ARTICLE 23

Avoidance of duplication of production approvals

Unless otherwise decided by the technical agents, the competent authority of the importing Party shall not issue a production approval to a production approval holder of the exporting Party if that production approval would cover the civil aeronautical products which are already included in the production approval issued by the competent authority of the exporting Party.

SECTION F

EXPORT CERTIFICATES

ARTICLE 24

Scope

This Annex addresses the following export certificates within the scope of this Annex as detailed in the technical implementation procedures:

(a) export certificate of airworthiness for new and used aircraft; and

(b) authorised release certificate for new civil aeronautical products other than aircraft.

ARTICLE 25

Issuance of an export certificate

1. When issuing an export certificate of airworthiness for a new aircraft or an authorised release certificate for a new civil aeronautical product other than an aircraft, the competent authority of the exporting Party shall ensure that such civil aeronautical product:

(a) conforms to the design automatically accepted or validated, or certified by the importing Party in accordance with this Annex and as detailed in the technical implementation procedures;

(b) is in a condition for safe operation;

(c) meets all additional requirements notified by the importing Party; and

(d) as regards civil aircraft, aircraft engines and aircraft propellers, complies with the applicable mandatory continuing airworthiness information, including airworthiness directives of the importing Party, as notified by that Party.