

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**Federal Aviation Administration****14 CFR Part 97****[Docket No. 30334; Amdt. No. 3027]****Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments****AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.**ACTION:** Final rule.

SUMMARY: This amendment establishes, amends, suspends, or revokes Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (SIAPs) for operations at certain airports. These regulatory actions are needed because of the adoption of new or revised criteria, or because of changes occurring in the National Airspace System, such as the commissioning of new navigational facilities, addition of new obstacles, or changes in air traffic requirements. These changes are designed to provide safe and efficient use of the navigable airspace and to promote safe flight operations under instrument flight rules at the affected airports.

DATES: This rule is effective October 24, 2002. The compliance date for each SIAP is specified in the amendatory provisions.

The incorporation by reference of certain publications listed in the regulations is approved by the Director of the Federal Register as of October 24, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Availability of matters incorporated by reference in the amendment is as follows:

For Examination—

1. FAA Rules Docket, FAA Headquarters Building, 800 Independent Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591;

2. The FAA Regional Office of the region in which the affected airport is located;

3. The Flight Inspection Area Office which originated the SIAP; or,

4. The Office of Federal Register, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., Suite 700, Washington, DC.

*For Purchase—*Individual SIAP copies may be obtained from:

1. FAA Public Inquiry Center (APA-200), FAA Headquarters Building, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591; or

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by the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This amendment to part 97 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR part 97) establishes, amends, suspends, or revokes Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (SIAPs). The complete regulatory description of each SIAP is contained in official FAA form documents which are incorporated by reference in this amendment under 5 U.S.C. 552(a), 1 CFR part 51, and § 97.20 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (FAR). The applicable FAA Forms are identified as FAA Forms 8260-3, 8260-4, and 8260-5. Materials incorporated by reference are available for examination or purchase as stated above.

The large number of SIAPs, their complex nature, and the need for a special format make their verbatim publication in the **Federal Register** expensive and impractical. Further, airmen do not use the regulatory text of the SIAPs, but refer to their graphic depiction on charts printed by publishers of aeronautical materials. Thus, the advantages of incorporation by reference are realized and publication of the complete description of each SIAP contained in FAA form documents is unnecessary. The provisions of this amendment state the affected CFR (and FAR) sections, with the types and effective dates of the SIAPs. This amendment also identifies the airport, its location, the procedure identification and the amendment number.

The Rule

This amendment to part 97 is effective upon publication of each separate SIAP as contained in the transmittal. Some SIAP amendments may have been previously issued by the FAA in a National Flight Data Center (NFDC) Notice to Airmen (NOTAM) as an emergency action of immediate flight safety relating directly to published aeronautical charts. The circumstances which created the need for some SIAP amendments may require making them effective in less than 30 days. For the remaining SIAPs, an effective date at

least 30 days after publication is provided.

Further, the SIAPs contained in this amendment are based on the criteria contained in the U.S. Standard for Terminal Instrument Procedures (TERPS). In developing these SIAPs, the TERPS criteria were applied to the conditions existing or anticipated at the affected airports. Because of the close and immediate relationship between these SIAPs and safety in air commerce, I find that notice and public procedure before adopting these SIAPs are impracticable and contrary to the public interest and, where applicable, that good cause exists for making some SIAPs effective in less than 30 days.

Conclusion

The FAA has determined that this regulation only involves an established body of technical regulations for which frequent and routine amendments are necessary to keep them operationally current. It, therefore—(1) Is not a “significant regulatory action” under Executive Order 12866; (2) is not a “significant rule” under DOT Regulatory Policies and Procedures (44 FR 11034; February 26, 1979); and (3) does not warrant preparation of a regulatory evaluation as the anticipated impact is so minimal. For the same reason, the FAA certifies that this amendment will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities under the criteria of the Regulatory Flexibility Act.

List of Subjects in 14 CFR part 97

Air Traffic Control, Airports, Incorporation by reference, and Navigation (Air).

Issued in Washington, DC on October 11, 2002.

James J. Ballough,

Director, Flight Standards Service.

Adoption of the Amendment

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority delegated to me, part 97 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR part 97) is amended by establishing, amending, suspending, or revoking Standard Instrument Approach Procedures, effective at 0901 UTC on the dates specified, as follows:

PART 97—STANDARD INSTRUMENT APPROACH PROCEDURES

1. The authority citation for part 97 is revised to read as follows:

Authority: 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40103, 40113, 40120, 44701; and 14 CFR 11.49(b)(2).

