



Australian Government
Civil Aviation Safety Authority

Instrument number CASA EX148/18

I, PETER MICHAEL WHITE, Executive Manager, Regulatory Services & Surveillance, make this instrument under regulations 11.160 and 11.205 of the *Civil Aviation Safety Regulations 1998*.

[Signed P. White]

Peter White

Executive Manager, Regulatory Services & Surveillance

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CASA EX148/18 — Drug and Alcohol Testing of Cadet Pilots (Rex) Exemption 2018

1 Name

This instrument is *CASA EX148/18 — Drug and Alcohol Testing of Cadet Pilots (Rex) Exemption 2018*.

2 Duration

This instrument:

- (a) commences on 1 November 2018; and
- (b) is repealed at the end of 31 October 2021.

3 Definitions

Note In this instrument certain terms and expressions have the same meaning as they have in the *Civil Aviation Act 1988* and the regulations, including the following terms defined in regulation 99.010 of CASR: **DAMP**, **employee**, **SSAA**, **SSAA employee**.

In this instrument:

AAPA means the Australian Airline Pilot Academy Pty Ltd, ARN 771454.

cadet pilot means a person who:

- (a) is being engaged as a regular SSAA employee by Rex; and
- (b) has completed flying training at the AAPA; and
- (c) when they were most recently subject to drug and alcohol testing done by AAPA under the AAPA DAMP, the testing did not return a positive result in accordance with Part 99 of CASR.

Rex means Regional Express Pty Ltd, ARN 752788.

4 Exemptions

- (1) Rex is exempt from compliance with paragraph 99.050 (2) (a) of CASR, to the extent that the paragraph requires the drug and alcohol testing of a cadet pilot under Rex's DAMP.
- (2) Rex is exempt from compliance with regulations 99.030 and 99.045 of CASR, to the extent that each regulation requires compliance with paragraph 99.050 (2) (a) in relation to the drug and alcohol testing of a cadet pilot under Rex's DAMP.

5 Conditions

It is a condition of each exemption mentioned in section 4 that Rex must:

- (a) obtain a written statement from AAPA that:
 - (i) the cadet pilot has not returned a positive result from their most recent drug and alcohol testing done by AAPA under the AAPA DAMP in accordance with Part 99 of CASR; and
 - (ii) specifies the date the cadet pilot was tested; and
 - (b) be satisfied on reasonable grounds that the most recent AAPA drug and alcohol testing of the cadet pilot was conducted within the 24 months before the date the cadet pilot is engaged as a regular SSAA employee by Rex; and
 - (c) include a copy of this instrument in its DAMP by 14 November 2018.
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