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Subject: ANNOUNCEMENT OF AVAILABILITY: FLIGHT STANDARDS SERVICE AIRMAN TESTING AND TRAINING INFORMATION	**Date:** 4/18/96 **Initiated by:** AFS-630	**AC No:** 60-26 **Change:**

1. PURPOSE. This advisory circular transmits information on accessing the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Flight Standards Service sector of the FedWorld electronic bulletin board system and provides guidance in use of this bulletin board system. The Flight Standards Service sector of FedWorld contains airman certification knowledge and skill testing information critical to flight safety.

2. BACKGROUND. The Regulatory Support Division, AFS-600, has an agreement to provide information on FedWorld through the National Technical Information Service (NTIS), an agency of the U.S. Department of Commerce. There is no charge for the public to access this bulletin board. However, normal long-distance telephone connect charges will be the responsibility of the public.

3. INFORMATION.

    a. The FedWorld Information System may be accessed via modem or via the internet, 24 hours a day, 7 days per week. For technical assistance regarding computer software and modem requirements, contact the FedWorld help desk at (703) 487-4223 from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. EDT, Monday through Friday.

    b. The Flight Standards Service files relating to airman testing and flight training materials are located in the Library: FAA-ATT. To connect to the FAA-ATT Library in FedWorld:

    (1) By Modem:

        Set modem parity to none, data bits to 8, and stop bit to 1. Set terminal emulation to ANSI. Set duplex to full. Dial FedWorld at (703) 321-3339

        At main menu: U - Utilities
                              F - File libraries
                              S - Select a library
                              FAA-ATT - at this point, you are in the FAA-ATT library

    (2) By Internet:

        Telnet access via internet:
            fedworld.gov
            then follow above "By Modem:" instructions "At main menu:"

        FTP site access via internet:
            ftp://ftp.fedworld.gov/pub/faa-att/faa-att.htm

World wide web:
    http://www.fedworld.gov
    THEN click "Go to the FedWorld Telnet Site"
        Select (1) FedWorld, sign on, then follow "By Modem:" instructions "At main menu:"
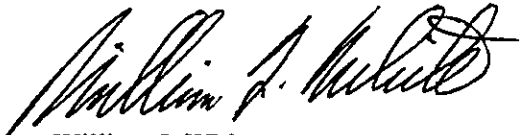
    OR "Go to the FedWorld FTP site"
        Scroll to Federal Aviation Administration, then select FAA-ATT

c. The listing of Flight Standards Service airman information maintained in the FedWorld Information System is available by reviewing the file CERT_LST in the FAA-ATT Library.

d. This information is useful to those airman students and their instructors in preparing for airman certification testing. The subject matter codes listing for the knowledge tests describes the specific reference from which each test item was developed. The references listed in each task of the practical test standards indicate the specific publications used to develop the skill standards. This testing information comprises the FAA's standards for airman certification.

e. The computer testing supplements are not maintained in FedWorld because of the nature of the graphics. These supplements as well as other training material may be obtained through the U.S. Government Printing Office in Washington, DC, telephone (202) 512-1800, fax (202) 512-2250; mailing address: New Orders, Superintendent of Documents, P.O. Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954; or through U.S. Government bookstores.

4. **RESPONSIBILITY.** AFS-600 is the prime office of responsibility for the airman information located in the FAA-ATT Library, and will ensure the information maintained is timely and accurate.

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