§§ 97.23, 97.25, 97.27, 97.29, 97.31, 97.33, and 97.35 [Amended]

2. Part 97 is amended to read as follows:

By amending: § 97.23 VOR, VOR/DME, VOR or TACAN, and VOR/DME or TACAN; § 97.25 LOC, LOC/DME, LDA, LDA/DME, SDF, SDF/DME; § 97.27 NDB, NDB/DME; § 97.29 ILS, ILS/DME, ISMLS, MLS, MLS/DME, MLS/RNAV; § 97.31 RADAR SIAPs; § 97.33 RNAV SIAPs; and § 97.35 COPTER SIAPs, identified as follows:

* * * *Effective November 28, 2002*

Savannah, GA, Savannah Intl, RADAR-1, Amdt 9, CANCELLED
 Lee's Summit, MO, Lee's Summit Muni, RNAV (GPS) RWY 18, Orig
 Lee's Summit, MO, Lee's Summit Muni, RNAV (GPS) RWY 29, Orig
 Lee's Summit, MO, Lee's Summit Muni, RNAV (GPS) RWY 36, Orig
 Lee's Summit, MO, Lee's Summit Muni, VOR/DME-A, Orig
 Lee's Summit, MO, Lee's Summit Muni, NDB RWY 18, Amdt 1
 Lee's Summit, MO, Lee's Summit Muni, GPS RWY 29, Orig, CANCELLED
 Lee's Summit, MO, Lee's Summit Muni, VOR-A, Orig-A, CANCELLED
 Cleveland, OH, Cleveland-Hopkins Intl, ILS RWY 6L, Orig
 Cleveland, OH, Cleveland-Hopkins Intl, ILS RWY 6R, Amdt 18
 Cleveland, OH, Cleveland-Hopkins Intl, ILS RWY 24R, Orig
 Cleveland, OH, Cleveland-Hopkins Intl, RNAV (GPS) Y RWY 6L, Orig
 Cleveland, OH, Cleveland-Hopkins Intl, RNAV (GPS) Z RWY 6L, Orig
 Cleveland, OH, Cleveland-Hopkins Intl, RNAV (GPS) Y RWY 24R, Orig
 Cleveland, OH, Cleveland-Hopkins Intl, RNAV (GPS) Z RWY 24R, Orig
 Alva, OK, Alva Regional, RNAV (GPS) RWY 35, Orig
 Alva, OK, Alva Regional, GPS RWY 35, Orig, CANCELLED
 Hinton, OK, Hinton Muni, RNAV (GPS) RWY 17, Orig
 Hinton, OK, Hinton Muni, RNAV (GPS) RWY 35, Orig
 El Paso, TX, El Pas Intl, GPS RWY 22, Orig

* * * *Effective January 23, 2003*

Alexandria, LA, Esler Regional, ILS RWY 26, Amdt 14
 Alexandria, LA, Esler Regional, NDB OR GPS RWY 26, Amdt 8
 Alexandria, LA, Esler Regional, LOC BC RWY 8, Amdt 10C, CANCELLED

Note: The FAA published the following procedure in Docket No. 30332, Amdt No. 3025 to Part 97 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (Vol. 67, FR No. 195, Page 62638-62640; dated October 8, 2002) under section 97.27 effective November 28, 2002, which is hereby amended rescinded:

Dallas-Fort Worth, TX, Dallas-Fort Worth International, ILS RWY 35C, Amdt 7
 Dallas-Fort Worth, TX, Dallas-Fort Worth International, Converging ILS RWY 35C, Amdt 5

Dallas-Fort Worth, TX, Dallas-Fort Worth International, RNAV (GPS) RWY 35C, Orig
 Dallas-Fort Worth, TX, Dallas-Fort Worth International, GPS RWY 35C, Orig-A, CANCELLED
 Gordonsville, VA, Gordonsville Muni, NDB OR GPS RWY 23, Amdt 1, CANCELLED

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 Durhamville, NY, Kamp, VOR OR GPS RWY 28, Amdt 1B, CANCELLED

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