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Radar, and Long Range Navigation (LORAN). GPS also includes its Federal government-provided augmentations, *i.e.*, the FAA Wide Area Augmentation System (WAAS) and Local Area Augmentation System (LAAS), United States Coast Guard (USCG) Maritime Differential GPS (MDGPS) and USCG Nationwide Differential GPS (NDGPS).

North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD). A combined military command established by the Governments of Canada and the United States responsible for North American aerospace warning and control. Headquartered in Colorado Springs, CO, NORAD is subdivided into three geographic regions: Alaska NORAD Region (ANR), Canadian NORAD Region (CANR) and the CONUS NORAD Region (CONR).

Security assurance check. Measures taken by DoD/DHS, as appropriate, to ensure aircraft, cargo and crew security has not been compromised by hostile organizations or individuals who are or may be engaged in espionage, sabotage, subversion, terrorism or other criminal activities.

Security control authorization (SCA). Authorization for an EATPL category eight aircraft to take off when ESCAT has been implemented, which will be coordinated between DHS and the appropriate military authority.

Special Use Airspace (SUA). Airspace of defined dimensions identified by an area on the surface of the earth wherein activities must be confined because of their nature, and/or wherein limitation may be imposed upon aircraft operations that are not part of those activities. Types of special use airspace include Military Operations Areas, Prohibited Areas, Restricted Areas and Warning Areas.

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§ 245.6 Abbreviations and acronyms.

AADC—Area Air Defense Commander
ADE—Air Defense Emergency
ADIZ—Air Defense Identification Zone
ADLO—Air Defense Liaison Officer
AMC—Air Mobility Command
ANR—Alaska NORAD Region
AOR—Area of Responsibility

ARTCC—Air Route Traffic Control Center

ATC—Air Traffic Control

ATCSCC—Air Traffic Control System Command Center

CARDA—Continental U.S. Airborne Reconnaissance for Damage Assessment

CDS—Chief of the Defence Staff (Canada)

CERAP—Center-RAPCON

CJCS—Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff

CONR—CONUS NORAD Region

CONUS-Continental United States

CRAF—Civil Reserve Air Fleet

DEN—Domestic Event Network

DHS—Department of Homeland Security

DND—Department of National Defence (Canada)

DoD—Department of Defense

DOT—Department of Transportation

EATPL—ESCAT Air Traffic Priority List

E.O.—Executive Order

ESCAT—Emergency Security Control of Air Traffic

FAA—Federal Aviation Administration IFR—Instrument Flight Rules

LEA—Law Enforcement Agencies

LIFEGUARD—Civilian air ambulance flights

LNO—Liaison Officer

MEDEVAC—Medical air evacuation flight

NAS—National Airspace System

NEADS—Northeast Air Defense Sector (NORAD)

NORAD—North American Aerospace Defense Command

PACAF—Pacific Air Forces

SCA—Security Control Authorization

SEADS—Southeast Air Defense Sector (NORAD)

SUA—Special Use Airspace

TSA—Transportation Security Administration

USNORTHCOM—U.S. Northern Command

USPACOM—U.S. Pacific Command

VFR—Visual Flight Rules

WADS—Western Air Defense Sector (NORAD)

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