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**SAFETY BULLETIN - 09/2020**

Attn: The State of Kuwait AOC &amp; POC Holders

**SUBJ.: COCKPIT VOICE RECORDERS (CVR)**

This Safety Bulletin is as a result of an unintended consequence of the COVID-19 global pandemic where aircraft, intended for delivery in 2020, will only receive their Certificate of Airworthiness after 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021, the date in which the future equipage requirements for twenty-five hour (25Hrs) Cockpit Voice Recorder (CVR) recordings are mandated. The pandemic has negatively impacted the ability to adhere to those dates.

In this regard, the Kuwait DGCA has extended the date of compliance of all aeroplanes of a maximum certificated take-off mass over 27,000kg for which the individual Certificate of Airworthiness is first issued on or after 1<sup>st</sup> January 2022 shall be equipped with a CVR which shall retain the information recorded during at least the last **twenty-five hours (25Hrs)** of its operation.

This amendment will be reflected in the KCASR at a later Stage. The Kuwait DGCA highly appreciates all our Operators continuous support and we will keep you updated with further instruction when needed.

Sincerely,

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