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Canadians Flying Turbines in the USA

The MAAC R/C Jet Committee would like to remind members that the Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA, both recognizes and requires that Canadians hold **either** MAAC's Canadian Turbine Operators Certificate (TOC) **or** AMA's Turbine Waiver when flying turbines at AMA sites in the USA. For MAAC members, acquiring a TOC while still in Canada is a simpler and more streamlined process than getting the AMA's Turbine Waiver.

In addition, Canadian modellers **must** hold a FAA permit, be at least an affiliate member of the AMA, and have passed The Recreational UAS Safety Test (TRUST) exam which is administered by the AMA.

Canadians must be constantly aware that there is new legislation working its way thru the USA Federal government, which could/would change the laws and impact the ability of foreign pilots to fly there. It is strongly recommended you check with the AMA to confirm what the current requirements are before you travel to the USA.

The links below will take you to important information for all MAAC members flying RPAS in the United States.

TRUST Test (free for public): <https://trust.modelaircraft.org/>

FAA Registration: <https://faadronezone.faa.gov/#/>

Altitude limits for Controlled Airspace (web map):

<https://faa.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=9c2e4406710048e19806ebf6a06754ad>

Altitude limits for Controlled Airspace (free app for AMA members): <https://uasidekick.com/ama/>