

Certidrones,
the drone safety certification mark

Drawing on Apave's acknowledged expertise and using tried and tested aeronautical safety audit methods, Certidrones offers a full safety audit procedure for drone operators.

Safety audit for Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems operators

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CERTIDRONES : ASSESSMENT THAT MAKES A DIFFERENCE



CERTIDRONES CAN ADAPT TO SUIT DIFFERENT NATIONAL AND MILITARY REGULATIONS

SAFETY AUDIT

A safety audit leads in two stages:

- Analysis of operator documentation, including MAP, DNC, type compliance certification, insurance...
- On-site assessment under real flight conditions of compliance with instructions and procedures in place to control risks.

DELIVERABLES

A detailed report including:

- the overall score in relation to the reference standards used,
- a classification based on the main aeronautical risks,
- deviations from applicable regulations
- a recommendation regarding the operation of the drone (permit to fly)
- recommendations and areas for improvement concerning risks associated with drone operations.

PRE-REQUISITES

The drone operator must have declared their activities to the Authorities.

DELIVERY SCHEDULE

The audit report is issued three days after the documentary analysis and on-site assessment.

ASSESSMENTS AREAS

- **Organisation:** soundness of the company, public liability insurance, financial health,
- **Staff skills:** training and qualifications,
- **Assignment preparation:** equipment maintenance, redundancy of equipment,
- **Risk prevention and response:** loss of control of the drone, failure to control flight perimeter, takeoff/landing area safety, loss of video signal, flying objects (blade downwash).

OPERATORS

Demonstrate management of aeronautical risks, stand out from the competition, open up to new markets, reduce authorisation request lead times.

CHARTERERS

Facilitate operator selection and know their risk management level.

INSURERS

Improve assessment of risks associated with drone operations to offer suitable insurance premiums.

CIVIL AND MILITARY AUTHORITIES

Facilitate the processing of administrative requests, reduce examination times, operator listing and approval.

