



Checklist

Validation of a foreign balloon pilot's licence (maximum 1 year limited certificate of validation of a valid foreign pilot's licence)

Requirements for the issuance of a Swiss validation certificate balloon issued on the basis of a valid ICAO-balloon pilot's licence issued in a non-EASA member state:

- Minimum total flying hours experience on balloons in accordance with national Rules of Pilot's Licensing RPL SR 748.222.1 (art. 206)
- Licence application form completely filled in and signed by the applicant (FOCA Form. 69.975)
- Copies of all pages of the valid foreign pilot's licence (pending licence is not accepted)
- Copies of all pages of the corresponding valid foreign medical certificate (if required)
- Copies of last 3 pages of the logbook
- Copy of passport

Verification of the foreign pilot's licences and medical certificates

By filling the application form, the applicant will authorise the issuing Civil Aviation Authorities of his foreign licences and medical certificates to provide all relevant information for the corresponding application to the Swiss Federal Office of Civil Aviation (FOCA)

Validity of validation certificate

As long as the foreign pilot's licence but not longer than 12 months from the date of the issue of the validation

Revalidation/Renewal of validation certificate

Not applicable, please refer to the check list "Issuance of a Swiss EASA Part-FCL BPL" (Conversion of a foreign balloon pilot's licence)

Further information (instruction, medical, licensing)

- [FOCA homepage](#)
- ATO's

Important Note: The Validation Certificate is not valid for Revenue Flights with Swiss Registered Balloons

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