

## AMERICAN CHAMPION INTRODUCES THE AMERICAN CHAMPION AVIATORS MODEL CODE OF CONDUCT

**November 9, 2007** – American Champion, manufacturer of FAA certified light acrobatic and utility aircraft for pleasure, work, and training which are the most versatile and affordable two seat tandem tail-dragger in its class, today announces the creation and distribution of the *American Champion Aviators Model Code of Conduct* (ACAMCC), an implementation of the *Aviators Model Code of Conduct*. “We are pleased to provide the American Champion community with this important safety tool. The exercise of good judgment and an aspiration to excellence underlay both flight safety and American Champion’s legacy commitment to the GA community,” said Jerry Mehlhaff, Jr., Vice President of Engineering, American Champion.



The Code of conduct provides voluntary tools to advance aviation safety and GA citizenship. Its principles are presented within its seven sections: (1) General Responsibilities of Aviators; (2) Passengers and People on the Surface; (3) Training and Proficiency; (4) Security; (5) Environmental Issues; (6) Use of Technology; and (7) Advancement and Promotion of General Aviation. To further the effective use of the Code of Conduct’s principles, *sample recommended practices* offer examples of how pilots might integrate the principles into their own practices. Additionally, extensive commentary supports the Code of Conduct by addressing selected issues within the Code to elaborate on their meaning, provide interpretive guidance, and help determine the most effective ways to adopt the AMCC.

The Code of Conduct is a living document, intended to be updated periodically to reflect changes in LSA practices and the aviation environment. It is available as a free public service together with supporting materials at <[www.secureav.com](http://www.secureav.com)>. The Permanent Editorial Board for the Code of Conduct is presented at <[www.secureav.com/PEB.pdf](http://www.secureav.com/PEB.pdf)>. For further information about the AMCC contact <[PEB@secureav.com](mailto:PEB@secureav.com)>. For further information about American Champion, visit <[www.amerchampionaircraft.com](http://www.amerchampionaircraft.com)>.

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