


EASA	NOTIFICATION OF A PROPOSAL TO ISSUE AN AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE	
	PAD No.: 12-045 Date: 15 May 2012 Note: This Proposed Airworthiness Directive (PAD) is issued by EASA, acting in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 216/2008 on behalf of the European Community, its Member States and of the European third countries that participate in the activities of EASA under Article 66 of that Regulation.	
	In accordance with the EASA Continuing Airworthiness Procedures, the Executive Director is proposing the issuance of an EASA Airworthiness Directive (AD), applicable to the aeronautical product(s) identified below. All interested persons may send their comments, referencing the PAD Number above, to the e-mail address specified in the 'Remarks' section, prior to the consultation closing date indicated.	
Design Approval Holder's Name: AIRBUS		Type/Model designation(s): A310, A300-600 and A300-600ST aeroplanes
TCDS Number: France No. 145 and EASA.A.014		
Foreign AD: Not applicable		
Supersedure: This AD supersedes DGAC France AD F-2005-123 (EASA approval 2005-6070) dated 20 July 2005.		
ATA 05	Time Limits and Maintenance Checks – Certification Maintenance Requirements – ALS Part 3 – Amendment	
Manufacturer(s):	Airbus (formerly Airbus Industrie)	
Applicability:	Airbus A310 and A300-600 aeroplanes, all certified models, all manufacturer serial numbers (MSN), and Airbus A300F4-608ST aeroplanes, all MSN.	
Reason:	<p>The airworthiness limitations for Airbus aeroplanes are currently published in Airworthiness Limitations Section (ALS) documents.</p> <p>The airworthiness limitations applicable to the A300-600 and A300-600ST Certification Maintenance Requirements (CMR) were previously specified in the Airbus A300-600 CMR document referenced AI/ST5/829/85. DGAC France issued AD F-2005-123 (EASA approval 2005-6070) to require compliance to the requirements as specified in this document.</p> <p>Since that AD was issued, the CMR tasks are now specified in Airbus A300-600 ALS Part 3, which is approved by the European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA). The original issue of this document introduces more restrictive maintenance requirements and/or airworthiness limitations. Failure to comply with the maintenance requirements contained in this document could result in an unsafe condition.</p> <p>For A310 aeroplanes, this new AD retains the requirements of DGAC France AD F-2005-123, which is superseded.</p> <p>For A300-600 and A300-600ST aeroplanes, this AD requires the implementation of the instructions and airworthiness limitations as specified in Airbus A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00, approved on 18 April 2012.</p>	

Effective Date:	[TBD: 14 days after final AD issue date]								
Required Action(s) and Compliance Time(s):	<p>Required as indicated, unless accomplished previously:</p> <p>Re-statement of DGAC France AD F-2005-123:</p> <p>(1) Within 2 months after 20 July 2005 [the effective date of DGAC France AD F-2005-123 (B)], comply with all applicable maintenance requirements and associated airworthiness limitations included in A310 CMR document referenced AI/ST5/849/85 Revision 12.</p> <p>New requirements of this AD:</p> <p>(2) For A300-600 and A300-600ST aeroplanes, within the compliance time defined in the Record of Revisions (ROR) pages of the Airbus A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00, accomplish all applicable instructions and airworthiness limitations included by reference in the ROR of the Airbus A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00.</p> <p>(3) Compliance with the requirements of paragraph (1) or (2) of this AD can be demonstrated by:</p> <p>(3.1) Revising as follows the approved Aircraft Maintenance Programme, on the basis of which the operator or the owner ensures the continuing airworthiness of each operated aeroplane: incorporate all instructions and airworthiness limitations specified in Airbus A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00 or A310 CMR document referenced AI/ST5/849/85 Revision 12, as applicable, and that are relevant to the aeroplane,</p> <p>and</p> <p>(3.2) Complying with the approved Aircraft Maintenance Programme described in paragraph (3.1) of this AD.</p> <p>(4) A300-600 Specific task and compliance time:</p> <p>For CMR task 213000-A0001-1-C, first accomplishment must be carried out within the compliance time defined in Table 1 of this AD, as applicable to the aeroplane configuration.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Table 1 – CMR Task 213000-A0001-1-C First Accomplishment Threshold</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Aeroplane configuration, on 18 April 2012 [the approval date of A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00]</th><th>Compliance time</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Aeroplanes which have accumulated less than 40 000 flight hours (FH) since the aeroplane first flight</td><td>Before the accumulation of 40 000 FH after the aeroplane first flight</td></tr> <tr> <td>Aeroplanes which have accumulated 40 000 FH or more since the aeroplane first flight, and on which Ageing Systems Maintenance (ASM) task 213115-04-1 or Maintenance Review Board Report (MRBR) tasks 21.31.00/06 and 21.31.00/08 have been accomplished</td><td>Before the accumulation of 14 000 FH after the last accomplishment of ASM tasks 213115-04-1, or MRBR tasks 21.31.00/06 and 21.31.00/08, whichever occurs later</td></tr> <tr> <td>Aeroplanes which have accumulated 40 000 FH or more since the aeroplane first flight, and on which ASM task 213115-04-1 or MRBR tasks 21.31.00/06 and 21.31.00/08 have not been accomplished</td><td>Within 3 months after 18 April 2012 [the approval date of Airbus A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00]</td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Aeroplane configuration, on 18 April 2012 [the approval date of A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00]	Compliance time	Aeroplanes which have accumulated less than 40 000 flight hours (FH) since the aeroplane first flight	Before the accumulation of 40 000 FH after the aeroplane first flight	Aeroplanes which have accumulated 40 000 FH or more since the aeroplane first flight, and on which Ageing Systems Maintenance (ASM) task 213115-04-1 or Maintenance Review Board Report (MRBR) tasks 21.31.00/06 and 21.31.00/08 have been accomplished	Before the accumulation of 14 000 FH after the last accomplishment of ASM tasks 213115-04-1, or MRBR tasks 21.31.00/06 and 21.31.00/08, whichever occurs later	Aeroplanes which have accumulated 40 000 FH or more since the aeroplane first flight, and on which ASM task 213115-04-1 or MRBR tasks 21.31.00/06 and 21.31.00/08 have not been accomplished	Within 3 months after 18 April 2012 [the approval date of Airbus A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00]
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Ref. Publications:	<p>Airbus A300-600 ALS Part 3 Revision 00, approved by EASA on 18 April 2012.</p> <p>A310 CMR document referenced AI/ST5/849/85 Revision 12, approved by EASA on 03 May 2005 (EASA approval 2005-3973).</p> <p>The use of later approved variations or revisions of these documents is acceptable for compliance with the requirements of this AD.</p>
Remarks:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This Proposed AD will be closed for consultation on 12 June 2012. 2. Enquiries regarding this PAD should be referred to the Safety Information Section, Executive Directorate, EASA. E-mail ADs@easa.europa.eu. 3. For any question concerning the technical content of the requirements in this PAD, please contact: AIRBUS SAS – EIAW (Airworthiness Office, Telephone: + 33 5 61 18 41 39, Fax: + 33 5 61 93 44 51).