Minutes of the 157<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Empowered Committee constituted for examining proposals of Air Transport Services/ Import of Aircraft held at 10.00 A.M. on 13.04.2012.

#### The following were present: -

- 1. Shri S. Machendranathan, Additional Secretary & Financial Advisor, Ministry of Civil Aviation.
- 2. Shri G. Asok Kumar, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Civil Aviation
- 3. Ms. Puja Jindal, Director, Ministry of Civil Aviation
- 4. Shri G. K. Chaukiyal, Member (Ops.), Airports Authority of India
- 5. Shri Charan Dass, Jt. D. G., DGCA
- 6. Shri Ajay Sharma, ACOS, BCAS

#### The following proposals were considered by the Committee: -

1. <u>M/s Deccan Charters Limited</u>: <u>Grant of Initial NOC to Operate Scheduled Air Transport (Passenger) Services.</u>

The Committee **recommended** the proposal.

2. <u>M/s Flyington Freighters Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>Grant of Initial NOC to Operate Scheduled Air Transport (Cargo) Services</u>

The Committee **recommended** the proposal.

3. <u>M/s. Freedom Aviation Pvt. Ltd.</u>: 2<sup>nd</sup> Extension of initial NOC to operate Scheduled Air Transport (Regional) Services in Southern Region for a period of six months beyond 03.05.2012 i.e. upto 02.11.2012.

The Committee approved the proposal.

4. <u>M/s Blue Dart Aviation Ltd.</u>: <u>Permission to import one Boeing 757-204 PCF aircraft to operate scheduled air transport (cargo) services</u>

The Committee **approved** the proposal.

### 5. <u>M/s Lepl Projects Limited</u>: <u>Permission to import 02 Bombardier DHC-8/Q 400 aircraft to operate Scheduled Air Transport Regional Services in Southern Region</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal. The company has to obtain extension of parking permission beyond 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2012 from AAI for parking at Vijayawada Airport.

### 6. <u>M/s. Spice Jet Limited</u>: <u>Permission to import of 04 Q 400, DHC -8 Series 400 and 02</u> <u>Boeing B 737-800 aircraft for Scheduled Air Transport (Passenger) Services</u>

The Committee **approved** the proposal subject to the compliance of Route Pattern given by the company in its application.

### 7. <u>M/s. Sky High Aviation Pvt. Ltd</u>.: <u>Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services</u>

The Committee <u>deferred</u> the proposal. The applicant has to submit parking letter from authorized airport operator.

### 8. M/s. Sector 6 Technologies LLP: Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services (Microlight) for operating joy rides

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time and subject to the following conditions:

- (i) The company will obtain clearance from local police as required by MHA.
- (ii) The paid up capital of the company should be raised to at least Rs. 10 lakhs.
- (iii) Permission from the AAI to operate from Jaipur airport.
- (iv) The pilot should have proper licence and should have security clearance.

### 9. <u>M/s. Mehrab Logistics and Aviation Ltd</u>: <u>Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

## 10. <u>M/s. High Fly Airlines Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services and permission for import of one Bell 407 type of helicopter to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services</u>

The Committee **approved** the proposal only for grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

## 11. <u>M/s. Emerald Haven Aviation Services Ltd.</u>: <u>Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services and permission for acquisition of one Hawker Beechcraft</u> Premier 1A (VT-RTR) aircraft to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time. Change of aircraft category from private to passenger is permitted subject to approval of DGFT.

# 12. <u>M/s Himalayaputra Aviation Ltd.</u>: <u>Ex-post facto approval for grant of initial NOC to operate non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and permission to import 01 Beechcraft King Air B200 GT Aircraft to operate non-Scheduled Air Transport Services</u>

The Committee **approved** the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

### 13. <u>M/s. Aerotech FMS Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled</u> Air Transport (Cargo) Services

The Committee <u>deferred</u> the proposal as MHA has given additional comments for consideration of the Ministry in their security clearance. Hence, referred to BCAS and CVO of MoCA for their remarks. .

### 14. M/s. IIC Technologies Pvt. Ltd. : Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time. This approval is subject to the condition that they obtain necessary statutory permissions from appropriate Govt. authority for carrying aerial survey

## 15. M/s. Pioneer Flying Academy Pvt. Ltd.: Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services and permission to utilize their training aircraft for the purpose of NSOP.

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

## 16. <u>Airports Authority of India</u>: <u>Grant of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services for 'aerial work' for undertaking Flight Calibration of Navigational/Landing/visual & Surveillance Aids as per ICAO requirements</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

# 17. <u>M/s Lakshya Aviation Pvt. Ltd.</u>: 2<sup>nd</sup> extension of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services for a further period of six months beyond 23.03.2012 upto 22.09.2012.

The Committee **approved** the proposal for 2<sup>nd</sup> extension for a period of six months in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

However, it was noticed that the aircraft proposed to be imported is of type Gipps Aero GA-8 Airvan which is an 8 seater piston engine which is not permitted as per the para 2.1 of the above said CAR. In view of this, the earlier permission granted for import of the aircraft in the 155<sup>th</sup> meeting is withdrawn.

