

# **Partnership for Safety Plans**

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# **“FAA & Industry Guide to Product Certification”**

- Also known as “Certification Process Improvement (CPI) Guide”
- Developed by FAA and industry
- Available via RGL

# CPI Goals

- Clear understanding of FAA/applicant needs
- Reduce certification cycle time and cost
- Ensure regulatory compliance
- Up front planning
- Communication
- More time to focus on safety

# **CPI Building Blocks**

- Partnership for Safety Plan (PSP)
- Project Specific Certification Plan (PSCP)
- Project Evaluation Form (PEF)

# What's in a PSP?

- Mutual expectations
- Timelines
- Deliverables
- Delegation
- Conformity procedures
- Communication protocol
- Issue resolution processes

# Getting Started

- Review CPI Guide
- Discuss with SACO
- Develop initial draft
- Review and further develop draft with SACO specialists
- SACO and applicant's management approval