



of Transportation

Federal Aviation Administration

Memorandum

Subject:

INFORMATION: Extension of the Validity

Period of Aeronautical Knowledge Test Results

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From:

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Reply to

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To:

All Managers - Regional Flight Standards Offices; Flight Standards District Offices; AFS-700; AFS-760; and AFS-200.

This memorandum is being issued to extend the validity period of those aeronautical knowledge test results with an expiration date of September 30, 2001 for pilot or flight engineer certification. The expiration date of those aeronautical knowledge test results that will expire on September 30, 2001 are now extended to expire on November 30, 2001.

The reason for this decision to extend the expiration date is due to the grounding of all training flights that occurred on September 11, 2001. Extension of the validity period of the aeronautical knowledge test results are needed to provide applicants for pilot or flight engineer certification more time to re-schedule and complete their practical tests.

Please ensure this policy memorandum is given to: All FAA Aviation Safety Inspectors; FAA Aviation Safety Technicians; FAA Safety Program Managers; Examiners in the FAA's Airmen Certification Branch, AFS-760; and Designated Pilot Examiners.

Please ensure a copy of this memorandum is included in each airmen application for those applicants whose aeronautical knowledge test results are being extended as a result of this policy.

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