

Notice No.

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Revocation of the Direction under Article 11 of the Air Navigation (Overseas Territories) Order 2013



1. Introduction

- 1.1. On 12th March 2019 Bermuda Civil Aviation Authority (BCAA) issued AWN-01-19 (now SAFN 01-19), which suspended the Certificate of Airworthiness of the Boeing 737-8 and -9 MAX aircraft on its register. This precautionary action was taken due to the similarities between the accident of an Ethiopian airlines Boeing 737-8 MAX aircraft on 10th March 2019 and an earlier accident, involving a Lion Air aircraft of the same model, on 29th October 2018.
- 1.2. Further to their collaborative investigation, identification of causes and the subsequent redesign and recertification of the Boeing 737 MAX, the FAA, Transport Canada, ANAC and EASA, have all now indicated their confidence to declare the aircraft safe to return to operations, subject to, the largely aligned conditions of their respective airworthiness and operational directives.
- 1.3. As BCAA requirements permit acceptance of each of these authorities' aircraft certification standards, we have awaited publication of their directives, to be satisfied in their requirements and enable the lifting of our own restrictions.

2. Direction Revoked

- 2.1. BCAA, in exercise of the Governor's powers under Article 11 of the Air Navigation (Overseas Territories) Order 2013, hereby revokes the Direction in [SAFN 01-19](#), dated 12th March 2019.
- 2.2. This Notice takes effect from 1st February 2021.

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