## 18. <u>M/s Aman Aviation & Aerospace Solutions Pvt. Ltd.</u>: 2<sup>nd</sup> Extension of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services for a period of six month beyond 23-03-2012 up to 22-09-2012.

The Committee **approved** the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

# 19. M/s. Aero Star Airways Pvt. Ltd.: 2<sup>nd</sup> extension of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services for a further period of six months i.e. upto 19.08.2012

The Committee **approved** the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

## 20. <u>M/s Marut Aviation Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>3<sup>rd</sup> Extension of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled</u> <u>Air Transport Services for a further period of six months i.e. upto 20.08.2012</u>

The Committee **approved** the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

## 21. <u>M/s. Fly High Airways Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>3<sup>rd</sup> Extension of initial NOC to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services for a further period of six months beyond 13.04.2012 i.e. upto 12.10.2012</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

# 22. <u>M/s. Kunal Air Charter Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>Permission for acquisition of 01 Cessna 172</u> <u>S (VT-RKI) aircraft for Non Scheduled Air Transport Services and permission to change of category from private to passenger</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

### 23. <u>M/s. Global Vectra Helicorp Ltd.</u>: <u>Permission to import one Bell 412 EP</u> <u>helicopter for Non Scheduled Air Transport Services</u>

The Committee <u>deferred</u> the proposal. The final security clearance of Ms. Swati Rishi, one of the Board of Directors is awaited from MHA.

# 24. <u>M/s. India Flysafe Aviation Ltd.</u>: <u>Permission to import one Falcon 7X, one preowned Embraer ERJ 135 LR and 02 Pilatus PC 12 NG aircraft for Non Scheduled Air Transport Services.</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

## 25. M/s. Pinnacle Air Pvt. Ltd.: Permission for acquisition of 01 Bell 407 helicopter & 02 Robinson R 44 helicopters to operate Non Scheduled Air Transport Services.

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

# 26. <u>M/s. Aryan Aviation Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>Ex- Post Facto Approval for Permission to acquire 01 Bell 407 helicopter in place of earlier permitted one AS 350 B 3 helicopter for Non Scheduled Air Transport Services.</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

### 27. <u>M/s Ventura Airconnect Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>Permission to import 01 Cessna Grand</u> Caravan C208 B Aircraft to operate non-Scheduled Air Transport Services.

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

### 28. <u>M/s UTair India Pvt. Ltd.</u>: <u>Ex-Post Facto Approval for permission to import 2</u> <u>Ecureuil AS350 B3 Eurocopter for Non-Scheduled air transport services exclusively</u> for Helicopter services

The Committee **approved** the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

## 29. <u>M/s. Deccan Charters Ltd.</u>: <u>Permission to import 01 EC-135 helicopter in lieu</u> of earlier permission of acquisition of 01 EC-135 helicopter (VT-IBA) from M/s. Airmid Aviation Services Pvt. Ltd. for Non Scheduled Air Transport Services.

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal in accordance with the CAR, Section 3, AIR TRANSPORT, SERIES 'C' PART III, dated 1<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2010 regarding minimum requirements for grant of initial NOC to operate Non-Scheduled Air Transport Services and any other related notification issued from time to time.

# 30. <u>M/s Trans Bharat Aviation (P) Ltd.</u>: <u>(i) Permission for Acquisition of 02 Cessna 152 Aircraft (VT-CHA & VT-CAX) for Flying Training Institute. (ii) Permission to operate the existing Piper Seneca IV Aircraft (VT-TBD) in their Flying Training Operation as well as non-Scheduled Air Transport Services.</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal for permission for Acquisition of 02 Cessna 152 Aircraft (VT-CHA & VT-CAX) and utilization of piper Seneca VT-TBD for Flying Training Institute subject to getting extension of initial NOC for flying training institute from DGCA.

### 31. <u>Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur</u>: <u>Permission for import of Cessna 206-</u> <u>H Aircraft by Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur in private Category.</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal. IIT Kanpur should obtain the import licence from DGFT.

## 32. <u>M/s. T V Sundaram lyengar & Sons Ltd.</u>: <u>Permission to import one Piaggio P-180 Avanti-II (Turbo Prop) aircraft under private Category.</u>

The Committee <u>approved</u> the proposal. T V Sundaram Iyengar & Sons Ltd. should obtain the import licence from DGFT.

- 33. Other Matters: (A) DGCA may standardize the proforma of C of R to include the following also:
  - (i) Owner (ii) Operator (iii) Lessor (iv) Financer/hypothecator
  - (B) In the summary sheet prepared for the Empowered Committee meetings and in the checklist submitted by the applicant the mode of financing of the aircraft also to be included.

Shri S. Machendranathan)

AS&FA

(Shri G. Asok Kumar)

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(Shri G. K. Chaukiyal)

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