



Lufttüchtigkeitsanweisung (LTA) Consigne de Navigabilité (CN) Direttive sulla Navigabilità (DN) Airworthiness Directive (AD)		FOCA AD HB-2012-003
Inkraftsetzung Mise en vigueur Entrata in vigore Effective Date	30 July 2012	Pilatus – PC-9 FOCA TC/TCDS No: F 56-22

**Superseded by
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ATA Chapter: ATA 05 – Time Limits / Maintenance Checks

Subject: **Time Limits / Maintenance Checks – Airworthiness Limitations – Amendment**

Supersedure / Revised AD(s): Not applicable

Type Certificate Holder's Name: Pilatus Aircraft Ltd.

Manufacturer(s): Pilatus Aircraft Ltd.

Applicability: Models PC-9, PC-9/A, PC-9/B and PC-9/F aircraft, all Manufacturer Serial Numbers (MSN).

Reason: This Airworthiness Directive (AD) is prompted by changes to the Airworthiness Limitations Section (ALS) of the Aircraft Maintenance Manual (AMM), which adds life-limits, revises life-limits or adds inspections not previously identified.

These documents include the maintenance instructions and/or airworthiness limitations developed by Pilatus Aircraft Ltd. and approved by FOCA. Failure to comply with these instructions and limitations could potentially lead to unsafe condition.

For the reasons described above, this AD requires the implementation and the compliance with these new or more restrictive maintenance requirements and/or airworthiness limitations.

Required Action(s) and Compliance Time(s): Required as indicated below, unless already accomplished:

(1) Within the next 30 days after the effective date of this AD, comply with all applicable maintenance requirements and associated airworthiness limitations specified in the Pilatus PC-9 Airworthiness Limitation Section (ALS) page blocks 05-05-00 and 05-05-01 at revision 31 May 2012 or later approved issue, of the Aircraft Maintenance Manual (AMM) report n°01834.

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(2) Compliance with the requirements of paragraph (1) of this AD can be demonstrated by:

(2.1) Revising as follows, unless accomplished previously, the approved Aircraft Maintenance Programme from which the Operator or the Owner ensures the continuing airworthiness of each operated aircraft:

Incorporate applicable maintenance requirements and associated airworthiness limitations specified in the Pilatus PC-9 Airworthiness Limitation Section (ALS) page blocks 05-05-00 and 05-05-01 at revision 31 May 2012 or later approved issue, of the Aircraft Maintenance Manual (AMM) report n°01834,

and

(2.2) Complying with the approved Aircraft Maintenance Programme described in paragraph (2.1) of this AD.

Ref. Publication(s): PILATUS PC-9, AMM report n°01834 at revision 31 May 2012

The use of later approved revisions of this document is acceptable for compliance with the requirements of this AD.

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