

New FPL Format - 2012

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www.onlinefpl.in is back for filing of flight plan with update for New Flight Plan format 2012.

In New FPL Format, there are lot of dependencies regarding the RCN Equipment field and the Tokens in Field 18. New Field 10a and 10b indicators have been introduced to indicate the serviceable equipment on board and the communication and navigation capabilities commensurate with flight crew qualifications. Free Text is limited to RMK/ in item 18 with no special characters. Field 18 is arranged by various tokens with strict validations and sequence. Special characters which were used previously for eg "/" is no more used. Only alphanumeric characters and space are allowed.

The sequence of indicators is also mandatory. There is interdependency of item 10 with item 18 tokens like PBN/ COM/ DAT/ NAV/. For eg., If R is mentioned in 10a, PBN/ is mandatory. We have updated the flight plan filing form in accordance with the new flight plan format. Due to strictness in validation rules, the form is split into multi page format for easiness and prompt validation.

There are some conditional fields which switches on based on the input. For eg., If DEP/ is ZZZZ, then another field will pop up requesting user to enter the nearest airport from the intended place of departure. The entry is mandatory in item 18 under DEP/. And the field no more accepts free text. Only LAT/LONG or bearing/Dist from Significant Point only is allowed. The same is applicable with DEST/ and ATLN/.

We will provide an online help/faq for filing of flight plan in new format. In case of any doubt/clarification, kindly mail to us at webmaster@onlinefpl.in or biadms@aai.aero. Those who have not yet provided the necessary documents, kindly provide at the earliest for the activation on account.

Wishing you all a Merry X'mas and a Happy New Year- 2014..!!

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