

**SECTION 2.03**

**FLIGHT CREW CERTIFICATE**

**SENIOR INSTRUCTOR RATING – GYROGLIDER**

**REQUIREMENTS FOR ISSUE**

1. An applicant for the issue of an ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) Rating shall, unless approved by the Operations Manager:
  - a. be the holder of a valid ASRA Pilot Certificate, endorsed with an ASRA Instructor (Gyroglider) Rating;
  - b. comply with the medical standard specified in Section 2.01 of this Manual;
  - c. have been an ASRA Instructor (Gyroglider) for a period of at least 12 months.

**AERONAUTICAL EXPERIENCE**

2. Prior to undertaking an assessment for upgrading an ASRA Instructor (Gyroglider) Rating to an ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) Rating, a candidate, unless otherwise approved by the Operations Manager, shall:
  - a. have not less than 50 hours as pilot-in-command of gyroplanes; and
  - b. have not less than 25 hours flying experience in gyrogliders; and
  - c. have completed not less than 250 take-offs and landings in gyrogliders; and
  - d. satisfy an ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) approved by the Operations Manager, that he is capable of training and correctly assessing a student's readiness to undertake a first solo flight. This ability shall be demonstrated for at least 3 different students. (Pilots holding Senior Instructor (Gyroplane) Ratings issued by ASRA may be taken as meeting this requirement.)

**PRIVILEGES**

3. An ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) Rating authorises the holder to:
  - a. conduct theory and in-flight instruction in gyrogliders for the holders of ASRA Student Pilot and Pilot Certificates;
  - b. authorise the undertaking of first and subsequent solo flights in a gyroglider by the holders of ASRA Student Pilot and Pilot Certificates;
  - c. conduct endorsement training and testing, and recommend the issue of such endorsements in accordance with Section 2.03 of the ASRA Operations Manual, provided that he himself holds that endorsement;
  - d. conduct Flight Reviews for the holders of ASRA Pilot Certificates endorsed with gyroglider.

**LIMITATIONS**

4. The holder of an ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) Rating shall not:
  - a. conduct in-flight instruction unless he has, during the last two years, satisfactorily passed a flight check with an ASRA CFI, or another ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) approved by the Operations Manager; and
  - b. carry students in gyroglider unless he has during the last 90 days, completed a minimum of 5 takeoffs and landings as pilot-in-command of a gyroglider.

**PERIOD OF VALIDITY**

5. Unless cancelled, suspended or extended by the Operations Manager, an ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) rating shall remain valid for a period of two years from the date of issue or renewal. The Operations Manager may give an extension of no more than 90 days.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR RENEWAL**

6. An applicant for the renewal of an ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) Rating shall:

- a. within 90 days prior to the expiry date of his rating, submit to a check flight with an ASRA CFI, the Operations Manager or his nominee, and successfully demonstrate his competence and instructional ability;
- b. comply with the medical standard specified in Section 2.01 of this Manual; and
- c. forward a renewal application, together with the Medical Certificate and the appropriate fee, so as to reach the Registrar at least 21 days prior to the expiry date of the rating.

**NOTE:** Failure to renew an ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) Rating by the due date means that the rating is no longer valid and the holder may not exercise the privileges of the rating until it is renewed.

Where an ASRA Senior Instructor (Gyroglider) is located in a remote area where access to an ASRA CFI or approved person is difficult, the foregoing notwithstanding, the Operations Manager may approve in writing an alternative source of examination.

#### **ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

7. ASRA Senior Instructors (Gyroglider) will make all training records available to the Operations Manager, the Training Officer, an ASRA CFI, officers of CASA and Police Officers on demand.

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