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|  | Part 119/135 general aviation - helicopters operations compliance matrix  Use this rule checklist to make sure you comply with **operations** requirements under [Civil Aviation Rules](https://www.aviation.govt.nz/rules/), Part 119 air operator certification and Part 135 general aviation certification for helicopters. |

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# About your rule checklist and our assessment

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| * You’re responsible for compliance with Civil Aviation Rules * This rule checklist has the **minimum** **operations** **requirements** for air operations general aviation helicopters * You must also complete rule checklists for maintenance and dangerous goods * Click on the field areas and type (they expand as you type) * To add rows to the tables in this form copy and paste the last row | CAA’s rule checklists are a guide to minimum compliance requirements  They speed up, and reduce the cost of, the certification assessment by making it easier for us to…   * find the procedures and information in your exposition * assess your application   It’s important to keep your rule checklists up-to-date to assist ongoing compliance and support your certificate renewal applications |

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| **Rule 119.125 general aviation air operator exposition** | **You complete**  Section or document name abbrev. and reference or heading  (If the rule is not met or doesn’t apply, explain why) | **CAA use only**  Exposition sampled and any issues organisation must address  (Inspector adds initials and date) |
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| 119.125(a)(1) Organisation’s statement signed by chief executive |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(1A) System for safety management and all documentation |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(2) Senior persons’ name and position title |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(3) Senior persons’ duties and responsibilities |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(4) If appropriate, an organisation chart showing lines of responsibility of the senior persons |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(4A) Information identifying the lines of safety responsibility within the organisation |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(5) Details of the principal place of operation and the main maintenance base |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(6) Details of your procedures required by Part 119 |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(7) Refer 24135-03GAM maintenance rule checklist |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(8) Details of the programmes required by Part 119 and Part 135 |  |  |
| 119.125(a)(9) Details of the applicant’s procedures that ensures compliance with the laws of any foreign State in which your aircraft operate |  |  |

