
AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE

On the effective date specified below, and for the reasons set out in the background section, the CASA delegate whose signature appears below revokes Airworthiness Directive AD/EMY/17.

Emergency Equipment

AD/EMY/17

Life Jackets - Retirement

3/2009

Requirement: CANCELLED.

This AD is cancelled on 12 March 2009.

Background: This unique Australian AD raised in 1981 required removal from service or repair of Beaufort (Air-Sea) Equipment life jackets Mk. 8E manufactured in 1971 as significant percentage of jackets found to be defective on inspection, due to adhesive deterioration.

Compliance was in accordance with a programme acceptable to the Secretary.

As all affected life jackets would have been retired or repaired by now, this AD is considered to be no longer required.



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Delegate of the Civil Aviation Safety Authority

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