

AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE

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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. : 98-073-037(B)
In case of any difficulty, reference should be made to the French original issue.

ATR

ATR 72 aircraft

ROTRON recirculation fan

1/ INVOLVED MATERIAL :

This Airworthiness Directive applies to ATR 72 aircraft models -101, -201, -102, -202, -211, -212 and -212A on which either ATR modification 3214 or modification 3437 (Service Bulletin ATR 72-21-1016) has been embodied and on which ATR modification 4197 (Service Bulletin ATR 72-21-1034) has not been embodied.

2/ ACTIONS :

In order to prevent an important cabin smoke emission, as a consequence of the electrolytic capacitor venting of the ROTRON fan EMI filter circuit, inspect and modify ROTRON fans P/N 011232500 and 011494500 in accordance with the instructions of Service Bulletin ATR 72-21-1048 (ATR modification 8195).

3/ COMPLIANCE TIME :

At the first opportunity and at the latest before December 31, 1998.

4/ REFERENCES :

- Service Bulletin ATR 72-21-1034.
 - Service Bulletin ATR 72-21-1016.
 - Service Bulletin ATR 72-21-1048.
- Original issue or any further approved revision.

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