# Your exposition must address the rules below if they apply to your type of operation

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| **Part 12 Accidents, incidents, and statistics** | | | | |
| **Subpart B Notification, investigation, and reporting, of occurrences** | | | | |
| * 1. 12.53 Notification of accident | | | | |
| The exposition must clearly outline the process on how you notify the CAA of any accident involving an aircraft, if the pilot-in-command is fatally or seriously injured, or if the aircraft is missing.  12.51 Notify as soon as practicable. 12.53 Submitting CA005 form; or by a means acceptable to the CAA within 10 days of the accident. | |  | |  |
| 12.55 & 12.57 Notification of incident | | | | |
| The exposition must describe the process you will undertake to notify the CAA of serious incident or an immediate hazard that would impact safety of an aircraft operation.  12.55 Notify as soon as practicable.  12.57 Submitting CA005 or CA005D form; or by a means acceptable to the CAA within 14 days of the incident. | |  | |  |
| 12.59 Investigation and reporting | | | | |
| The exposition must have a clear description of your internal investigation process and submit a report to the CAA within 90 days. | |  | |  |
| **Subpart C Preservation of Aircraft, its Contents, and Records** | | | | |
| 12.101 Access to aircraft involved in an accident | | | | |
| The exposition must have a clear process on how you ensure no person interfere with the scene of the aircraft involved in an accident. | |  | |  |
| 12.103 Preservation of records | | | | |
| The exposition must include process on how you preserve all records for at least 14 days after the serious accident or incident. | |  | |  |
| 12.105 Retention of defective products and components | | | | |
| The exposition must have a description on your obligation to submit a defect incident report (CA005D) and the process on how to retain defective product or component for at least 14 days after submitting the report. | |  | |  |
| **Subpart D Statistics** | | | | |
| 12.151 Aircraft operating statistics | | | | |
| In your exposition, you must clearly outline the process on how you provide statistical data and information for each of your aircraft operated to the CAA. | |  | |  |
| **Part 61 Pilot licences and ratings** | | | | |
| **Subpart A General** | | | | |
| 61.27 Status of flight examiners |  | |  | |
| 61.37 Recent flight experience | | | | |
| 61.37(a)(1)(i) to (iii) & (2) |  | |  | |
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| **Subpart E Commercial Pilot Licences** | | | | |
| 61.207 Currency requirements |  | |  | |
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| 91.109 Aircraft flight manual |  | |  | |
| 91.111 Documents to be carried | | | | |
| 91.111(1) |  | |  | |
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| 91.118 Intoxicating liquor and drugs |  | |  | |
| **Subpart C General flight rules** | | | | |
| 91.207 Occupation of seats and wearing of restraints |  | |  | |
| 91.211 Passenger briefing |  | |  | |
| 91.213 Carry-on baggage |  | |  | |
| 91.215 Carriage of cargo |  | |  | |
| 91.217 Preflight action |  | |  | |
| 91.219 Familiarity with operating limitations and emergency equipment |  | |  | |
| 91.221 Flying equipment and operating information |  | |  | |
| 91.235 Dropping of objects |  | |  | |
| 91.241 Compliance with ATC clearances and instructions |  | |  | |
| 91.247 Use of transponder and altitude reporting equipment | | | | |
| 91.247(a)(1) & (2) |  | |  | |
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| 91.255 - Mandatory use of ADS-B system in controlled airspace | | | | |
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| 91.307 VFR flight plan | | | | |
| 91.307(a)(1) & (2) |  | |  | |
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| 91.307(c)(1) to (9) |  | |  | |
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| 91.309 Position reports |  | |  | |
| 91.311 Minimum heights for VFR flights | | | | |
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| 91.315 Operating in snow and ice conditions |  | |  | |
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| **Part 92 Carriage of dangerous goods [Refer to rule checklist form 24092-03DG]** | | | | |
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| 119.119 Flight authorisation and control |  | |  | |
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| 135.607(4) Test of pilot's knowledge |  | |  | |
| 135.613 Competency and testing records |  | |  | |
| List any other rules complied with: | | | | |
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| This rule checklist was established using the following Part amendment status: | | | |
| **Part** | Name | Amendment no. | Amendment date | Part | Name | Amendment no. | Amendment date |
| 12 | Accidents, incidents, and statistics | Amendment 11 | 1 December 2020 | 92 | Carriage of dangerous goods | Amendment 2 | 22 June 2006 |
| 19 | Transition rules | Amendment 22 | 1 December 2021 | 100 | Safety management | Amendment 1 | 1 February 2016 |
| 61 | Pilot licences and ratings | Amendment 18 | 1 December 2021 | 119 | Air operator – certification | Amendment 17 | 1 December 2020 |
| 91 | General operating and flight rules | Amendment 34 | 1 December 2021 | 135 | Air operator – helicopters and small aeroplanes | Amendment 25 | 30 November 2023 |

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| Revision | 10 | Date | 15/02/2022 | | Status | Final |  | |
| Transitional Provision removed | | | | 61.37 and 61.39 amended | | | 91.411A inserted | 135.159A inserted |
| 15.15 is revoked and replaced | | | | 91.111 and 91.307 revoked and replaced | | | 119.113 and 119.125 revoked and replaced |  |

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| Revision | 11 | Date | 06/10/2022 | Status | Final |  | |
| Name changed from ‘compliance matrix’ to ‘rule checklist’, instructions redrafted, table headings changed, hyperlink to rules added | | | | | | | |
| Part 92 rules moved to 24092-02DG Part 92 carriage of dangerous goods rule checklist | | | | | | | 61.39 & 91.247(g), 135 Appendix D Landing Distance Assessments for Runways, 91.263, 91.257, 91.263 removed as do not apply |
| This rule checklist combines 24135-03GAHVFR, 24135-04GAHIFR, 24135-05GAITC, and 24135-06GAETC | | | | | | | 91.111, 91.425 combined; 119.103,119.165 split out |
| Amendment numbers and dates updated | | | | | | | 91.255, 119.151, 119.124, 135.81, 135.509, 135.563 added |

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| Revision | 12 | Date | 24/01/2024 | Status | Final |  |
| Updated Part 12 Accidents, Incidents, and Statistics Subpart B, Subpart C and Subpart D | | | | | | |
| Updated amendment history | | | | | | |

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| Revision | 13 | Date | 5/4/2025 | Status | Final |  |
| Updates to reflect the Civil Aviation Act 2023 | | | | | | |