# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

# Air Agency Certificate

Number 9APR710Y

This certificate is issued to

AIRCO PLATING COMPANY, INC.

whose business address is 3650 NORTHWEST 46TH STREET MIAMI, FL 33142

upon finding that its organization complies in all respects with the requirements of the Federal Aviation Regulations relating to the establishment of an Air Agency, and is empowered to operate an approved REPAIR STATION

with the following ratings:

LIMITED SPECIALIZED SERVICES
LIMITED NONDESTRUCTIVE INSPECTION, TESTING AND PROCESSING (01/04/2012)
LIMITED LANDING GEAR COMPONENTS (11/19/2014)
LIMITED AIRFRAME (04/18/2018)
LIMITED ACCESSORIES (04/18/2018)

This certificate, unless canceled, suspended, or provoked,

shall continue in effect INDEFINITELY

By direction of the Administrator

Date issued:

**DECEMBER 13, 2007** 

SERGIO DOPEZ
MANAGER, SOU/THIFLORIDA FSDO SO-19

This Certificate is not Transferable, and any major change in the basic facilities, de in the location thereof, shall be immediately reported to the appropriate regional office of the federal aviation administration

Any alteration of this certificate is punishable by a fine of not exceeding \$1,000, or imprisonment not exceeding 3 years, or both

# Operations Specifications

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# A001 . Issuance and Applicability

HQ Control: 02/11/2016

Certificate No.: 9APR710Y

**HQ** Revision:

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a. These operations specifications are issued to AIRCO PLATING COMPANY, INC., a Repair Station located in the United States, pursuant to 14 CFR Part 145, § 145.53. The repair station certificate holder shall conduct operations in accordance with 14 CFR Part 145 and these operations specifications.

The certificate holder's address:

Fixed Location: 3650 NW 46th Street Miami, Florida 33142

- b. The holder of these operations specifications is the holder of certificate number 9APR710Y and shall hereafter be referred to as the "certificate holder".
- c. These operations specifications are issued as part of this repair station certificate and are in effect as of the date approval is effective. This certificate and these operations specifications shall remain in effect until the certificate for a repair station that is located in the United States is surrendered, suspended, or revoked.
- d. The repair station specified on these operations specifications and located within the United States performs maintenance and/or an alteration of aircraft and/or aeronautical products to be installed on aircraft under the terms and conditions of the U.S./EU Safety Agreement, Annex 2, Maintenance, between the FAA and the EU.
- e. The certificate holder is authorized to use only the business name which appears on the certificate to conduct the operations described in subparagraph a.

Delegated authorities: None

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1. Issued by the Federal Aviation Administration.

2. These Operations Specifications are approved by direction of the Administrator.



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3. I hereby accept and receive the Operations Specifications in this paragraph.

King, Michael, FAA Accountable Manager, 145

Date

4/26/2018

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A002 . Definitions and Abbreviations

HQ Control: 12/14/2017

**HQ** Revision:

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Unless otherwise defined in these operations specifications, all words, phrases, definitions, and abbreviations have identical meanings to those used in 14 CFR and 49 U.S.C., as cited in Public Law 103-272, as amended. Additionally, the definitions listed below are applicable to operations conducted in accordance with these operations specifications.

BASA

The Bilateral Aviation Safety Agreement (BASA) is an executive agreement concluded between the United States and a foreign country for the purpose of promoting aviation safety; also known as an Agreement for the Promotion of Aviation Safety.

Certificate Holder

In these operations specifications, the term "certificate holder" means the holder of the repair station certificate described in these operations specifications in Part A paragraph A001 and any of its officers, employees, or agents used in the conduct of operations under this certificate.

CAAS

Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore

CFR

Code of Federal Regulations

Class Rating

As used with respect to the certification, ratings, privileges of airframes, powerplants, propellers, radios, instruments, and accessories within a category having similar operating characteristics.

**EASA** 

European Aviation Safety Agency

EASA Accountable

Manager

The manager who has corporate authority for ensuring that all maintenance required by the customer can be financed and carried out to the standard required by the EASA full-member Authority.

EU

European Union

Exemption

An authorization that permits an alternate means of compliance with a specific CFR. The exemption must meet the procedural requirements of 14 CFR Part 11.

