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LEGISLATION MATTERS

COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATION PART 148.02.12. (a) (ii) & (iii)

**APPLICABILITY: MANUFACTURING; PRODUCTION ORGANISATIONS; TECHNICAL STANDARD
ORDER AUTHORISATION HOLDER AND PART MANUFACTURING APPROVAL HOLDER**

1. **Background:**

The SACAA has noted that the majority of Manufacturing Organisations (approved under Regulation Part 148) have not been compliant with the aforementioned Regulation which states:

- (ii) in the case of any other Class I product and upon presentation of a statement of conformity in the format as prescribed in Document SA-CATS-MORG, obtain from the Commissioner an authorised release certificate without further showing;
- (iii) in the case of products, parts or appliances, other than a Class I product, issue authorised release certificates in the format as prescribed in Document SA-CATS-MORG without further showing; and

2. **Conclusion/Recommendation:**

As of 30th July 2010, the SACAA will enforce usage of the Statement of Conformity and Authorised Release Certificate as pointed out in the mentioned Regulations, and these forms must also be in the format prescribed in these Regulations.

Organisations which do not comply with the mentioned Regulation will incur a major finding at the next inspection/audit. Since the SA-CATS-MORG has not been updated to contain these forms, please note that these forms will be available on the SACAA website.

For further information and assistance, please contact the SACAA Manufacturing Department on 011 545 -1000.

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