Notification of Proposed Amendment for DCP 2024-035: Amendments to DASR 21 for incorporation of Operational Suitability Data (OSD)

DASA wishes to advise NPA to DCP 2024-035: Amendments to DASR 21 for Incorporation of Operational Suitability Data (OSD) has been published for external consultation and welcomes responses from the wider Defence aviation community prior to 20 Dec 24.

In the effort to align DASR 21 with EMAR 21, DASA is proposing to incorporate Operational Suitability Data (OSD) regulations, AMC, and GM into DASR 21. OSD provides a key input into aviation safety by ensuring the data required to safely operate an aircraft is available on introduction into service. This proposal will require future applicants for an MTC to submit a Master Minimum Equipment List (MMEL) as part of the OSD for DASA approval. This proposal does not mandate provision of other elements of OSD, however these elements may be incorporated within a certification program if deemed applicable.

NPA 2024-035 is available from the DASA Policy Development Webpage

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