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# Part-ARA

# Subpart FCL

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# Part-ARA Subpart FCL

- **ARA.FCL** contains specific requirements relating to flight crew licencing applicable to competent authorities
- Section I: GENERAL
- Section II: LICENCES, RATINGS AND CERTIFICATES
- Section III: THEORETICAL KNOWLEDGE EXAMINATIONS



# ARA.FCL Section I & II & III

ARA.FCL.120 Record-keeping

ARA.FCL.200 Procedure for issue, revalid. & renewal

ARA.FCL.205 Monitoring of examiners

ARA.FCL.210 Information for examiners

ARA.FCL.215 Validity period

ARA.FCL.220 Procedure for re-issue of a pilot licence

ARA.FCL.250 Limitation, suspension and revocation

ARA.FCL.300 Examination procedures



## ARA.FCL.120 Record keeping

- In addition to the records required in ARA.GEN.220, the competent authority shall include in its system of record-keeping results of theoretical knowledge examinations and the assessments of pilots' skills



## ARA.FCL.200 Issue, revalidation and renewal of licences

- A licence shall be issued using the form in Appendix I.
- Instructor or examiner certificates
  - as an endorsement in licence or
  - as a separate document



## ARA.FCL.200 Issue, revalidation and renewal of licences

- Specific authorisation for examiners to revalidate or renew ratings or certificates
- procedures to be developed by the competent authority



## ARA.FCL.205 Monitoring of examiners

- Oversight Programme to be developed
  - for the conduct and
  - for the performance of examiners



## ARA.FCL.205 Monitoring of examiners

- Competent authority shall have a list of examiners updated and published regularly
- Authority shall develop procedures to designate examiners for skill tests





## ARA.FCL.210 Information for examiners

- Safety criteria for tests and checks
  - competent authority may provide this
  - also for those examiners certificated by other authority but who exercise their privileges in the area



## ARA.FCL.215 Validity period

- Ratings and certificates shall be valid until the end of the relevant month
- for example skill test 19.9.2012, rating valid until 30.9.2013



## ARA.FCL.215 Validity period

- Applicant may be allowed to exercise his privileges for 8 weeks after successful completion of an examination – pending the endorsement on the licence
- procedures to be developed by the competent authority



## ARA.FCL.220 Procedure for re-issue of a licence

- Re-issue has to be initiated:
  - when necessary for administrative reasons
  - after initial issue of a rating
  - no more spaces in field XII



## ARA.FCL.220 Procedure for re-issue of a licence

- Only valid ratings and certificates are transferred to new licence document



## ARA.FCL.250 Limitations, suspension or revocation

- When a person shows non-compliance with applicable requirements (ARA.GEN.355)
- Different reason for example falsification, alcohol or drugs, non-compliance with operational requirements, unacceptable performance in examiner's duties or responsibilities
- Or upon written request of the licence holder



## ARA.FCL.300 Theoretical knowledge examinations

- Procedures by competent authority
- Questions for MPL, CPL, IR and ATPL examinations shall be from European Central Question Bank (ECQB)



## ARA.FCL.300 Theoretical knowledge examinations

- More details and distribution of questions in AMC1 ARA.FCL.300
- Terminology (sitting, attempt, etc.) in AMC1 FCL.025





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Thank you for your attention.  
Any Questions?