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**NOTIFICATION FOR COMPLIANCE TO THE TANZANIA CIVIL AVIATION REGULATIONS,
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1. The Minister, by mandate under section 4 of the Act, made various Regulations which are now in operation after being published in the Government Gazette dated 24th day of February 2017.
2. The Authority is empowered under section 36 of the Act, to do anything which is necessary for or in connection with the performance of its function or to enable it discharge its duties including regulating entities under its control.
3. NOW THEREFOR for effective compliance to the Act and Regulations by those regulated entities, the Authority hereby issues this AIC for the smooth and effective implementation of the Regulations which are now in operation.
4. That, all persons regulated by the Authority are hereby notified that Regulations made pursuant to the Civil Aviation Act and notified by Aeronautical Information Circular 09/17 have come into operation on 24th February 2017.
5. That, all operators and service providers to whom the provisions of the Regulations apply are, within six months from the date of coming into operation of the Regulations i.e. 24th February 2016, required to make necessary arrangements to effectively comply with the Regulations referred in Aeronautical Information Circular 09/17, and includes having in place guidelines giving effect to the implementation of the Regulations.

6. Every certificate, license or other document issued to the operator prior to the commencement of the 2017 Regulations and meeting the requirements of the previous Regulations shall continue to be in force as long as they continue to meet those requirements until the certificate, licence or such other document expires or are otherwise revoked, suspended or cancelled by the Authority.

7. From the foregoing paragraph 6 above, all operators, approved organizations and personnel are supposed to have all their operating standards, procedures and required documentation and manuals upgraded to the new regulations within the transitioning period and when ready can be recertified to the new standard.

8. The Authority wishes to stress that, the Regulations must be complied with by all operators within the transition period specified in paragraph 5. Failure to comply will render the approval, licence, certificate invalid and the organization, operator or personnel will not be allowed to exercise the privileges of the approval, licence or certificate.

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