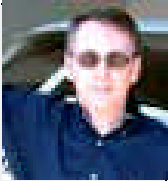






## Permanent Editorial Board Launched for the *Aviators' Model Code of Conduct*

**October 19, 2004**—A Permanent Editorial Board (PEB) has been launched to provide editorial oversight and stewardship of the *Aviators' Model Code of Conduct* (AMCC)—available at < [www.secureav.com](http://www.secureav.com) >. The AMCC presents broad guidance for general aviation (GA) pilots to help them advance airmanship, flight safety, and the vibrancy and culture of GA.

The AMCC is a “living document,” intended to be revised periodically as warranted by new information, events, and needs within GA. It is also “organizationally neutral”—neither owned nor controlled by any particular GA organization. This neutrality both advances the AMCC’s acceptability within GA and ensures that the viewpoints of diverse organizations within and outside the GA community are considered during drafting and revision. Indeed, the AMCC’s neutrality and objectivity have been essential to the success of the project and must be continually fostered to ensure that it remains valuable for the broadest reaches of the GA community.

Because the AMCC is a living document, a formal editorial body is essential to oversee and provide balance to ongoing revisions. Therefore, an esteemed group of insightful experts from AMCC-adopting entities and other industry organizations have been gathered to act as the PEB. Its Founding Members are:

	<p><b>Michael S. Baum, JD, MBA, CISSP</b> <i>Principal,</i> <a href="http://www.secureav.com">SecureAv</a></p>	<p>Michael Baum is a private pilot, author, attorney and previously an Internet security executive.</p>
	<p><b>Jim Lauerman</b> <i>Executive Vice President,</i> <a href="http://www.avemco.com">Avemco Insurance Company</a></p>	<p>Jim Lauerman is the Chief Underwriting Officer for Avemco. He has an ATP Certificate, has owned his own flight school, and has acted as a Chief Flight Instructor and Chief Pilot.</p>
	<p><b>Michael Radomsky</b> <i>President,</i> <a href="http://www.cirrusowners.com">Cirrus Owners and Pilots Association</a></p>	<p>Michael Radomsky learned to fly in his native South Africa. Since his retirement from his computer technology company, he satisfies his passion for flying by serving as a volunteer to various aviation bodies. He owns a Cirrus SR22.</p>
	<p><b>Rusty Sachs, JD</b> <i>Executive Director,</i> <a href="http://www.nafli.org">National Association of Flight Instructors</a></p>	<p>Rusty Sachs is a retired lawyer, a Marine Corps aviator who flew more than 700 combat missions in Vietnam. A pilot since high school, he has dedicated his life to aviation education and safety.</p>
	<p><b>Josh Smith</b> <i>General Manager,</i> <a href="http://www.westvalleyflyingclub.com">The West Valley Flying Club</a></p>	<p>Josh Smith manages the largest non-profit flying club in the world where he previously served as Chief Pilot. Josh comes from a family of pilots. He started flying when three years old.</p>