demonstrated flight diving speed.

**V**<sub>EF</sub> the speed at which the critical engine is assumed to fail during take-off.

V<sub>F</sub> design flap speed.

 $V_{\text{F1}}$  the design flap speed for procedure flight conditions.  $V_{\text{Fc}}/M_{\text{Fc}}$  maximum speed for stability characteristics.

 $\mathbf{V}_{\mathsf{FE}}$  maximum flap extended speed.

**V**<sub>FTO</sub> final take-off speed.

VFR visual flight rules.

**V**<sub>H</sub> maximum speed in level flight with maximum continuous power.

**VHF** very high frequency.

V<sub>LE</sub> maximum landing gear extended speed.V<sub>LO</sub> maximum landing gear operating speed.

V<sub>LOF</sub> lift-off speed.

**V<sub>MC</sub>** minimum control speed with the critical engine inoperative.

 $V_{MCA}$  the minimum control speed, take-off climb.  $V_{MCG}$  the minimum control speed, on or near ground.  $V_{MCL}$  the minimum control speed, approach and landing.

 $V_{MO}/M_{MO}$  maximum operating limit speed.

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**V<sub>MU</sub>** minimum unstick speed.

 $V_{NE}$  never-exceed speed.

**V**<sub>R</sub> rotation speed.

V<sub>RA</sub> rough airspeed.V<sub>REF</sub> reference landing speed.

V<sub>s</sub> the stall speed or the minimum steady flight speed at which the aeroplane is controllable.

V<sub>so</sub> the stall speed or the minimum steady flight speed in the landing configuration.

V<sub>SR</sub> reference stall speed.

 $V_{\text{SR0}}$  reference stall speed in the landing configuration.  $V_{\text{SR1}}$  reference stall speed in a specific configuration.

V<sub>sw</sub> speed at which onset of natural or artificial stall warning occurs.

 $V_{\text{S1}}$  the stall speed or the minimum steady flight speed obtained in a specified configuration.

 $V_{\text{S1g}}$  the one-g stall speed at which the aeroplane can develop a lift force (normal to the flight path) equal to its weight.

V<sub>T</sub> threshold speed.

 $V_{Tmax}$  maximum threshold speed.

**V**<sub>TOSS</sub> take-off safety speed for Category A rotorcraft.

V<sub>Y</sub> speed for best rate of climb.

 $V_1$  the maximum speed in the take-off at which the pilot must take the first action (e.g. apply brakes, reduce thrust, deploy speed brakes) to stop the aeroplane within the accelerate-stop distance.  $V_1$  also means the minimum speed in the take-off, following a failure of the critical engine at  $V_{EF}$ , at which the pilot can continue the take-off and achieve the required height above the take-off surface within the take-off distance.

V<sub>2</sub> take-off safety speed.

 $V_{2min}$  minimum take-off safety speed.

**V**<sub>3</sub> steady initial climb speed with all engines operating.

**WAAS** wide area augmentation system

**WAC** world aeronautical chart

**WIFI** wireless fidelity

**ZFTT** zero flight-time training

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