



26<sup>th</sup> October 2023

## **NOTICE TO INDUSTRY**

### **RE: SUSPENSION OF CONVERSION OF LICENCES**

This Notice is issued pursuant to section 15(2)(b) of the Civil Aviation Authority Bahamas Act 2021.

The Civil Aviation Authority Bahamas (CAAB) has conducted an evaluation of its internal processes and has made the following decision:

With immediate effect, and until further notice, CAAB will no longer **convert** a licence issued by another ICAO contracting State to a Bahamas Licence.

Until further notice, CAAB will only **validate** a licence from another ICAO contracting state. With this new process, the responsibility to maintain currency of the source document (**licence**) is that of the individual issued such a licence.

The following licences are affected by this change of process:

- *Pilot Licence (all categories)*
- *Type Ratings to previously issued Licences*
- *Aviation Maintenance Technician Licences (AMT)*

Sincerely,

Alexander B. Ferguson  
*Director General*  
**Civil Aviation Authority Bahamas.**

cc: Mr. Delvin Major – Deputy Director General, Safety Oversight

