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Flight Crew Licensing Circular

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Subject: List of current Flight Crew Licensing Circulars, reg.

The following is the list of current Flight Crew Licensing Circulars year wise, issued for information and necessary action

Year of Issue	Subject
2000	FCL 1 of 2000 - Flying by Pilots having medical restrictions
2007	FCL 1 of 2007 - Verification/authentication of foreign license/certificate issued by contracting States.
	FCL 3 of 2007 - Regarding Medical Assessment
2008	FCL 2 of 2008 - Flight tests for Issue of Indian Pilot License / Conversion of foreign Pilot license regarding.
2009	FCL 2 of 2009 - Clarification on submission of documents for issue/ renewal of flight crew licenses and ratings.
2010	FCL 1 of 2010 Rev. 3, 29th March 2016 - Procedure for renewal of licences at regional offices in Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai and Kolkata.
	FCL 2 of 2010 - Procedure and Guidelines for individual pilots regarding issuance of pilots licence on microlight aircraft.

	FCL 5 of 2010 - Indian Medical Examination of foreign pilots - regarding
2011	FCL 2 of 2011 - Flying aircraft without endorsement of that variant on the Licence.
2012	FCL 1 OF 2012 Rev. 1, 1st July 2019 - Demonstration of competency for conversion of foreign Commercial Pilot License (Aeroplanes) to Indian Commercial Pilot License (Aeroplanes).
	FCL 4 of 2012 - Clarification regarding Rule 28A and amendment in clause 6 of Section M of Schedule II of the Aircraft Rules 1937
	FCLC 1 of 2013 - Consideration of cases for issue of CPL in respect of pilot holding a foreign PPL.
2013	FCLC 3 of 2013 - Submission of Application for issue/ renewal of flight crew licences and ratings - clarification regarding
2015	FCLC 1 of 2015 - Guidelines for acceptance of CA - 35 Certificate
2016	FCL 1 of 2016 - Extension of Aircraft Rating on SPL - Regarding
2017	FCL 01 of 2017 Rev. 1 - General Instructions for Conduct of Class I Medical Examination
2019	FCL 01 of 2019 - Procedure for the Approval/ Renewal of Aviation English Language Training Organizations and Testing Service Providers
	FCLC 2 of 2019 - Procedure of Registration, Processing of applications for issuance of various Pilot licenses/ ratings through eGCA portal
2020	FCL 01 of 2020 - Distance/Online Learning Program for Aviation English Language Proficiency Training
2024	FCL 01 of 2024 (Rev 3) - Electronic Personnel License- Flight Crew (EPL) Specifications, Standards and Procedures
2025	FCL 01 of 2025 - Guidance material for training and endorsement of VTOL capable aircraft (VCA) rating.
	FCL 02 of 2025 - Validation of Instrument Rating on ATPL (Aeroplane)
	FCL 03 of 2025 General Instructions for Conduct of Class 1 Medical Examinations and Special Class 2, Class 3 Medical Examinations
	FCL 04 of 2025 - Issue of Foreign Aircrew Temporary Authorisation (FATA)

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