UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD
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AIRMAN IDENTIFICATION CARD

At the present time section 20.58 of Part 20 of the Civil Air Regulations provides that the holder of a certificate issued under the provisions of this part shall not exercise the privileges conferred by the certificate unless he has "in his possession" a current airman identification card. In the administration of this provision considerable difficulty has been encountered in enforcing the requirement that the identification card be carried on the person.

Since the present language of this section is believed to be capable of construction to mean other than carried on the person, this amendment is intended to bring this provision into line with the present requirements with regard to the carrying of airman and medical certificates by adding the word "personal" before the word "possession" and thereby clarify that the airman identification card is to be carried on the person.

Interested persons have been afforded an opportunity to participate in the making of this amendment, and due consideration has been given to all relevant matter presented.

In consideration of the foregoing the Civil Aeronautics Board hereby amends Part 20 of the Civil Air Regulations (14 CFR, Part 20, as amended) effective May 21, 1953:

By amending § 20.58 to read as follows:

20.58 Identification. The holder of a certificate issued under the provisions of this part shall not, except while engaged in operations conducted by a scheduled air carrier, exercise the privileges conferred by the certificate unless he has in his personal possession a current airman identification card or other identification card acceptable to the Administrator which duly describes him. The airman identification card may be obtained from the Administrator who shall prescribe its form and the manner of applying for it.

(Sec. 205 (a), 52 Stat. 984; 49 U.S.C. 425 (a). Interpret or apply secs. 601, 602, 52 Stat. 1007, 1008; 49 U.S.C. 551, 552; 62 Stat. 1216)

By the Civil Aeronautics Board:

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