

AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE

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.

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

SICMA AERO SEAT

Cabin attendant seats

Installation of protection plates

1. APPLICABILITY

This Airworthiness Directive applies to SICMA AERO SEAT cabin attendant seats series :

150 - 151 - 160 - 161

all part numbers, all serial numbers.

These attendant seats can be found on AIRBUS INDUSTRIE A319; A320; A321 series aircraft, but not limited to.

2. REASONS

The bottom seat mechanism of the seat has a gap where children can have fingers trapped and injured while trying to unfold the seat.

The aim of this Airworthiness Directive is to render mandatory the installation of plates concealing this gap and thus avoid contact with the bottom folding mechanism.

Revision 1 of this Airworthiness Directive deletes the reference to modification AIRBUS INDUSTRIE 27573 in the note.

3. COMPLIANCE

Before February 1st, 1999, install on each affected cabin attendant seat two protection fairings P/N 160100-49 as per instruction given in paragraph 2 of SICMA AEROSEAT :

- ◊ Service Bulletin 150-25-026 or
- ◊ Service Bulletin 151-25-027 or
- ◊ Service Bulletin 151-25-032 or
- ◊ Service Bulletin 160-25-028 or
- ◊ Service Bulletin 161-25-029.

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and replace the existing identification placard with a new one as per instructions given in paragraph 3 of the applicable service bulletin.

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Note : Alternative means of compliance

For AIRBUS INDUSTRIE aircraft A319, A320, A321 aircraft, accomplishment of AIRBUS INDUSTRIE Service Bulletin A320-25-1208 is accepted as an alternative means of compliance to this Airworthiness Directive.

4. REFERENCES

SICMA AERO SEAT Service Bulletin 150-25-026,
SICMA AERO SEAT Service Bulletin 151-25-027,
SICMA AERO SEAT Service Bulletin 151-25-032,
SICMA AERO SEAT Service Bulletin 160-25-028,
SICMA AERO SEAT Service Bulletin 161-25-029.
AIRBUS INDUSTRIE Service Bulletin A320-25-1208.

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