

March 13, 2018 - TC Urged to Mandate Drug and Alcohol Testing and Accommodation for Pilots

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DECISIONS

- **Judicial Review - Security Clearance - *Byfield v. Canada (Attorney General)*, [2018 FC 216](#)**
_Review of decision to deny security clearance to baggage handler based on previous criminal acts and associations - Applicant was given sufficient opportunity to respond to the Minister regarding questionable activities on Law Enforcement Records Check - Minister's decision was within the realm of reasonable outcomes - Dismissed

CIRB DECISIONS

- **Bargaining Unit Certification - COPE - *Canadian Helicopters Limited dba Canadian Helicopters Offshore*, [Order No.: 11231-U](#)**
_all Aircraft Maintenance Engineers and Apprentices working in support of any offshore operation of Canadian Helicopters Limited doing business as Canadian Helicopters Offshore **excluding** the Person Responsible for Maintenance (PRM) and the Chief Maintenance Engineer
- **Bargaining Unit Certification - IAMAW - *Swissport Canada Inc.*, [Order No.: 11234-U](#)**
_all ramp/ground handlers, mechanics and all ground equipment maintenance personnel, storekeepers, communications co?ordinators and operations agents at the international airports in Montréal (Dorval and Mirabel), **excluding** office staff, managers, supervisors and those above

CANADIAN TRANSPORTATION AGENCY DECISIONS

- **Application - *Norwegian Air International Limited* - [Order No. 2018-A-36](#)**

For an exemption from the application of section 59 of the *Canada Transportation Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 10, as amended

- **Application - *Air Canada also c.o.b. as Air Canada rouge and as Air Canada Cargo, on behalf of itself; Jazz Aviation LP, as represented by its general partner, Aviation General Partner Inc. c.o.b. as Air Canada Express and as Jazz; Air Georgian Limited c.o.b. as Air Canada Express; Sky Regional Airlines Inc. c.o.b. as Sky Regional and as Air Canada Express; and Air China Limited* - [Determination No. A-2018-43](#)**

Pursuant to section 60 of the *Canada Transportation Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 10, as amended, and section 8.2 of the *Air Transportation Regulations*, SOR/88-58, as amended

- **Application - *Hi Fly Ltd. c.o.b. as Hi Fly Malta* - [Determination No. A-2018-46](#)**
Pursuant to section 60 of the *Canada Transportation Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 10, as amended, and section 8.2 of the *Air Transportation Regulations*, SOR/88-58, as amended
- **Application - *Türk Hava Yolları Anonim Ortaklığı c.o.b. as Turkish Airlines, on behalf of itself and Kalitta Air, LLC* - [Determination No. A-2018-44](#)**
Pursuant to section 60 of the *Canada Transportation Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 10, as amended, and section 8.2 of the *Air Transportation Regulations*, SOR/88-58, as amended
- **Application - *Hi-Wood Helicopters Ltd.* - [Determination No. A-2018-47](#)**
For suspension of Licence Nos. 962395 and 967152
- **Application - *Delta Air Lines, Inc. c.o.b. as Delta Air Lines, as Delta and as Delta Shuttle, on behalf of itself; Virgin Atlantic Airways Limited; and ExpressJet Airlines, Inc., Compass Airlines, LLC, SkyWest Airlines, Inc. and GoJet Airlines LLC, all c.o.b. as, among others, Delta Connection* - [Determination No. A-2018-48](#)**
Pursuant to section 60 of the *Canada Transportation Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 10, as amended, and section 8.2 of the *Air Transportation Regulations*, SOR/88-58, as amended
- **Application - *Axair Aviation Inc.* - [Determination No. A-2018-49](#)**
Pursuant to section 61 of the *Canada Transportation Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 10, as amended
- **Application - *Axair Aviation Inc.* - [Determination No. A-2018-50](#)**
Pursuant to subsection 73(1) of the *Canada Transportation Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 10, as amended
- **Suspension - *Nichols Outfitting Inc.* - [Order No. 2018-A-37](#)**
Licence No. 160048
- **Suspension - *Fresh Air, LLC* - [Order No. 2018-A-38](#)**
Licence No. 010013 - Licence reinstated effective March 8, 2018.

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