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## Memorandum

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Subject: Certificate of Waiver or Authorization Pen & Ink Change  
Certificate of Waiver or Authorization 2010-ESA-38-COA-R

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Explanation of change: Adds Special Provision that requires Pilot in Command (PIC) to hold at least a Private Pilot Certificate, or military equivalent, for UAS flight above 400' Above Ground Level (AGL)

Add Special Provision # 18 as follows:

18. For operations above 400 Feet Above Ground Level (AGL), the PIC must hold at least a Private Pilot Certificate, or military equivalent.

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