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	<p style="text-align: center;">No person may operate an aircraft to which an Airworthiness Directive applies, except in accordance with the requirements of that Airworthiness Directive, unless otherwise agreed with the Authority of the State of Registry.</p>			
Corresponding foreign Airworthiness Directive(s): Not applicable		Airworthiness Directive(s) replaced: None		
Person in charge of airworthiness: EADS SOCATA		Type(s): TBM 700 aircraft		
Type certificate(s) No. EASA.A.010 TCDS No EASA.A.010				
ATA chapter: 53	Subject: Fuselage - Rivets inspection at frames C18 BIS and C19			

1. EFFECTIVITY:

This Airworthiness Directive (AD) is applicable to EADS SOCATA TBM700 A, B and C variants, all serial numbers.

2. REASON:

This Airworthiness Directive (AD) was prompted by reports of loose rivets on frames C18 BIS and C19, which could result in a reduced structural integrity of the tail area.

3. MANDATORY ACTIONS AND COMPLIANCE TIMES:

The following measures are rendered mandatory from the effective date of this AD, unless previously accomplished:


3.1. On the next scheduled 100-hour inspection or at the latest on the annual inspection, accomplish a detailed inspection of the area and apply corrective actions as necessary by doing all the applicable actions in accordance with the accomplishment instructions of the Service Bulletin EADS SOCATA in reference.

3.2. Repeat the 3.1 inspections thereafter on each 100-hour inspection or on each annual inspection

These actions must be done in accordance with the manufacturer's technical Publications.

4. REFERENCE PUBLICATION:

Service Bulletin EADS SOCATA TBM 700 n° 70-129 dated June 2005
(Any subsequent approved revision of this document is acceptable).

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5. EFFECTIVE DATE:

August 13, 2005.

6. REMARK:

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7. APPROVAL:

This AD is approved under EASA reference No 2005-6117 dated July 27, 2005.