



**Civil Aviation Authority
of Solomon Islands**

Petition for an Exemption

This section must be completed

From:		Date:	Representing:		
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Charges: In accordance with the Schedule of Fees and Charges to the Civil Aviation Act 2008, there is a charge of **SBD1,500.00** per hour to cover the cost of processing exemptions, whether or not the exemption is granted.

Petitions for Exemptions can only be granted on one of the grounds specified in *Section 47 of the Civil Aviation Act 2008*. These are:

- (a) the requirement has been substantially complied with and that further compliance is unnecessary; or
- (b) the prescribed requirements are clearly unreasonable or inappropriate in the particular case; or
- (c) events have occurred that make the prescribed requirements unnecessary or inappropriate in the particular case;

and that action taken or provision made in respect of the matter to which the requirement relates is as effective or more effective than actual compliance with the requirement and the risk to safety will not be significantly increased by the granting of the exemption.

This form details the information the Director needs to assess each petition against the provisions of Section 41. Either complete the boxes below, or preferably, on single sided paper type out the petition using the same headings to provide the information, and attach it to this form.

The rule from which exemption is sought: State in full. e.g. Rule 121.517(b)(2)	
The grounds for the exemption: Section 41 (a), (b), or (c)	

The reason for the petition: State the reason you are not able to comply with the rule and the nature of the relief requested from it.

The reason for the petition, continued:

Justification: Provide any information you can to support your petition and in particular, evidence to confirm you meet the grounds on which the exemption is sought.

Comment on the safety issues that may arise if the exemption is granted or declined:

Forward your Petition with this cover sheet and include all the necessary relevant information to:

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EXEMPTION POWER OF DIRECTOR – (section 47 of CA Act 2008)

41. (1) The Director may, in consultation with the Minister, exempt any person, aircraft, aeronautical product, airport or aviation related service from any specified requirement in any ordinary rule, if he or she considers it appropriate and upon such conditions as he or she considers appropriate.
- (2) Before granting an exemption, the Director must be satisfied in the circumstances of each case that:
- (d) the requirement has been substantially complied with and that further compliance is unnecessary; or
 - (e) the prescribed requirements are clearly unreasonable or inappropriate in the particular case; or
 - (f) events have occurred that make the prescribed requirements unnecessary or inappropriate in the particular case;
- and that the risk to safety will not be significantly increased by the granting of the exemption.
- (3) The Director must notify an exemption as soon as practicable in the Gazette.
- (4) Nothing in this section apply in any case where any rule specifically provides that no exemptions are to be granted.