**Note 2:** Information concerning this inspection can be found in Bombardier-Rotax service bulletin No. SB–914–017, dated May 2001.

#### **Repetitive Inspections**

- (b) Thereafter, inspect the exhaust bend assemblies every additional 50 hours TIS. Replace any exhaust manifold assembly found cracked.
- (c) If any exhaust bend assembly is replaced, perform a ground test run and exhaust leakage test.

## **Alternative Methods of Compliance**

(d) An alternative method of compliance or adjustment of the compliance time that provides an acceptable level of safety may be used if approved by the Manager, Engine Certification Office (ECO). Operators must submit their requests through an appropriate FAA Principal Maintenance Inspector, who may add comments and then send it to the Manager, ECO.

**Note 3:** Information concerning the existence of approved alternative methods of compliance with this airworthiness directive, if any, may be obtained from the ECO.

## **Special Flight Permits**

(e) Special flight permits may be issued in accordance with §§ 21.197 and 21.199 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 CFR 21.197 and 21.199) to operate the airplane to a location where the requirements of this AD can be done.

**Note 4:** The subject of this AD is addressed in Austro Control airworthiness directive No. 106, dated April 25, 2001.

#### **Effective Date**

(f) This amendment becomes effective on June 12, 2002.

Issued in Burlington, Massachusetts, on May 16, 2002.

## Peter A. White,

Acting Manager, Engine and Propeller Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service. [FR Doc. 02–13186 Filed 5–24–02; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4910–13–P

#### DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### **Federal Aviation Administration**

# 14 CFR Part 71

[Airspace Docket No. 01-AGL-17]

# Modification of Class E Airspace; Athens, OH

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT. **ACTION:** Direct final rule; request for

comments.

**SUMMARY:** This document modifies Class E airspace at Athens, OH. A Global Positioning System (GPS) Standard Instrument Approach Procedure (SIAP) 129° helicopter point in space approach,

has been developed for O'Bleness Memorial Hospital, Athens, OH. Controlled airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface is need to contain aircraft executing the approach. This action modifies existing controlled airspace for Athens, OH, in order to include the point in space approach serving O'Bleness Memorial Hospital.

**DATES:** Effective 0901 UTC, October 03, 2002. Comments must be received on or before July 8, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments on the rule in triplicate to: Federal Aviation Administration, Office of a the Regional Counsel, AGL-7, Rule Docket No. 01-AGL-17, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, Illinois 60018. The official docket may be examined in the Office of the Regional Counsel, Federal Aviation Administration, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, Illinois. An informal docket may also be examined during normal business hours at the Air Traffic Division, Airspace Branch, Federal Aviation Administration, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, Illinois.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Denis C. Burke, Airspace Branch, AGL-

520, Air Traffic Division, Federal Aviation Administration, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, Illinois 60018, telephone (847) 294-7568. **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This** amendment to 14 CFR part 71 modifies class E airspace at Athens, Ohio, to Accommodate Aircraft executing the proposed GPS SIAP 129° helicopter point in space approach for O'Bleness Memorial Hospital by modifying existing controlled airspace. The area will be depicted on appropriate aeronautical charts. Class E airspace designations are published in Paragraph 6005 of FAA Order 7400.9J, dated August 31, 200, and effective September 16, 2001, which is incorporated by reference in 14 CFR Sec. 71.1 The Class E airspace designation listed in this

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document will be published

subsequently in the order.

The FAA anticipates that this regulation will not result in adverse or negative comment and therefore is issuing it as a direct final rule. A substantial number of previous opportunities provided to the public to comment on substantially identical actions have resulted in negligible adverse comments on objections. Unless a written adverse or negative comment, or a written notice of intent to submit an adverse or negative comment is received within the comment period,

the regulation will become effective on the date specified above. After the close of the comment period, the FAA will publish a document in the Federal Register indicating that no adverse or negative comments were received and confirming the date on which the final rule will become effective. If the FAA does receive, within the comment period, an adverse or negative comment, or written notice of intent to submit such a comment, a document will be published in the Federal Register. This document may withdraw the direct final rule in whole or in part. After considering the adverse or negative comment, we may publish another direct final rule or publish a notice of proposed rulemaking with a new comment period.

#### **Comments Invited**

Although this action is in the form of a final rule and was not preceded by a notice of proposed rulemaking, comments are invited on this rule. Interested persons are invited to comment on this rule by submitting such written data, views, or arguments, as they may desire. Communications should identify the Rules Docket number and be submitted in triplicate to the address specified under the caption ADDRESSES. All communications received on or before the closing date for comments will be considered, and this rule may be amended or withdrawn in light of the comments received. Factual information that supports the commenter's ideas and suggestions is extremely helpful in evaluating the effectiveness of this action and determining whether additional rulemaking action is needed.

Comments are specifically invited on the overall regulatory, economic, environmental, and energy aspects of the rule that might suggest a need to modify the rule. All comments submitted will be available, both before and after the closing date for comments, in the Rules Docket for examination by interested persons. A report that summarizes each FAA-public contact concerned with the substance of this action will be filed in the Rule Docket.

Commenters wishing the FAA to acknowledge receipt of their comments submitted in response to this rule must submit a self-addressed, stamped postcard on which the following statement is made: "Comments to Docket No. 91–AGL–17." The postcard will be date stamped and returned to the commenter.

