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For pilots and air traffic controllers – July 7, 2019 is the new deadline for renewing your medical from Doctors.dk

The Danish Transport, Construction and Housing Authority (DTCHA) has previously written to you, because you had a medical certificate issued by Doctors.dk within the last year. At that time, we informed you that your medical had to be renewed no later than June 7, 2019, even if it had a longer validity period. The renewal requirement only applies to holders of Class 1, Class 2 and Class 3 medicals. If you are a holder of a Cabin Crew Attestation or a holder of a solely LAPL medical, you can disregard this letter.

Our decision has had an impact on several individuals, who have had difficulty booking an appointment with an AME and going through a new health examination before the deadline.

New deadline for renewal of some medicals

Since you received the letter in April, our newly appointed medical assessor has been reviewing all medicals issued by Doctors.dk to pilots and air traffic controllers.

Based on this review, the DTCHA has assessed that the deadline for renewal of medicals for many can be deferred 1 month. This means that the renewal of your health examination must be carried out no later than July 7, 2019. After this date, the validity of Class 1, Class 2 and Class 3 medical certificates issued by Doctors.dk will lapse immediately. There will be no further postponements regarding the deadline for the renewal.

We are in the process of a more detailed review of the cases, and in those cases where the detailed review reveals that the conditions for issuing the medical certificate have not been fully met, your medical will be revoked. In particular, it is the conditions relating to vision and cardiology that are expected to lead to the revoking of a medical.

If you are one of those who get your medical revoked, we will send a letter to you as soon as possible. If you already received a new medical, you can of course disregard such a letter that your medical has been revoked.

If you do not receive a letter from us about your particular medical, then you can continue to fly with your medical from Doctors.dk until July 7, 2019, where the validity ceases without further notice.

Medicals that are not renewed before July 7, 2019

If you have not renewed your medical before the deadline of July 7, 2019, you must send your medical to the DTCHA.

As a result, you can not submit your medical to the AME at the renewal as you normally do. On that note, we encourage you to take a photo or copy of your medical before you submit it to the DTCHA. We will inform the Danish AME's that in this particular situation, we consider this to be sufficient evidence that you have had the medical and that a new medical can be issued on the basis of a photo or a copy.

Possibility of converting Class 2 to LAPL

Several Class 2 pilots have asked about the possibility of continuing to use the LAPL part of the medical, if only this part is needed.

That is unfortunately not an option, but the DTCHA is prepared to switch the medical to a LAPL medical. If you wish to continue with the LAPL medical until the expiry date of this part of the medical, you must send your medical to the DTCHA and request that it be converted to a LAPL medical.

The DTCHA will then issue a LAPL medical with the remaining validity period.

Reimbursement of expenses

Several individuals have asked about the possibilities of having costs reimbursed for the extra examination.

We encourage you to follow [our](#) and the [Ministry's](#) websites regarding this question.

Best regards

Kåre Clemmesen