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Re:

Emergency Regulation Non-Commercial Aircraft

Dear Mr. Ccbula:

As indicated in my telephone conversation with Keith Holt of your office, the focus of the Emergency Regulation dated April 2, 2003, was owners of non-commercial aircraft who are resident individuals or resident businesses who may have purchased aircraft out of state and hangered the aircraft out of state but wanted to fly into Rhode Island on a limited basis.

The regulation does not apply to non-commercial aircraft purchased by the user while a nonresident of this state and used outside this state while a nonresident and thereafter brought into this state for his/her/its own use.

When this regulation is officially promulgated in October 2003, this language will be reflected in the regulation.

Sincerely

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