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April 29, 2026

Dustin Meadows
Accountable Manager
Cargo Repair LLC (7CGR)
2520 Ridgemar Court
Louisville, Kentucky 40299

Mr. Meadows:

The Louisville Flight Standards District Office (FSDO) has received your request to amend Operations Specifications (OpSpec) paragraphs A001, A002, A003, A004, A007, A025, and A0449 on April 27, 2026. The following OpSpec paragraphs have been amended and sent to you for your signature:

- A001 Issuance and Applicability
- A002 Definitions and Abbreviations
- A003 Ratings and Limitations
- A004 Summary of Special Authorizations and Limitations
- A007 Designated Persons
- A025 Electronic/Digital Recordkeeping System, Electronic/Digital Signature, and Electronic Media
- A449 Drug and Alcohol Testing Program

The following steps are required:

1. Sign the OpSpec paragraphs and scan back to me at Benjamin.p.vost@faa.gov
2. Retain copies of the signed OpSpec paragraphs.

Attached you will find a copy of the final product for your use and records. If you have any questions, please contact me at 502-260-0732 or Benjamin.p.vost@faa.gov.

Sincerely,

**BENJAMIN P
VOST**

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Benjamin P. Vost
Aviation Safety Inspector

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A001 . Issuance and Applicability

HQ Control: 05/10/2024

HQ Revision: 05g

a. These operations specifications are issued to CARGO REPAIR LLC, a Repair Station located in the United States, pursuant to 14 CFR Part 145, § 145.53(a). The repair station certificate holder shall conduct operations in accordance with 14 CFR Part 145 and these operations specifications.

The certificate holder's address:

Fixed Location:
2520 Ridgemoor Court
Louisville, Kentucky 40299

b. The holder of these operations specifications is the holder of certificate number 7CGR879B and shall hereafter be referred to as the "certificate holder".

c. These operations specifications are issued as part of this repair station certificate and are in effect as of the date approval is effective. This certificate and these operations specifications shall remain in effect until the certificate for a repair station that is located in the United States is surrendered, suspended, or revoked.

d. The repair station specified on these operations specifications performs maintenance and/or an alteration of aircraft and/or aeronautical products under a Bilateral Aviation Safety Agreement (BASA).

e. The certificate holder is authorized to use only the business name which appears on the certificate to conduct the operations described in subparagraph a.

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2. These Operations Specifications are approved by direction of the Administrator.



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Dustin Meadows, Accountable Manager

5-1-2026

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A002. Definitions and Abbreviations

HQ Control: 12/14/2017

HQ Revision: 05d

Unless otherwise defined in these operations specifications, all words, phrases, definitions, and abbreviations have identical meanings to those used in 14 CFR and 49 U.S.C., as cited in Public Law 103-272, as amended. Additionally, the definitions listed below are applicable to operations conducted in accordance with these operations specifications.

BASA	The Bilateral Aviation Safety Agreement (BASA) is an executive agreement concluded between the United States and a foreign country for the purpose of promoting aviation safety; also known as an Agreement for the Promotion of Aviation Safety.
Certificate Holder	In these operations specifications, the term "certificate holder" means the holder of the repair station certificate described in these operations specifications in Part A paragraph A001 and any of its officers, employees, or agents used in the conduct of operations under this certificate.
CAAS	Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
Class Rating	As used with respect to the certification, ratings, privileges of airframes, powerplants, propellers, radios, instruments, and accessories within a category having similar operating characteristics.
EASA	European Aviation Safety Agency
EASA Accountable Manager	The manager who has corporate authority for ensuring that all maintenance required by the customer can be financed and carried out to the standard required by the EASA full-member Authority.
EU	European Union
Exemption	An authorization that permits an alternate means of compliance with a specific CFR. The exemption must meet the procedural requirements of 14 CFR Part 11.
FOCA	Federal Office of Civil Aviation
FAA Accountable Manager	A person designated by the certificated repair station who is responsible for and has authority over all repair station operations that are conducted under 14 CFR Part 145, including ensuring that the repair station's personnel follow the regulations and serving as the primary contact with the FAA.

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Geographic Authorization	Authorization provided to a repair station located outside the United States to perform maintenance support under contract for a U.S. air carrier (or an operator of U.S.- registered aircraft under 14 CFR Part 129) at a location other than the repair station's main facility. A geographic authorization is issued by the FAA to respond to a U.S. air carrier's or Part 129 foreign operator's need for maintenance at a station where the frequency and scope of that maintenance does not warrant permanently staffing and equipping the station for its accomplishment.
Limited Rating	A rating issued to repair stations for the performance of maintenance on particular makes and models of airframes, powerplants, propellers, radios, instruments, accessories, and/or parts.
Limited Ratings - Specialized Services	Rating issued for a special maintenance function when the function is performed in accordance with a specification approved by the Administrator.
Line Maintenance	Any unscheduled maintenance resulting from unforeseen events, or scheduled checks where certain servicing and/or inspections do not require specialized training, equipment, or facilities.
MAG	The Maintenance Annex Guidance (MAG) defines the process that the FAA and EASA undertake in the inspection, findings of compliance certification, and monitoring of repair stations, as well as their joint cooperation in quality assurance and standardization activities in support of the EASA Agreement, Annex 2, Maintenance. The term Maintenance Agreement Guidance (MAG) defines the processes and activities applicable to a specific country under an MIP, and is not associated with the EASA Agreement.
Maintenance	The inspection, overhaul, repair, preservation, and replacement of parts, but excludes preventive maintenance.
U.S./EU Aviation Safety Agreement, Annex 2, Maintenance	Annex 2 covers the reciprocal acceptance of findings of compliance, approvals, documentation and technical assistance regarding approvals and the monitoring of repair stations/maintenance organizations.
MIP	Maintenance Implementation Procedures (MIP) are procedures for implementing the provisions of a BASA that apply to maintenance performed under 14 CFR Part 145, Section 145.53(b).
MOE	A maintenance organization exposition (MOE) pertains to procedural manuals used by maintenance organizations certificated by a foreign country. The MOE along with the FAA Supplement, sets forth the structure and procedures of the repair station to meet the requirements of 14 CFR Part 145 under a MIP.
Preventive Maintenance	As defined in 14 CFR part 1 and part 43 appendix A, subparagraph (c).

