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Requirements for Registering a Small Unmanned Aircraft Safety Training Facility

The Irish Aviation Authority (IAA), in pursuance of Articles 4 and 7 of the Irish Aviation Authority (Small Unmanned Aircraft (Drones) and Rockets) Order, (S.I. No. 563 of 2015) (hereinafter referred to as “the Order”), hereby directs that an organisation or legal person providing a course of Safety Training accepted by the IAA for operators of Small Unmanned aircraft shall;

1. Make an application to register that person or organisation in a manner prescribed by the IAA.
2. Ensure that such safety training complies with the syllabus in Appendix 1 to this notice or with such syllabus or additional syllabus as may be notified by the IAA.
3. Develop and maintain a Procedures Manual acceptable to the Irish Aviation Authority.
4. An organisation or person providing a course of safety training for operators of Small Unmanned aircraft shall register as a training facility, with the Irish Aviation Authority.

**Chief Executive
Irish Aviation Authority**

Explanatory Note

This note does not purport to be part of the legal direction
This direction is necessary to set out the legal framework for persons or organisations providing small-unmanned aircraft safety training courses, as required by the Irish Aviation Authority (Small Unmanned Aircraft (Drones) and Rockets) Order, (S.I. No. 563 of 2015).

APPENDIX 1

SUA Training Syllabus

The training course for a small-unmanned aircraft pilot (SUA Pilot) shall include the following topics as applicable:

1. Ground Training

Theoretical Knowledge			
1	Air Law	6	Principles of Flight
2	Meteorology	7	Aircraft General Knowledge
3	Navigation	8	Flight Performance and Planning
4	Human Factors	9	Risk and Risk Assessment
5	Aircraft Performance		

2. Practical Flight Training

The Flight Training syllabus shall cover all the practical flight-training exercises required to pass the applicable SUA Pilot Competency Certificate test.