



## **SAFETY ALERT 08/2016**

**Issued: 8<sup>th</sup> September 2016**

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**SUBJECT:**

CONFLICTING AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL (ATC) INSTRUCTION WHILE OPERATING IN UKRAINE FIRS

**REFERENCE PUBLICATION:**

ROSI Report

**CATEGORY:**

Attention/Recommendation

**REASON:**

The purpose of this Safety Alert is to:

- alert all UAE operators flying in Ukraine FIRs on the possibility of encountering unauthorized and conflicting ATC instructions; and
- recommend those operator to take appropriate measures to deal with such type of event.

**APPLICABILITY:**

All UAE AOC and POC Holders

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**Description:**

An event had been reported via ROSI by a UAE operator regarding receiving contradicting ATC instructions while en-route to Borysil International Airport- Kiev, Ukraine on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2016.

The transmission was on the guard frequency and from an unknown source.

**Recommendation:**

As safety risk may arise from such type of event, UAE operators should take appropriate measures to mitigate the adverse impact of such event on their flight crews. Appropriate procedures should be developed to advise their flight crews on the necessary action(s) to take.

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