



### AIRWORTHINESS DIRECTIVE

- I. **APPLICABILITY:** All Jodel aircraft fitted with all-moving tailplane (stabilator), and Homebuilt aircraft and aircraft built by other manufacturers (such as Aerodifusión, Falconar Avia or Robin) based on these Jodel design.
- II. **TITULAR DEL DISEÑO ORIGINAL:** No Type Approval Holder at time of publication.
- III. **DATE OF ISSUE:** *See digital signature.*
- IV. **EFFECTIVE DATE:** Date of issue.
- V. **REFERENCE:** CAA UK AD 010-06-79 “Stabilator Attachment – Inspection for corrosion“, Rev 2 effective on 28 September 2004.
- VI. **REASON:** Several occurrences have shown that certain Jodel series aircraft are highly susceptible to corrosion of the tailplane (stabilator) bearing attachment plates. The corrosion if unchecked, would lead to failure of the stabilator attachments and subsequent catastrophic loss of control of the aircraft.
- VII. **COMPLIANCE:**
- a. Inspection required not later than 6 months from the effective date of this Directive, unless accomplished within the last 3 years in which case within 3 years of that date.
  - b. Inspect the inboard and outboard stabilator bearing attachment plates for corrosion in accordance with the following procedure:
    - 1) Remove stabilator.
    - 2) Remove bearing attachment plates located each side of top longerons and inspect for corrosion, removing paint finish as necessary.
    - 3) If corrosion is evident, replace the corroded plates or apply an approved repair (Note: replacement of all plates by anodised aluminium replacement plates supplied by Apex Aircraft is approved)
    - 4) Re-inspect at periods not exceeding 3 years elapsed time.
- VIII. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** To obtain more information, you can contact:
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### COORDINATOR OF AIR OPERATIONS AND AIRWORTHINESS

(By delegation of signature by the Director of the Spanish Aviation Safety Agency in resolution dated 27 de January 2026)  
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