

Subject: Extension of Icephobic Paint Inspection Intervals and Introduction of Grace Periods for Scheduled Maintenance.

Aircraft Type: Eclipse 500 and Eclipse 550

Effectivity: All Aircraft

Applicability: All Aircraft

1. SUMMARY

This SIL provides information on recent changes to the scheduled maintenance requirements for Eclipse 500 and 550 aircraft.

2. BACKGROUND

In response to in-service feedback, EAI has extended the inspection interval for the Icephobic coating from 50 flight hours or 3 months (whichever occurs first) to 200 flight hours or 12 months (whichever occurs first).

EAI has also added a grace period to many scheduled maintenance items to increase maintenance scheduling flexibility.

3. ECLIPSE ACTION

EAI will be adjusting the required maintenance intervals in their maintenance tracking system. Aircraft using EAI maintenance tracking will note the new intervals at their next weekly update.

4. SUGGESTED OPERATOR ACTION

Operators should download AMM TR05-08 (500) or TR05-01 (550) and adjust their maintenance tracking records to reflect the new intervals. Aircraft using EAI maintenance tracking will be adjusted at their next weekly update.

5. EXPORT CONTROL

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