**FOCA** 

Federal Office of Civil Aviation

FAA Accountable Manager

A person designated by the certificated repair station who is responsible for and has authority over all repair station operations that are conducted under 14 CFR Part 145, including ensuring that the repair station's personnel follow the regulations and serving as the primary contact with the FAA.

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# Geographic Authorization

Authorization provided to a repair station located outside the United States to perform maintenance support under contract for a U.S. air carrier (or an operator of U.S.- registered aircraft under 14 CFR Part 129) at a location other than the repair station's main facility. A geographic authorization is issued by the FAA to respond to a U.S. air carrier's or Part 129 foreign operator's need for maintenance at a station where the frequency and scope of that maintenance does not warrant permanently staffing and equipping the station for its accomplishment.

# **Limited Rating**

A rating issued to repair stations for the performance of maintenance on particular makes and models of airframes, powerplants, propellers, radios, instruments, accessories, and/or parts.

# Limited Ratings -Specialized Services

Rating issued for a special maintenance function when the function is performed in accordance with a specification approved by the Administrator.

#### Line Maintenance

Any unscheduled maintenance resulting from unforeseen events, or scheduled checks where certain servicing and/or inspections do not require specialized training, equipment, or facilities.

#### MAG

The Maintenance Annex Guidance (MAG) defines the process that the FAA and EASA undertake in the inspection, findings of compliance certification, and monitoring of repair stations, as well as their joint cooperation in quality assurance and standardization activities in support of the EASA Agreement, Annex 2, Maintenance. The term Maintenance Agreement Guidance (MAG) defines the processes and activities applicable to a specific country under an MIP, and is not associated with the EASA Agreement.

#### Maintenance

The inspection, overhaul, repair, preservation, and replacement of parts, but excludes preventive maintenance.

# U.S./EU Aviation Safety Agreement, Annex 2, Maintenance

Annex 2 covers the reciprocal acceptance of findings of compliance, approvals, documentation and technical assistance regarding approvals and the monitoring of repair stations/maintenance organizations.

## MIP

Maintenance Implementation Procedures (MIP) are procedures for implementing the provisions of a BASA that apply to maintenance performed under 14 CFR Part 145, Section 145.53(b).

#### MOE

A maintenance organization exposition (MOE) pertains to procedural manuals used by maintenance organizations certificated by a foreign country. The MOE along with the FAA Supplement, sets forth the structure and procedures of the repair station to meet the requirements of 14 CFR Part 145 under a MIP.

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Preventive

As defined in 14 CFR part 1 and part 43 appendix A,

Maintenance

subparagraph (c).

**QCM** 

Quality Control Manual

Repair Station located in the United States

A FAA certificated repair station located in the United States.

Repair Station located

outside the United

A FAA certificated repair station located outside of the United States.

States

**RSM** 

Repair Station Manual

1. Issued by the Federal Aviation Administration.

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Date

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# A003 . Ratings and Limitations

HQ Control: 04/03/2017

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The certificate holder is authorized the following Ratings and/or Limitations:

# **Class Ratings**

None Authorized

# **Limited Ratings**

Rating	<b>Manufacturer</b>	Make/Model	Limitations
Nondestructive Inspection, Testing, and Processing	All Manufacturers	All Make/Models	Limited to:  1. Magnetic Particle Inspection per ASTM E 1444, as revised.  2. Boeing SOPM 20-20- 01 and 20-20-02, as revised.  3. Boeing NDT Standard Practices Manual MDC 93KO393, Section 7, as revised  4. Messier-Dowty Spec PCS-3100 Magnetic Particle Inspection, as revised.  5. Liquid Penetrant Inspection in accordance with ASTM-E1417. as revised.  6. Messier-Dowty Liquid Penetrant Specification PCS 3002 and PCS 3200, as revised
Landing Gear Components	All Landing Gear Manufacturers	All Landing Gear Make/Models	The scope of work is limited to the specifications itemized in this OpSpec under Limited Ratings - Specialized Services.
Airframe	All Airframe Manufacturers	All Airframe Make/Models	The scope of work is

