



# INTRODUCING **IS-BAO Progressive Stage 3 Option**

ADVANCING SAFETY IN A  
MATURE SAFETY SYSTEM





## IS-BAO PROGRESSIVE STAGE 3

Developed as an option for veteran International Standard for Business Aircraft Operations (IS-BAO) Stage 3 operations looking to leverage their advanced safety systems, the new Progressive Stage 3 (PS3) is the latest addition to the globally recognized IS-BAO program.

### WHY

Since 2002, when International Business Aviation Council (IBAC) first introduced IS-BAO to the business aviation industry, there have been hundreds of operators reach, and maintain their safety culture as a Stage 3 operation. Many Stage 3 operators today have a mature SMS and may be looking to the next step. As a result, the Progressive Stage 3 (PS3) option is now offered with a host of advancements to provide a personalized IS-BAO Stage 3 program with numerous benefits.



### ADVANCEMENTS OF PS3 :

- Annual low-impact one-day Progressive Audit with a specifically credentialed auditor that covers one third of the IS-BAO each year
  - Tailored chapters audited to support organization's relevant and current issues
- 10-year term with amortized pricing
- One workshop participation required during 10-year term – additional annual workshop participation at no additional cost

### HOW TO GET STARTED:

1. Receive a successful audit Stage 3 registration
2. The Operator Review Board (ORB) collaborates with operator to create a system and schedule integration that supports the operator's culture
3. Operator accepts Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) – consent to de-identified annual data sharing; reporting & mentoring activities; 10-year terms and conditions, etc.
4. For on-site annual audit - Progressive Credentialed Auditor to include SMS chapter 3 and all other IS-BAO chapters on a 36-month cycle
5. Operator shares SMS de-identified data, including, but not limited to: IAP findings, company risk register & hazard logs, safety committee reports & action items, ERP drills, ASAP corrective actions, FAQA/FDM-when applicable, SPIs/SPTs, culture surveys....and more.
6. PS3 operators get access to exclusive business aviation safety database

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## LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

- Mentoring with other IS-BAO Stage 3 operators
- Sharing of de-identified business aviation safety data exclusively available to the IS-BAO family for educational and benchmarking purposes
- IS-BAO Roundtable and/or Workshop facilitator opportunities
- Newsletter content contributions
- SafetyNet webinars presentations
- Operator Review Board participation

## BENEFITS:

- Access to exclusive IS-BAO safety database (PS3 shared de-identified data)
- IS-BAO comes to the operator via tailored schedule of audit chapters relevant to the operator
- Interaction and audit support from highly qualified and credentialed Progressive Auditors
- Provides additional pathways for continuous improvement
- Opportunities to participate in IS-BAO progress
- PS3 Leadership opportunities
- Long-term model with subscription options to simplify program management, planning and budgeting.






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