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AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE

The following airworthiness directive (AD) may be applicable to an aircraft which our records indicate is registered in your name. ADs are issued pursuant to Canadian Aviation Regulation (CAR) 593. Pursuant to CAR 605.84 and the further details of CAR Standard 625, Appendix H, the continuing airworthiness of a Canadian registered aircraft is contingent upon compliance with all applicable ADs. Failure to comply with the requirements of an AD may invalidate the flight authorization of the aircraft. Alternative means of compliance shall be applied for in accordance with CAR 605.84 and the above- referenced Standard.

This AD has been issued by the Continuing Airworthiness Division (AARDG), Aircraft Certification Branch, Transport Canada, Ottawa, telephone (613) 952-4357.

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PART A

Cracks have been found in the tailplane box attach fitting P/N S100-1. On aircraft with fewer than 150 hours total airframe time since Mod. 117 was incorporated, inspect P/N S100-1 before next flight with a 10-power magnifying glass and every subsequent 10 hours until 150 hours total airframe time has been accumulated when the fitting P/N S100-1 shall be replaced by a zero time fitting. The change of fitting to be reported every 150 hours thereafter until a DOT approved modified fitting is available. Report results of inspection prior to first 150 hours to RAI. Aircraft on detachment may be inspected without aid of magnifying glass, and, if no cracking evident, aircraft shall be ferried without passengers to nearest suitable base for inspection as outlined above.

PART B

If skin cracks are evident in tailplane box, consult Found Bros. for interim repair scheme. Ferry flight without passengers may be undertaken with aircraft in which skin cracks in tail plane box are found, providing fitting P/N S100-1 is not cracked.

Pursuant to CAR 202.51 the registered owner of a Canadian aircraft shall, within seven days, notify the Minister in writing of any change of his or her name or address. To request a change of address, contact the Civil Aviation Communications Centre (AARC) at Place de Ville, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N8, or 1-800-305-2059, or <http://www.tc.gc.ca/civilaviation/communications/centre/address.asp>.

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