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Subject: List of Current Airworthiness Advisory Circulars, reg.

The following is the list of current Airworthiness Advisory Circulars (AAC) year wise, issued for information and necessary action.

Year of Issue	Subject
1998	AAC 7 of 1998 - Guidelines for procuring parts manufactured by parts manufacturing approval holders (PMA)
2000	AAC 3 of 2000 - Good Maintenance Practice
	AAC 6 of 2000 - Handling of Electrostatic devices
2001	AAC 5 of 2001 Rev. 2 - Engineering Statistics Report
2003	AAC 4 of 2003 Rev. 1 - Return to Service of Aircraft Items - Recovered from aircraft involved in Accidents/ Incidents
2006	AAC 3 of 2006 Rev. 1 - Authenticity and Serviceability of Aircraft Parts
	AAC 4 of 2006 Rev. 2- Airworthiness Approvals for Exports
2011	AAC 2 of 2011 - Categorization of Surveillance/ Audit findings
2013	AAC 4 of 2013 - Engine oil loss due to damage of 'O' ring of oil cap
	AAC 5 of 2013 - Validity of Certification Authorisation and AME license
2015	AAC 1 of 2015 - Coding and Registration of ELTs
2016	AAC 2 of 2016 - Import/Export of Aircraft Spares, Items of Equipment etc. for use on aircraft
	AAC 3 of 2016 R1 - Direct Approval of Aircraft Maintenance Type Training
	AAC 1 of 2017 R1 - Procedure for approval of Modification and Repair

2017	AAC 2 of 2017 - Standard and Procedure for Issuance/ Extension/ Renewal of Certification Authorisation for specialized processes, such as Non Destructive Testing by Approved Organisation
	AAC 3 of 2017 - Procedure for Approval of Line Stations – Scheduled Airlines
	AAC 4 of 2017 Rev. 2 - Endorsement with Type Rating - CAR-66 Aircraft Maintenance Engineers Licence
	AAC 5 of 2017 - Procedures for granting approval to CAMO for the Issuance/ Extension of Airworthiness Review Certificate and issue of recommendation for airworthiness review to DGCA
	AAC 6 of 2017 - Airworthiness Procedures for clean rooms and environments for aircraft system/ accessories shops
	AAC 7 of 2017 - Storage conditions and storage/ service life of Rubber parts and aircraft components containing rubber parts
	AAC 8 of 2017 - Maintenance of test equipment
	AAC 9 of 2017 - Maintenance of fuel and oil uplift and consumption records - Light aircraft - Piston engines
	AAC 10 of 2017 - Unusable fuel supply-calibration of fuel quantity gauge of aircraft
	AAC 11 of 2017 - Control of Electromagnetic interference in modern aircraft
	AAC 12 of 2017 - Maintenance of Airborne Communication, Navigation and Radar Equipment
	AAC 13 of 2017 - Aircraft Instruments Overhaul and Periodical Inspections
2018	AAC 2 of 2018 Rev.1 - CAR 147 (Basic) organisations – Procedures for Approval/ Renewal/ Change in the scope of approval
	AAC 3 of 2018 - Validation of Foreign Flight Engineer's Licences
	AAC 4 of 2018 - Continuation Training for Certifying and Support Staff
	AAC 5 of 2018 - Certification of Transit/ Extended Transit Inspections at Foreign Locations by Foreign Aircraft Maintenance Organizations
	AAC 6 of 2018 - CAR 145 organisations - Procedures for Approval/ Renewal/Change in the scope of approval
2019	AAC 2 of 2019 - Approval under CAR M, Sub - Part G for organisation other than Air Transport Operator Procedures for Approval/ Renewal/ Change in the scope of approval
	AAC 3 of 2019 - Routine Readout and maintenance of Flight Data Recorders units installed on Aircraft

	AAC 4 of 2019 - Routine Readout and maintenance of CVR units installed on Aircraft
	AAC 5 of 2019 - Duty Time Limitation Aircraft Maintenance Personnel (AMP)
2020	AAC 3 of 2020 - Guidelines for Aircraft Storage and Return to Service (RTS)
	AAC 4 of 2020 - Distance Learning Training Programme
	AAC 5 of 2020 Rev. 1 - Guidelines for Demonstration of 6/24 months maintenance experience
2021	AAC 1 of 2021 Rev. 1 - Distance Learning (DSL) for CAR 147 (Basic) approved organisations
2023	AAC 2 of 2023 - Privileges and limitations of line maintenance
	AAC 3 of 2023 - Maintenance Away from Approved Location(s) as per CAR 145.A.75(c)
	AAC 4 of 2023 - Guidance for Organizations Implementing Electronic Signatures, Electronic Record-Keeping and Manuals
2024	AAC 2 of 2024 - Occurrence Reporting
	AAC 3 of 2024 - Helicopter Pilgrimage Shuttle Operations
	AAC 4 of 2024 - Transition to New Regulations (CAR-CAMO, CAR-CAO)
	AAC 5 of 2024 - Transition of existing CAR-145 organisations to the new requirements of CAR-145 Issue 3
2025	AAC 2 of 2025 - User Guide for CAME
	AAC 3 of 2025 - Tools and Equipment Maintenance Control
	AAC 4 of 2025 - Storage and Handling of Aviation Turbine Fuel (ATF) Barrels and Refuelling of Aircraft through Barrels
	AAC 5 of 2025 - Airworthiness Oversight of Seaplane Operations in the India– Regulatory Perspective on Safety and Compliance

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