NOTICE

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION
Air Traffic Organization Policy

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July 24, 2008

SUBJ: Familiarization Training

1. Purpose of This Notice. This notice eliminates the requirement for air traffic facilities to issue and maintain familiarization training numbers (FTN) for personnel authorized to participate in the Familiarization Training program.

2. Audience. This notice applies to the following Air Traffic Organization (ATO) service units: Acquisition and Business, En Route and Oceanic, Terminal, Safety, and System Operations Services; service center offices; the Mike Monroney Aeronautical Center (AMC); and all air traffic control (ATC) facilities.

3. Where Can I Find This Notice? This notice is available on MYFAA employee Web site at https://employees.faa.gov/tools_resources/orders_notices/ and on the air traffic publications Web site at http://www.faa.gov/airports_airtraffic/air_traffic/publications.

4. Action. Delete the following paragraphs in their entirety in Federal Aviation Administration Order 3120.29A, Familiarization Training:

Paragraph 2-27a(7), Program Participation.
Paragraph 2-36c, Procedural Noncompliance.
Paragraph 3-8b(1) through (6), Tracking.

5. Distribution. This notice is distributed to the following ATO service units:
Acquisition and Business, En Route and Oceanic, Terminal, Safety,, and System Operations Services; service center offices; the AMC; and all ATC facilities.

6. Background. FAA Order 3120 29A established the requirement for all eligible air traffic personnel to be issued an FTN. Following the September 11, 2001, terrorist act, the air carrier portion of the order was suspended making the requirement invalid.

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