

Luftfahrt-Bundesamt -AD-Department**Airworthiness Directive** 

In case of any difficulty, reference should be made to the German original issue

# 96-212/2 LITEF

Effective Date: August 29, 1996

Affected airplanes: German Type Certificate No.: 10.480/5TS and 10.480/7TS

LITEF AHRS LCR-92 P/N 124210-1000, -2000 und -3000 - S/No's.: all

AHRS LCR-92S P/N 141852-1000, -1100, -2000, -2100, -3000, -3100 und -3200 - S/No's.: all

AHRS LCR-92H P/N 141450-1000, -1100, -2000, -2100, -3000 und -3100 - S/No's.: all

# Subject:

Attitude and Heading Reference System (AHRS) Temporary non-compliance with the HF Radio Frequency Susceptibility in accordance with RTCA/DO-160, Section 20, Category Y.

Reason:

Testing in accordance with DO160C, section 20 "RF Susceptibility (conducted)", shows that the 200 V/m requirement is not fulfilled over the entire frequency range.

Depending on the frequency of the induced electromagnetic field, exposure to a higher level than 20 V/m may result in erroneous angular rates and in misleading attitude and heading angles.

By modifying the installation as described overleaf a RF susceptibility of a least 100 V/m (category W) will be reached. Therfore, the operational limitations as recommended by LITEF in Alert Service Bulletin dated June 12, 1996 and stated in the LTA-Nr. 96-212 from LBA are no longer applicable after compliance with the LITEF Service Bulletin 141450-000-840-003.

# Action:

- 1. Aircraft equipped with devices with the listed part numbers are certificated only for VFR conditions when the spurious emission in the aircraft concerned is more than 20 V/m (downgrade Category Y to Category U in accordance with Section 20 RTCA/DO-160C).
- 2. The P/N 124210-1000, -2000 and -3000 are not affected by the regulation under 1., if they are used in aircraft with spurious emission in accordance with Section 20 RTCA/DO-160 C, Category W (100 V/m).
- 3. All P/N may be modified in accordance with LITEF Service Bulletin and afterwards used without any limitation under spurious emission condition category W.
- 4. Modification of all models for HF Radio frequency susceptibility of 200 V/m assigning new part numbers. Modifications may be accomplished by the manufacturer.

# Compliance:

Action 1, 2 and 3 must be performed immediately.

Action 4 may be use only after issuance of the new Technical Specifications No. 10.480/5TS Issue 2 and 10.480/7TS Issue 2 (publication of the issues in July 1997 at latest).

Technical publication of the manufacturer:

LITEF Alert Service Bulletin VW/JH 6B751 dated June 12, 1996 and Service Bulletin 141450-0000-840-003 dated July 09, 1996 and becomes herewith part of this AD and may be obtained from Messrs.

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Accomplishment and log book entry:

Action to be accomplished by an approved service station and to be checked and entered in the log by a licensed inspector.

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#### Note:

This AD supersedes the AD-No. 96-212 dated July 04, 1996.