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Rating	Manufacturer	Make/Model	<b>Limitations</b>
	requiring the use of the	requiring the use of the	limited to the
	Specialized Service	Specialized Service	specifications itemized
	Specifications itemized in this	Specifications itemized in this	in this OpSpec under
	OpSpec under Limited Ratings	OpSpec under Limited Ratings	Limited Ratings -
	- Specialized Services	- Specialized Services	Specialized Services.
Accessories	All Accessory Manufacturers	All Accessory Make/Models	The scope of work is
	requiring the use of the	requiring the use of the	limited to the
	Specialized Service	Specialized Service	specifications itemized
	Specifications itemized in this	Specifications itemized in this	in this OpSpec under
	OpSpec under Limited Ratings	OpSpec under Limited Ratings	Limited Ratings -
	- Specialized Services	- Specialized Services	Specialized Services.

# **Limited Ratings - Specialized Services**

Rating	Specifications	Limitations
Stripping Specification Boeing	20-30-02, as revised	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification.
Stripping Specification Military	MIL-STD-871, as revised	
Plating	AMS 2400, as revised AMS 2401, as revised AMS 2403, as revised AMS 2404, as revised AMS 2405, as revised AMS 2406, as revised AMS 2410, as revised AMS 2410, as revised AMS 2416, as revised AMS 2416, as revised AMS 2424, as revised AMS 2424, as revised AMS 2438, as revised AMS 2460, as revised AMS-QQ-P-416, as revised AMS-QQ-P-416, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-42-01, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-42-03, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-42-05, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-42-09, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-42-09, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-10-01, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-10-02, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-10-02, as revised Boeing SOPM 20-10-5, as	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification.

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## **Specifications**

## Limitations

revised

Boeing SOPM 20-10-6, as

revised

Boeing SOPM 20-10-8, as

revised

Boeing SOPM 20-10-18, as

revised

Boeing SOPM 20-10-28, as

revised

Boeing SOPM 20-10-29, as

revised

Boeing SOPM 20-10-30, as

revised

MIL-STD-868, as revised

Dowty DCMP 138, as revised

Messier-Dowty 20-00-10,

section 2, 3, and 4, as revised

Messier-Dowty Spec PCS-

2100, as revised

Messier-Dowty Spec PCS-

2101, as revised

Messier-Dowty Spec PCS-

2110, as revised

Messier-Dowty Spec PCS-

2120, as revised

Airbus Spec PMS 01-02-02,

as revised

## Metal Processing

AMS 2649, as revised

McDonell Douglas OHM 20- Military Specification.

10-02, as revised

AMS 2430 Shot Peening, as

revised

Messier-Dowty Spec PCS-2300 Shot Peening, as revised

Passivation Specification

MIL-S-5002, as revised

ASTM A-967, as revised

AMS 2700, as revised

Boeing SOPM 20-10-23, as

revised

Etch Inspection

Boeing SOPM 20-10-31, as

revised

MIL-STD-867, as revised

MIL-DTL-5002, as revised

Messier-Dowty Spec PCS-

3600

Boeing Shot Peening SOPM

20-10-03, as revised

Boeing Shot peening SOPM

20-10-10, as revised

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Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or

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Rating	<b>Specifications</b>	<u>Limitations</u>
Machining (Hard chrome Grinding)	Boeing Specifications: SOPM 20-10-04, as revised SOPM 20-10-01, as revised SOPM 20-10-02, as revised	Repair limitations as contained in the referenced Civil or Military Specification.
	SOPM 20-10-5, as revised SOPM 20-10-6, as revised SOPM 20-10-29, as revised	Machining/Grinding in accordance with FAA acceptable technical data that does not reference a civil or military specification is authorized.
	Messier-Dowty ITC 40-521- 02MDE, as revised Messier-Dowty PCS 4100, as	
	revised Messier-Dowty PCS DCMP- 126, as revised	
	Dowty PS 1004-4-1, as revised	
	MIL-STD-866, as revised	

1. The Certificate Holder applies for the Operations in this paragraph.

2. These Operations Specifications are approved by direction of the Administrator.



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3. I hereby accept and receive the Operations Specifications in this paragraph.