# **Agency Findings**

The regulations adopted herein will not have substantial direct effects on the States, on the relationship between the national government and the States, or on the distribution of power and responsibilities among the various levels of government. Therefore, it is determined that this final rule will not have federalism implications under Executive Order 13132.

Further, the FAA has determined that this regulation is noncontroversial and unlikely to result in adverse or negative comments and only involves an established body of technical regulations that require frequent and routine amendments to keep them operationally current. Therefore, I certify that this regulation (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) if promulgated, will not have a significant economic impact, positive or negative, on a substantial number of small entities under the criteria of the Regulatory Flexibility Act. Since this rule involves routine matters that will only affect air traffic procedures and air navigation, it does not warrant preparation of a Regulatory Flexibility Analysis because the anticipated impact is so minimal.

#### List of Subjects in 14 CFR Part 71

Airspace, Incorporation by reference, Navigation (air).

## Adoption of the Amendment

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority delegated to me, the Federal Aviation Administration amends 14 CFR part 71 as follows:

# PART 71—DESIGNATION OF CLASS A, CLASS B, CLASS C, CLASS D, AND CLASS E AIRSPACE AREAS; AIRWAYS; ROUTES; AND REPORTING POINTS

1. The authority citation for 14 CFR part 71 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 49 U.S.C. 106(g), 40103, 40113, 40120; E.O. 10854; 24 FR 9565, 3 CFR, 1959–1963 Comp., p. 389.

## §71.1 [Amended]

2. The incorporation by reference in 14 CFR 71.1 of the Federal Aviation Administration Order 7400.9J, Airspace Designations and Reporting Points, dated August 31, 2001, and effective September 16, 2001, is amended as follows:

Paragraph 6005 Class E airspace areas extending upward from 700 feet or more above the surface of the earth.

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#### AGL OH E5 Athens, OH [Revised]

Athens, Athens-Albany, Ohio University, OH (Lat. 39°12′39″ N., long. 82°13′53″ W.) Athens, O'Bleness Memorial Hospital, OH Point in Space Coordinates

(Lat. 39°20′3″ N., long. 82°07′48″ W.)

That airspace extending upward from 700 feet above the surface within a 6.4-mile radius of Ohio University Airport and within 4.6 miles either side of the 061° bearing from the Ohio University Airport, extending from the 6.4-mile radius to 12.3 miles northeast of the airport, and within a 6-mile radius of the Point in Space serving Obliness Memorial Hospital.

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Issued in Des Plaines, Illinois on April 25, 2002.

#### Nancy B. Shelton,

Manager, Air Traffic Division, Great Lakes Region.

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

**Coast Guard** 

33 CFR Part 117 [CGD01-02-053]

RIN 2115-AE47

Drawbridge Operation Regulations: Long Island, New York Inland Waterway From East Rockaway Inlet to Shinnecock Canal, NY

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DOT. **ACTION:** Temporary final rule.

summary: The Coast Guard is establishing a temporary final rule governing the operation of the Meadowbrook State Parkway Bridge, at mile 12.8, across Sloop Channel, New York. This temporary final rule allows the bridge to remain in the closed position to navigation from 9 p.m. to midnight, on July 4, 2002. This action is necessary to facilitate the annual Fourth of July Jones Beach State Park fireworks display.

**DATES:** This temporary final rule is effective from 9 p.m. to midnight on July 4, 2002.

ADDRESSES: The public docket and all documents referred to in this notice are available for inspection or copying at the First Coast Guard District, Bridge Branch Office, 408 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02110, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Joseph Schmied, Project Officer, First Coast Guard District, (212) 668–7165.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

## **Regulatory Information**

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 553, a notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) was not published for this regulation. Good cause exists for not publishing a NPRM in the Federal Register. As a result of coordination with the local harbormaster, marine facilities, and operators regarding the closure of the bridge and the fact that the bridge has been closed during past years for this event with no impact on navigation, we believe that it is not necessary to draft or publish a NPRM in advance of the requested start date for this bridge closure. This bridge closure is a necessary measure to facilitate public safety by allowing the orderly flow of vehicular traffic before and after this annual fireworks event.

## **Background**

The Meadowbrook State Parkway Bridge has a vertical clearance of 22 feet at mean high water and 25 feet at mean low water in the closed position, unlimited vertical clearance in the full open position. The existing regulations are listed at 33 CFR 117.799(h).

The bridge owner, the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation, requested that the bridge be allowed to remain closed from 9 p.m. to midnight, during the annual Fourth of July fireworks event at the Jones Beach State Park. The Coast Guard coordinated this closure with the local facilities and operators and no objections were received. The bridge has been closed for the past several years to facilitate this annual event.

# **Regulatory Evaluation**

This rule is not a "significant regulatory action" under section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866 and does not require an assessment of potential costs and benefits under section 6(a)(3) of that Order. The Office of Management and Budget has not reviewed it under that Order. It is not "significant" under the regulatory policies and procedures of the Department of Transportation (DOT) (44 FR 11040; February 26, 1979). This conclusion is based on the fact that the mariners that normally use this waterway have no objections to the bridge closure to facilitate this annual event.

## **Small Entities**

Under the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601–612) we considered whether this rule would have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. "Small entities" comprises small businesses, not-for profit organizations that are independently owned and