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QCM

Quality Control Manual

**Repair Station located
in the United States**

A FAA certificated repair station located in the United States.

**Repair Station located
outside the United
States**

A FAA certificated repair station located outside of the United States.

RSM

Repair Station Manual

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A003. Ratings and Limitations

HQ Control: 04/03/2017

HQ Revision: 01a

The certificate holder is authorized the following Ratings and/or Limitations:

Class Ratings

None authorized

Limited Ratings

<u>Rating</u>	<u>Manufacturer</u>	<u>Make/Model</u>	<u>Limitations</u>
Airframe	From the accepted Capability List, as amended.	From the accepted Capability List, as amended.	Maintenance, Preventative Maintenance
Accessories	From the accepted Capability List, as amended.	From the accepted Capability List, as amended.	Maintenance, Preventative Maintenance
Nondestructive Inspection, Testing, and Processing	From the Capability List, as amended.	From the Capability List, as amended.	Visual - Visual inspection: Per Capabilities List as amended.
	From the Capability List, as amended.	From the Capability List, as amended.	Magnetic Particle: In accordance with ASTM E1444/E1444M as revised, or manufacturer's instructions
	From the Capability List, as amended.	From the Capability List, as amended.	Liquid Penetrant: In accordance with ASTM E1417/1417M as revised, or manufacturer's instructions.

Limited Ratings - Specialized Services

<u>Rating</u>	<u>Specifications</u>	<u>Limitations</u>
None Authorized		

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A007. Designated Persons

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HQ Revision: 03a

a. The personnel listed in the following table are designated to officially apply for and receive operations specifications for the certificate holder indicated below.

Table 1 – Designated Persons to Apply for and Receive Authorizations

Title	Name	Parts Authorized	Email Address
FAA Accountable Manager, 145 / Accountable Manager	Meadows, Dustin	A	dmeadows@cargo-repair.com
Vice President	Thompson, David Brandon	A	bthompson@cargo-repair.com
Chief Inspector / Chief Inspector	Canuel, Steven	A	scanuel@cargo-repair.com

b. The following personnel listed in Table 2 are designated by the certificate holder to receive Information for Operators (InFO) messages for the certificate holder as indicated below. A receipt for the information by an operator or person is not required.

Table 2 – Designated to Receive InFO Messages

Name	Email Address	Telephone No.	Type of Information to Receive
Meadows, Dustin	dmeadows@cargo-repair.com	502-498-0312	ALL
Thompson, David Brandon	bthompson@cargo-repair.com	502-526-0518	ALL
Canuel, Steven	scanuel@cargo-repair.com	502-345-7459	ALL

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**A025. Electronic/Digital Recordkeeping System, Electronic/Digital
Signature, and Electronic Media**

HQ Control: 04/03/2017

HQ Revision: 00b

a. The certificate holder is authorized to use an acceptable electronic/digital recordkeeping system, described and/or referenced in this paragraph (if none, enter N/A.)

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b. The certificate holder is authorized the use of the following electronic/digital signature procedures (if none, enter "N/A").

N/A

c. The certificate holder is authorized to use electronic media for the repair station and quality control manuals, if acceptable (if none, enter "N/A").

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A449. Drug and Alcohol Testing Program

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- a. The 14 CFR Part 145 repair station certificate holder has implemented a drug and alcohol testing program because the certificate holder performs safety-sensitive functions for a 14 CFR Part 121, 121/135, and/or 135 certificate holder, and/or for a 14 CFR Part 91 operator conducting operations under § 91.147.
- b. The certificate holder certifies that it will comply with the requirements of 14 CFR Part 120 and 49 CFR Part 40 for its drug and alcohol testing program.
- c. Drug and alcohol testing program records are maintained and available for inspection by the FAA's Drug Abatement Compliance and Enforcement Inspectors at the location listed in Table 1 below:

Table 1

Location & Telephone of Drug and Alcohol Testing Program Records	
Telephone Number:	A1 502.526.0518
Address:	2520 Ridgemar Court
Address:	N/A
City:	Louisville
State:	Kentucky
Zip code:	40299

d. Limitations and Provisions.

(1) The FAA's Drug Abatement Division is responsible for oversight and enforcement of the DOT/FAA-mandated drug and alcohol testing program. Questions regarding the program requirements or regulations must be directed to the Drug Abatement Division at 202-267-8442 or drugabatement@faa.gov.

(2) The certificate holder is responsible for updating this operations specification when any of the following changes occur:

(a) Phone number and address where the drug and alcohol testing program records are kept.

(b) If the certificate holder's number of safety-sensitive employees goes to 50 and above, or falls below 50 safety-sensitive employees.

(3) The certificate holder with 50 or more employees performing a safety-sensitive function on January 1 of the calendar year must submit an annual report to the Drug Abatement Division of the FAA.

(4) The certificate holder with fewer than 50 employees performing a safety-sensitive function on January 1 of any calendar year must submit an annual report upon request of the Administrator.

e. The certificate holder has fewer than 50 safety-sensitive employees.

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