



6 April 2010

MEMORANDUM FOR REGION AND WING COMMANDERS

SUBJECT: NATIONAL CHECK PILOT STANDARDIZATION COURSE

As requested and approved by the National Board, the Standards and Evaluation Advisory Team has developed an online National Check Pilot Standardization Course (NCPSC) to replace the former ground based course. The new course is comprised of five modules, which include an overview of CAPR 60-1; an interactive pilot judgment course from AOPA; Evaluations (Knowledge, Skills, and Attitudes), Special Emphasis Items, and a video on Check Pilot Techniques for both Mission Check Pilots and Form-5 Check Pilots.

Although, face-to-face meetings are no longer required under the new program, the value of such meetings, along with the ability to network, is of great importance to an effective and safe process. I highly recommend they continue, if logistically possible.

I recognize that some wings have already scheduled their traditional check pilot schools and developed their curriculum. For that reason I have chosen to implement a soft start for this new online program. The new NCPSC will become an option on 1 May and then mandatory on 1 October 2010. The new CAPF 5 will also become active with the 1 May implementation.

Thanks, as always, for your service to CAP.

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