King, Michael, FAA Accountable Manager, 145

Date

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A003-4 Amdt. No: 12

Operations Specifications Summary of Special Authorizations and Limitations **HQ Control:** 9/23/1998 **HQ** Revision: 010 a. The certificate holder, in accordance with the reference paragraphs, is authorized to: Reference Paragraphs Conduct operations choosing to have an antidrug and alcohol misuse prevention A449 program. b. The certificate holder is not authorized and shall not: Use Exemptions. A005 Use an approved electronic recordkeeping system, electronic/digital signature, and/or A025 electronic media. Perform maintenance with NAA ratings where the scope of work is authorized by a A060 BASA/MIP. Perform work, including continuous operations, at additional locations other than at its A101 primary fixed location. Perform maintenance in accordance with foreign repair station geographic B050 authorizations. Perform work, excluding continuous operations, at additional locations other than at its D100 primary Fixed Location. Perform line maintenance for cert. holders conducting operations under Parts 121 and D107 135 and for foreign carriers/persons operating U.S. registered aircraft in common carriage under Part 129, apart from D100 which authorizes that work away from station. Issued by the Federal Aviation Administration. 2. Support information reference: These Operations Specifications are approved by direction of the Administrator. Avery, David M. Principal Maintenance Inspector SO19 Date Approval is effective: 12/18/07 Amendment Number: I hereby accept and receive the Operations Specifications in this paragraph.

King, Michael

FAA Accountable Manager, 145

Date: 12/18/07

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#### A007. **Designated Persons**

**HQ Control:** 

12/19/06

**HQ** Revision:

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a. The personnel listed in the following table are designated to officially apply for and receive operations specifications for the certificate holder indicated below.

Table 1 - Designated Persons to Apply for and Receive Authorizations

Title	Name	Parts Authorized
FAA Accountable Manager, 145	King, Michael	A,D

b. The following personnel listed in Table 2 are designated by the certificate holder to receive Information for Operators (INFO) messages for the certificate holder as indicated below. A receipt for the information by an operator or person is not required.

Table 2 - Designated to Receive INFO Messages

Name	Email Address	Telephone No.	Type of Information to Receive
Michael King	mking@aircoplating.com	305 633-2476	ALL

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- Support information reference:
- 3. These Operations Specifications are approved by direction of the Administrator.

Principal Maintenance Inspector

SO19

Date Approval is effective: 12/18/07

Amendment Number:

5. I hereby accept and receive the Operations Specifications in this paragraph.

King, Michael

FAA Accountable Manager, 145

Date: 12/18/07

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## A449 . Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Program

HQ Control: 07/17/2009

**HO Revision:** 

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- a. The Part 145 repair station certificate holder has elected to implement an Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Program, because the certificate holder performs safety-sensitive functions for a 14 CFR Part 121, and 135 certificate holder and/or for a 14 CFR Part 91 operator conducting operations under Section 91.147.
- b. The certificate holder certifies that it will comply with the requirements of 14 CFR Part 120 and 49 CFR Part 40 for its Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Program.
- c. Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Program records are maintained and available for inspection by the FAA's Drug Abatement Compliance and Enforcement Inspectors at the location listed in Table 1 below:

Table 1

Location & Telephone of Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Program Records:	
Telephone Number:	A1 305 633-2476
Address:	3650 Northwest 46th Street
Address:	N/A
City:	Miami
State:	FL
Zip code:	33142

## d. Limitations and Provisions.

- Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Program inspections and enforcement activity
  will be conducted by the Drug Abatement Division. Questions regarding these
  programs should be directed to the Drug Abatement Division.
- (2) The certificate holder is responsible for updating this operations specification when any of the following changes occur:
  - (a) Location or phone number where the Antidrug and Alcohol Misuse Prevention Program Records are kept.
  - (b) If the certificate holder's number of safety-sensitive employees goes to 50 and above, or falls below 50 safety-sensitive employees.
- (3) The certificate holder with 50 or more employees performing a safety-sensitive function on January 1 of the calendar year must submit an annual report to the Drug Abatement Division of the FAA.
- (4) The certificate holder with fewer than 50 employees performing a safety-sensitive function on January 1 of any calendar year must submit an annual report upon request of the Administrator, as specified in the regulations.

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The certificate holder has fewer than 50 safety-sensitive employees.

Print Date: 1/4/2010 A449-1 AIRCO PLATING COMPANY,

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- 2. Support information reference:
- 3. These Operations Specifications are approved by direction of the Administrator.



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Maintenance Inspector

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King, Michael, (Not Applicable)

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