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Technical Aspects are FAA Approved

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Subject: Recommended time between overhaul periods for engines containing Superior Air Parts, Inc. parts.

Application: All engines manufactured by AVCO Lycoming or Teledyne Continental Motors in which Superior Air Parts, Inc. parts are installed.

Compliance:

Service life periods have been established by airframe and component manufacturers, to give aircraft owners, operators and mechanics a guideline as to how long their products may be operated between replacement or overhaul periods. This period is known as Time-Between-Overhaul (TBO) when referring to engine service life. In some cases, such as aircraft operating under FAR part 135 or foreign air regulations, these recommended periods have become the maximum allowable period between overhauls.

This overhaul period is a recommendation only and is dependent on compliance with all applicable Service Bulletins and Airworthiness Directives, as well as all required preventative maintenance, periodic inspections and determination by qualified maintenance personnel that the engine is operating normally and is airworthy.

To clear up any misunderstanding concerning the use of FAA-PMA parts and TBO, Superior Air Parts, Inc. provides the following, which is approved by the Federal Aviation Administration:

Engines using Superior Air Parts, Inc. FAA-PMA parts which are interchangeable with recommended original equipment manufactured parts may be run to the same specified Time Between Overhaul established by the original equipment manufacturer for that make and model of engine.