

Sec. 10. The Ministry of Transport and Communications shall determine the technical conditions which must be met and the signs which must be shown by civil aircraft used in the People's Republic of Bulgaria, as well as the procedure for issuing certificates of airworthiness.

Civil aircraft may be allowed to fly only after establishing that they meet all requirements for flight safety.

Sec. 11. All civil aircraft shall be registered in the register of the civil aircraft of the People's Republic of Bulgaria maintained at the Ministry of Transport and Communications.

The procedure for making entries in the register, the data required for registration, the procedure and conditions for making inquiries about the register, and the procedure and circumstances of cancellation shall be determined by an ordinance of the Minister of Transport and Communications.

Sec. 12. On the basis of the registration of each aircraft a "certificate of registration" shall be issued which establishes its Bulgarian nationality and certifies the ownership of the aircraft, whether it is the property of the State as basic means of a State enterprise, of a public or cooperative organization, or of an individual citizen.

A registration mark shall be assigned on registration of civil aircraft.

Sec. 13. Each civil aircraft entered in the register of civil aircraft of the People's Republic of Bulgaria shall bear clearly visible marks of nationality and registration, and the national flag of the People's Republic of Bulgaria, in accordance with an ordinance of the Ministry of Transport and Communications.

Civil aircraft used for sanitary purposes must bear a Red Cross sign in accordance with the requirements of international conventions.

Sec. 14. Bulgarian civil aircraft may only be registered in another country if their registration is first stricken from the register of civil aircraft of the People's Republic of Bulgaria.

Sec. 15. Civil aircraft may be allowed to fly only if the following documents are aboard:

- (a) certificate of registration,
- (b) certificate of airworthiness,
- (c) license for the radio equipment on board,
- (d) approved flight plan,
- (e) log book, and
- (f) other documents as determined by the Minister of Transport and Communications.

III. FLIGHT PERSONNEL

Sec. 16. Persons who perform flight duties in civil aviation shall be considered civil aviation flight personnel.

The Ministry of Transport and Communications shall maintain the register of civil aviation flight personnel. The manner of maintaining the register and the conditions for registration and cancellation shall be determined by the Minister of Transport and Communications.

Sec. 17. Civil aviation flight personnel must have Bulgarian citizenship and a document of aviation competency (brevet).