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Subject: Unapproved Parts Notification – 100 Half Size Carts (HS

Carts) part number (P/N) TH003-A01, serial numbers (S/N)

TH003702-TH003801.

Ref. Publication: None

Applicability: Parts or appliances released to service on an EASA Form 1

under the name of Global Aviation Services (GAS)

Manufacturing Ltd.

Description: The Agency was informed by the Civil Aviation Authority UK

(CAA UK) that, on 21 October 2013, Global Aviation Services

(GAS) Manufacturing Ltd. issued an EASA Form 1 for 100 galley waste carts (P/N TH0003-A01) based on

approved design data of EGRET AVIATION.

Since 09 February 2011, following a decision of the High Court in London, the production Organisation Approval (POA) No. UK.21G2595 of GAS Manufacturing Ltd. is not valid anymore and should have been returned to CAA UK.

As such, any part released to service on an EASA Form 1 issued by GAS Manufacturing Ltd. after 09 February 2011 must be considered as bogus and not eligible for installation

on any aircraft.

Furthermore, EGRET AVIATION does not hold a valid EASA design approval for the HS carts, nor for any other galley

catering cart or equipment.

At this time, the safety concern described in this SIB is not considered to be an unsafe condition that would warrant Airworthiness Directive (AD) action under EU 748/2012, Part

21.A.3B.

Recommendation(s): Any part and/or equipment released on an EASA Form 1 issued by GAS Manufacturing Ltd. after 9 February 2011 is

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considered unapproved and should not be installed on any aircraft.

The Agency recommends that:

- Owners, operators and maintenance organisations remove from service each part and/or equipment designed by EGRET AVIATION and released to service on an EASA Form 1 issued by GAS Manufacturing Ltd after 09 February 2011;
- Inform the competent authority accordingly.

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