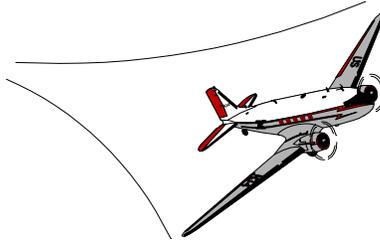


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Introduction

The purpose of this Special Airworthiness Information Bulletin is to advise owners/operators of certain SOCATA Morane Saulnier (M.S.) and Rallye Series airplanes of the need to review the service bulletins listed below. These airplanes are those type certificated by type certificate and type certificate data sheet 7A14.

Background

The Small Airplane Directorate, Aircraft Certification Service, of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) conducted a review of specified SOCATA Morane Saulnier (M.S.) and Rallye Series airplanes service bulletins. The purpose of the review was to evaluate each service bulletin to determine the continued airworthiness safety aspect. The options considered by the FAA included: mandated compliance by initiation of an FAA Airworthiness Directive (AD), various forms of notices, or no further action required.

Owners/operators of SOCATA Morane Saulnier (M.S.) and Rallye Series airplanes should also note that there have been Airworthiness Directives issued against these airplanes concerning other safety issues.

Recommendations

The service bulletins identified in this document were not considered appropriate for AD action at this time, however, the FAA strongly suggests that all owners/operators of the SOCATA Morane Saulnier (M.S.) and Rallye Series airplanes review their compliance with the service bulletins listed below.

SOCATA (Morane Saulnier (M.S.) and Rallye Series) Airplanes Service Bulletin Number	MODEL	DATE	TITLE
49	M.S. 880, M.S. 892, M.S. 893	04/67	Modification to the Assemblage of Electrical Oil Pressure
143	All Rallye Series Airplanes except Model 235C	03/82	Welded Nose Landing Gear Nr. 880-42.0.120.0
145	Morane Saulnier and Rallye Series Airplanes	01/87	Forward Side Attachment Fittings and Spar for horizontal Stabilizer
152	All Rallye Series Airplanes except Model 235C	06/94	Attachment fitting of Nose Landing Gear

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