

AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE

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Inspection and/or modifications described below are mandatory. No person may operate a product to which this Airworthiness Directive applies except in accordance with the requirements of this Airworthiness Directive.

Translation of 'Consigne de Navigabilité' ref. : 2000-320-147(B)
In case of any difficulty, reference should be made to the French original issue.

AIRBUS INDUSTRIE

A319/A320/A321 aircraft

Flight Warning Computer (FWC) E2 standard upgrade (ATA 31)

APPLICABILITY:

AIRBUS INDUSTRIE A319, A320, A321 aircraft, all certified models, all serial number without AIRBUS INDUSTRIE modification 26017 in production or AIRBUS INDUSTRIE Service Bulletin A320-31-1106 in service.

REASON:

Radioaltimeter software anomalies could lead to erroneous position with no alarm detection on aircraft equipped with a FWC at a standard below E2.

ACTIONS:

Before March 31, 2002 replace both FWC in accordance with instructions given in AIRBUS INDUSTRIE Service Bulletin A320-31-1106.

Installation of a FWC standard E3+ in accordance with AIRBUS SB A320-31-1141 is considered as an alternative means of compliance.

REF.: AIRBUS INDUSTRIE Service Bulletin A320-31-1106
AIRBUS INDUSTRIE Service Bulletin A320-31-1141
(or any further approved revision).

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