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**Subject: GLOBAL AMOC for AD 2016-11-21**  
Attachments: AD 2016-11-21 dated July 11, 2016  
MSM 04-00-00, 2-4 Dated February 17, 2017  
MSM 04-00-00, 2-5 Dated February 17, 2017  
GLOBAL AMOC LETTER for AD 2016-11-21

To all EC135 operators.

On March 3, 2012 ASB EC135-04A-009 Rev 0, was issued reducing the life limits of some flight control components. On July 11, 2016, AD 2016-11-21 became effective for the Airbus EC135 all models, concerning bearing ring L623M2001214, control ring L623M2001213, cardan ring L623M2005205 (two part), control ring bolt L671M7001215, sliding sleeve bolt L623M2006206 and L623M2006213, forked lever assembly L671M3012102, hinged support L671M7003210 and hinged support bolt L671M7001220.

The current release of the EC135 MSM dated February 17, 2017 has raised the service life limits of these components listed in ASB EC135-04A-009 Rev 0 and AD 2016-11-21.

The FAA has granted the attached AMOC giving relief from paragraph (e)(1)(i)(A) through (E) and (e)(ii)(A) through (C) of Air Worthiness Directive (AD) 2016-11-21 to use the current release of the EC135 MSM.

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