



Checklist

Validation of a foreign PPL(H) VFR/IR single pilot type rating helicopter (1 year limited certificate of validation of a valid foreign pilot's licence)

Requirements for the issuance of a Swiss validation certificate PPL(H) VFR single pilot type rating helicopter issued on the basis of a valid ICAO-PPL(H) VFR single pilot type rating helicopter issued in a non-JAA-state

- Hold a valid JAR-FCL medical certificate class 2 issued by an authorised Swiss FOCA AME
- Proof of the radiotelephony qualification entered in the foreign pilot's licence or equivalent document
- Proof of the language proficiency (at least Level 4) entered in the foreign pilot's licence (if not demonstrated, the rights of the licence holder will be restricted according to AIC B 003/08)
- Minimum total flying hours experience on helicopters: 75
- Proficiency check VFR with examiner in accordance with JAR-FCL 2 and 'FOCA Guide
- Application for the issuance of a pilot's licence/permit (FOCA Form.60.975)
- Copies of all pages of the current foreign pilot's licence with entry of the required current single pilot type rating helicopter (pending licence is not accepted)
- Copies of all pages of the corresponding valid foreign medical certificate (minimum class 2)
- Copies of last 3 pages of the logbook
- Copy of passport
- Official printout of criminal record file issued by state of residence (max. 3 months old)

Additional requirements to obtain a Swiss validation of an IR single pilot type rating helicopter issued on the basis of the foreign IR single pilot type rating helicopter in accordance with JAR-FCL 2.015:

- Proof of the current IR entered in the current foreign pilot's licence (pending licence is not accepted)
- Proof of the language proficiency (at least Level 4) entered in the foreign pilot's licence
- Minimum total flying hours experience IR as PIC: 100 hours
- Oral examination executed by the examiner:
Knowledge of Air Law and the Aeronautical Weather codes, subject number 050 10 03 01, as well as the Flight Planning & Performance (IR), subject number 030 00 00 00, Human Performance subject number 040 00 00 00 in accordance with Appendix 1 to JAR-FCL 2.470 has been acquired;
- Complete, as a skill test, all sections of the type skill test in accordance with Appendix 1 and 3 to JAR-FCL 2.240

Verification of the foreign pilot's licences and medical certificates

By filling the application form 60.975, the applicant will authorize the issuing Civil Aviation Authorities of his foreign licences and medical certificates to provide all relevant information for the corresponding application to the Swiss Federal Office of Civil Aviation (FOCA)

Swiss criminal record

You can request the criminal record from the Federal Office of Justice. For more information please visit the following website:

http://www.ofj.admin.ch/bj/de/home/themen/staat_und_buerger/strafregister.html

Validity of validation certificate

As long as the foreign pilot's licence but not longer than 12 months from the date of skill test, proficiency check or training flight

Revalidation/Renewal of validation certificate

Not applicable (please refer to 'Checklist Issuance of a JAR-FCL PPL(H)')

Further information (instruction, medical, licensing)

- FOCA homepage (<http://www.bazl.admin.ch/fachleute/flugpersonal>)
- FTO's or TRTO's and RF(VFR only)

All information is subject to change