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(C-17, C-130, C141, C/KC/NKC-135, UH-1)**

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1.5. AFGSC units will use standard profiles as the primary method for demonstrating UH-1N capabilities. If use of a non-standard profile is appropriate, units must submit requests and justification through appropriate channels to HQ AFGSC/CC NLT 45 days prior to the event.

1.7. Recommended changes to the basic instruction (to include those addressed in paragraph 1.5.2.) will be submitted to HQ AFGSC/A3IH using the AF Form 847, Recommendation for Change of Publication.

2.2. HS/CCs will ensure crews selected for demonstration flights are current and qualified in the maneuvers to be flown.

2.3. Crewmembers completing basic qualification in the UH-1N using the formal courseware are qualified in basic flying procedures and aircraft maneuvers required to accomplish profile 1. Crewmembers completing mission qualification in the UH-1N using the formal courseware are qualified in basic flying procedures and aircraft maneuvers required to accomplish profile 2. No AFGSC unit is qualified in flying procedures and aircraft maneuvers required to accomplish profiles 3 and 4.

2.4. For events requiring HQ AFGSC/A3 participation approval, units will include requests to perform aircraft capabilities demonstrations when requesting event participation approval IAW AFI 11-209, AFGSCSUP, *Air Force Aerial Events*, as supplemented. Units will send requests through appropriate channels to HQ AFGSC/A3 with a courtesy copy to 20 AF/A3H NLT 30 days prior to the event.

2.5. OG/CCs (or their designated representative) will submit a critique to HQ AFGSC/A3IH NLT 14 days following the aircraft capabilities demonstration. The critique should include an assessment of aircrew/aircraft appearance, adherence to the approved profile maneuvers, and positive or negative reflection on the unit and the Air Force.

3.7. (Added) Forms and IMTs Prescribed and Adopted:

3.7.1. (Added) Prescribed: None.

3.7.2. (Added) Adopted: AF Form 847, Recommendation for Change of Publication.

TIMOTHY M. RAY, Brigadier General, USAF
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Attachment 1

GLOSSARY OF REFERENCES AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION

References

AFI 11-209 AFGSCSUP, *Air Force Aerial Events*, 1 Dec 2009

Abbreviations and Acronyms

AFI – Air Force Instruction

AFGSC – Air Force Global Strike Command

HS—Helicopter Squadron

OG—Operations Group