**EASA Part 147 Considering OJT & Practical Training**

**1/ What is a difference between Examination and Assessment?**

**2/ What is the difference between Practical Training and on the Job Training?**

**Examination & Assessment**

Examination is a written form of demonstration of a certain level of theoretical knowledge by the student based on achievement of the learning objectives, usually performed on completion of a theoretical training course or a portion of a course.

The standard, format, pass mark, etc. are defined in Appendix III, 4.1. The examination shall be performed by the appropriately trained and approved examiner.

**Assessment** is a practical form of measuring the competence of the student by evaluating three major factors associated to the learning objectives: knowledge, skills and attitude,

The assessment should focus on the competencies relevant to the aircraft type and its maintenance.

The assessment shall be performed by appropriately trained and approved assessors.

**Practical Training and on the Job Training?**

The practical assessment addresses the practical portion of any type training whereas the OJT assessment addresses the additional practical experience necessary to gain in a true maintenance environment as part of the first type rating

**Practical Training**

Practical Training is part of a course of training required to add a type rating to a Part-66 licence and must be completed for all type rating applications.

Practical training is performed under the control of a Part-147 organisation in accordance with the procedures detailed in the organisations MTOE and compliant with Part-66 Appendix III,

(May be carried out by Part 145 or the manufacturer - under the direct control of the Part 147 organisation.)

To evaluate if the candidate has gained the required competence in performing safe maintenance, inspections and routine work according to the aircraft documentation and other relevant instructions and tasks as appropriate for the type of aircraft.

A list of tasks is described in Part-66, Appendix III 3.2, of which at least 50% of these tasks should be completed during the practical training element.

A final assessment shall be performed by an appropriately nominated person from the Part-147 organisation delivering the training.

The assessment may be:

Performed task-by-task

Performed as a group of tasks

Partly executed on simulation devices

Summative (partial or final evaluation)

Performed as a final assessment

**On the Job Training**

On the Job Training (OJT) is required for the first type rating within a given licence category. The OJT is performed always under the control of a Part-145 organisation in accordance with procedures detailed in the organisations MOE and compliant with Part-66 Appendix III, 6.

To confirm the completion of the required diversity and quantity of OJT, based on the supervisor(s) reports and feedback. It is sufficient that the completion of individual OJT tasks is confirmed by the direct supervisor(s), without being necessary the direct evaluation of the assessor.

A list of tasks is provided in Appendix II of appendices to AMCI to Part-66 at least 50% of which should be completed during the OJT. A final assessment shall be performed by an appropriately qualified assessor nominated by the Part-145 organisation.

May be delivered by:

Continuous during OJT (confirmed by the direct supervisor)

Summative, as a final evaluation of the completeness of the OJT (based on the supervisor(s) reports and feedback)