## **AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE**

## released by DIRECTION GENERALE DE L'AVIATION CIVILE

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. : 96-132-065(B)
In case of any difficulty, reference should be made to the French original issue.

## **ATR**

## ATR 42 aircraft

Fuselage - Stringer 6 to frame 34 junction

This Airworthiness Directive applies to ATR 42 aircraft models 400 and 500 on which modification 4544 or Service Bulletin ATR 42-53-0103 have not been applied.

In order to prevent cracks initiation and propagation, due to the non-installation of stringer to fuselage junction clips, the following instructions are made mandatory at the effective date of this Airworthiness Directive :

-	Before accumulation of 3000 flights, install stringers 6 to frame 34 junction clips in accordance	with
	the instructions of Service Bulletin ATR 42-53-0103.	

REF.: Service Bulletin ATR 42-53-0103

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