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FOR PILOTS AND OTHER FLIGHT
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BARBADOS CIVIL AVIATION DEPARTMENT (BCAD)

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MEMBERS REQUIRING AVIATION MEDICALS**

Consequent upon the passage of a new Civil Aviation Act, together with new Civil Aviation Regulations conforming to the revised international civil aviation standards. The medical validity periods of pilots and other flight crew members require aviation medicals have been modified.

The issuance of the new medical validity periods of pilots and other flight crew members requiring aviation medicals will take effect from 1st January 2008.

New medical validity periods

| Flight crew | Validity period / Years of age | | | |
|--|--------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Pilots | Under 40 | 40 to 50 | 50 to 60 | Over 60 |
| airline transport pilot licences — aeroplane, helicopter, powered-lift, commercial pilot licences — aeroplane, airship, helicopter and powered-lift, who are engaged in <u>single-crew</u> commercial air transport operations carrying passengers, | 12months | 6months | 6months | 6months |
| airline transport pilot licences — aeroplane, helicopter, powered-lift, commercial pilot licences — aeroplane, airship, helicopter and powered-lift, who are engaged in <u>multi-crew</u> pilot commercial air transport operations | 12months | 12months | 12months | 6months |
| private pilot licences — aeroplane, airship, helicopter and powered-lift, free balloon pilot licences, glider pilot licences | 60months | 24months | 12months | 12months |
| Other flight members | | | | |
| flight navigator licence | 12months | 12months | 12months | 12months |
| flight engineer's licence | 12months | 12months | 12months | 12months |

Note.1 — The periods of validity listed above are based on the age of the applicant at the time of undergoing the medical examination.

Note 2.— The period of validity will, for the last month counted, include the day that has the same calendar number as the date of the medical examination or, if that month has no day with that number, the last day of that month.