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To: All Technical Coordinators/Cayman Islands Aircraft Registry

This is to provide an update on the implementation and compliance with OTAR 39 – ‘Continued Airworthiness Requirements.’ Initially, a compliance date of 1 March 2010 was set, however, consideration has been given to extending the period for operators comply and the new date for compliance is 1 January 2011.

The Civil Aviation Authority of the Cayman Islands (CAACI) undertakes to provide you with regular updates and information pertaining to OTAR 39, as well as implementation dates and compliance information for other relevant OTARs during the course of the coming months.

I will also take this opportunity to introduce our new Director of Air Safety Regulation (DASR) – Mr. David Biehn. David joins us with over 30 years experience in the aviation industry, the most recent with Transport Canada as Chief of Foreign Inspection Division. If you have any queries or comments please direct them to David at [david.biehn@caacayman.com](mailto:david.biehn@caacayman.com)

I encourage you to visit our website at [www.caacayman.com](http://www.caacayman.com) for relevant information, documents, advisories, forms, etc.

Thank you for your continued support and your partnership.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'P. H. Richard Smith', written over a horizontal line.

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Director-General of Civil Aviation