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From: Commander, Training Air Wing FIVE
To: Commanding Officer, Training Squadron EIGHT
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Commanding Officer, Training Squadron TWENTY EIGHT
Officer in Charge, Helicopter Instructor Training Unit

Subj: READ AND INITIAL 16-11: TH-57 RESERVE FUEL PLANNING REQUIREMENT

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 3710.7U
(b) 14 CFR Part 91.167
(c) NAVAIR 01-H57BC-1 (TH-57B/C NATOPS)

1. Effective: Immediately.
2. Cancellation: READ AND INITIAL 16-09: TH-57 RESERVE FUEL PLANNING REQUIREMENT
3. Expiration: Until implementation of COMTRAWINGFIVEINST 3710.8T.
4. Background: Reference (c) has been amended and the reference to required fuel on deck has been removed and replaced with a minimum reserve requirement of 10 gallons. To provide standardized fuel planning, the following guidance is provided.

5. Action:

(a) All TW-5 TH-57B/C helicopters shall **plan to land** with a minimum of 10 gallons of fuel. All aircrew are required to comply with references (a) and (b) regarding fuel reserves; it is not necessary to add reserve fuel to the 10 gallon on deck fuel requirement.

(b) Reflect this change to all required TH-57 Instrument Navigation flight/fuel planning stage training materials.

5. The TW-5 Point of Contact for this Read and Initial is the TH-57B/C NATOPS Program Manager, LT Sarah Melick at sarah.melick@navy.mil or (850) 665-7047.


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