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## **HAZARDS FROM ICE FALLING FROM AIRCRAFT IN FLIGHT**

ICAO has drawn the attention of Member States to the hazards posed by ice falling or otherwise departing from aircraft. These may be summarised as follows:

- Ice falling from aircraft in flight is a hazard to persons and property on the ground.
- Ice ingestion by engines from water and toilet servicing points located forward of the engine intakes is also a hazard.
- Operators and maintainers of aircraft should ensure that servicing of potable water tanks and toilets is carried out in accordance with the prescribed maintenance procedures, instructions, and other information for the aircraft concerned.
- Frequent inspection of the associated drain valves to detect deteriorated seals and sealing of drain caps should be carried out to obviate any leakage or seepage build up.

This notice replaces Aeronautical Notice A.33 at issue 01 which should be discarded.

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