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ANNOUNCEMENT OF AVAILABILITY

1. PURPOSE. This circular provides information concerning how to obtain the latest edition of subject publication.
2. CANCELLATION. Advisory Circular 39-6J dated March 7, 1984, is canceled.
3. BACKGROUND. An Airworthiness Directive (AD) contains information regarding an unsafe condition which exists in an aircraft, aircraft engine, propeller, or appliance when that condition is likely to exist or develop in other products of the same type design. No person may operate a product to which an AD applies except in accordance with the requirements of that AD. AD's are summarized and published in both paper copy and microfiche editions.
4. DESCRIPTION OF PAPER COPY EDITION.
 - a. AD summaries are published in two volumes. Volume I relates to small aircraft of 12,500 pounds or less maximum certificated takeoff weight. Volume II relates to large aircraft of more than 12,500 pounds maximum certificated takeoff weight.
 - b. AD's applicable to engines, propellers, and other aeronautical products are contained in the respective small or large aircraft volume.
 - c. Each volume consists of two books. Book 1 contains AD's issued prior to 1971. These AD's will remain in effect until otherwise suspended, revoked, or amended. If an AD from Book 1 is amended, it will appear as a supplement to Book 2. Once purchased, Book 1 should be retained indefinitely. Book 2 contains AD's issued during and after 1971. Biweekly supplements of the AD activity are provided for a 2-year period to update Book 2.
 - d. Each book is divided into seven major subjects (aircraft, engine, propeller, equipment, instrument, radio, and general). Within each subject, AD's are listed alphabetically by the manufacturers' or type certificate (TC) holders' names. A single index covering both books is provided with Book 2. The index is prepared in two parts. The first part is a numerical listing of all AD's. The second part is a subject index listing AD's in the same sequential order in which the books are arranged.

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e. Each of the four summary books may be purchased separately. The book titles and contents are:

(1) Book 1, Volume I - Summary of Airworthiness Directives for Small Aircraft. (AD's issued prior to 1971.) Current edition published 1982.

(2) Book 1, Volume II - Summary of Airworthiness Directives for Large Aircraft. (AD's issued prior to 1971.) Current edition published 1982.

(3) Book 2, Volume I - Summary of Airworthiness Directives for Small Aircraft. (AD's issued during and after 1971.) Current edition published 1984.

(4) Book 2, Volume II - Summary of Airworthiness Directives for Large Aircraft. (AD's issued during and after 1971.) Current edition published 1984.

f. New subscribers for the paper copy edition should be aware that full AD coverage can only be obtained by utilizing both books (1&2).

g. Paper copies of Book 1 (Volumes I and II) are sold without subscriptions as single sale items. Because of infrequent changes to the older AD's contained in Book 1, changes will only be incorporated by publishing new/revised editions.

h. Paper copies of Book 2 (Volumes I and II) are sold by subscription only. Subscription service includes the basic summary book and biweekly supplements for a 2-year period. The AD subscription period begins with May of each even-numbered year and ends with April, 24 months later. The current subscription period extends from May 1984 through April 1986. Subscription service begins with biweekly supplements of the current AD activity. Subscribers will receive the summary book, index, and back issues of biweekly supplements approximately 6 weeks after receiving the first biweekly issue. The index is updated and reissued each 6 months as part of the Book 2 subscription.

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