



Safety recommendation no. 450

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Safety deficit	Many pilots and owners of aircraft equipped with BPS (ballistic parachute system) have no idea what hazards BPS could involve.
Safety recommendation	The Federal Office of Civil Aviation should ensure that pilot training programs include details of how BPS work.
Addressees	BAZL Bundesamt für Zivilluftfahrt
Stage of the implementation	<p>Awaiting response. On the Civil Aviation Safety Officer (CASO) website, the FOCA takes the following position in relation to the present safety recommendation:</p> <p>In order to mitigate the safety deficits, a working group was established in the FOCA, consisting of colleagues from various safety departments. This working group reformulated the detailed and comprehensive safety recommendations into practically orientated and usable working packages. These cover the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Minimising risk to third parties, in particular for rescue forces by means of safety barriers• Exchange of information• Communication
Investigation report concerning the safety recommendation	<u>Rapport final</u> <u>Schlussbericht</u> <u>Final report</u>