
Explanation of Policy Changes. This change incorporates new information into Volume 3, Chapter 18, Section 3, Part A Operations Specifications—General, updating Letter of Authorization (LOA) A049 guidance to help ASIs with surveillance efforts on Part 91 commercial air tour operators who conduct commercial air operations outside of the area of responsibility of the Flight Standards Office (the LOA A049 issuing office). It also updates references to the drug and alcohol testing program to harmonize with 14 CFR part 120, and adds the loading of aircraft authorized for commercial air tour operations into Table 1 of LOA A049.