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Attention: Mr. Kenneth Mobley
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Subject: Transport Canada Civil Aviation (TCCA) Validation of
Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) ACR Electronics Inc. ELTs

References: 1. FAA letter dated April 11, 2012 RDIMS (7472078)
2. FAA/TCCA Implementation Procedures, Rev. 1, dated June 5, 2008

Dear Mr. Taylor:

This is in response to reference 1, requesting a TCCA approval of the subject ELT. In accordance with reference 2, a U.S. applicant who holds a TSOA for an article, where the applicable FAA TSOs are adopted and identified in Airworthiness Manual (AWM) 537, need not make application for a CAN-TSO.

The subject ELT falls within the criteria. Thus, the FAA issued TSOA will be accepted by TCCA without any further review being necessary.

The requirements of AWM 551.104 must be met and the appropriate installation approval received from Transport Canada. ELTs, as radio equipment, require certification to Industry Canada’s Spectrum Management and Telecommunications Radio standards and specifications. It is the responsibility of the ELT manufacturer to obtain certification of the radio equipment to Industry Canada’s standards and specifications.

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Should you require further information or wish to discuss the enclosed, please do not hesitate to contact the project manager, Mr. Edward Pajnich by telephone at 613-952-8393, by facsimile at 613-996-9178, or by email at edward.pajnich@tc.gc.ca.

Yours truly,

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