



U.S. Department  
of Transportation

**Federal Aviation  
Administration**

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VT DRB Aviation Consultants

Dear VT DRB Aviation Consultants:

The Aircraft Evaluation Group (AEG) has reviewed your request for Supplemental Type Certificate (STC) relief that may be included in an operator's FAA approved MEL. The AEG finds your relief submission allowable as documented in the relief section of this letter. This relief is valid when an operator installs the listed STC on an aircraft that is listed in the Aircraft Model List (AML) below. No other application of this relief is allowed. The STC holder must contact the AEG when the STC is amended, revised or revoked.

Operators may use this relief letter to incorporate the relief listed below into their Minimum Equipment List (MEL) upon publication of this letter and in accordance with the MEL approval process in FAA Order 8900.1. The relief granted remains valid indefinitely with possession of this letter unless the relief is specifically revoked or revised by the Administrator.

STC Applicant	VT DRB Aviation Consultants
STC Number	ST11214DS
STC Description	MMEL relief for installation of Dukane DK180 underwater acoustic beacon in accordance with the design data list defined on attached FAA approved model list, revision F, dated 8/17/2020.
Aircraft Model List	B737-8 B737-9

Sincerely,

Aaron Perkins  
FOEB Chair,  
Aircraft Evaluation Group

## Approved STC Relief

System	Item	Category	Installed	Required	Remarks-Exceptions
24	Low Frequency Underwater Locating Beacon/Device DK180	D	1	0	Any in excess of those required by 14 CFR may be inoperative or missing.