8/22/2024 **FOR YOUR INFORMATION** 2024-159/9-2

To: Airport Manager, Denver Int'l Airport (DEN), CO, FAA (AJV-A, AAS-1), 2142725

Jeppesen Sanderson Inc.

Info: FAA (AVP-1, AVP-200, AFS-260, AFS-200, ANM-600, AAS-300, Director of Air

Traffic Operations WSA, Runway Safety Team), A4A, ALPA, AMFA, APA, ASAP, ATSG, CAPA, IAM, IATA, ICASS, IFALPA, IPA, NTSB, PAMA, SWAPA

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From: Becky L. Hooey, Director

NASA Aviation Safety Reporting System

Re: DEN Airport Ground Visibility Concern

We recently received ASRS reports describing a safety concern that may involve your area of operational responsibility. We do not have sufficient details to assess either the factual accuracy or possible gravity of the report. It is our policy to relay the reported information to the appropriate authority for evaluation and any necessary follow-up. We feel you should be aware of the enclosed deidentified report.

To properly assess the usefulness of our alert message service, we would appreciate it if you would take the time to give us your feedback on the value of the information that we have provided. Please contact Dr. Becky Hooey at (408) 541-2854 or email at becky.l.hooey@nasa.gov.





ACN 2142725	
DATE / TIME	
Date of Occurrence Local Time Of Day	202407 1201 to 1800
PLACE	
Locale State Altitude - AGL	DEN.Airport CO 0
ENVIRONMENT	
Flight Conditions	VMC
AIRCRAFT / EQUIPMENT X	
Make Model Name Operating Under FAR Part	Commercial Fixed Wing 121
PERSON 1	
Function - Flight Crew Function - Flight Crew ASRS Report Number	Captain Pilot Flying 2142725
EVENTS	
Anomaly	Deviation / Discrepancy - Procedural - Published Material / Policy Ground Event / Encounter - Other / Unknown
Detector - Person	Flight Crew
NARRATIVE 1	

The 10-9 page for Denver includes no hot spot for our newest danger zone, [Taxiway Intersection] M/EE. It was proposed on the radio the other day that discussions be begun to lower the hill at that corner as you are blind to opposing traffic in almost all scenarios until you are almost too close to respond.

SYNOPSIS

Air carrier Captain reported the DEN airport diagram needed a hot spot designation for a hill that limits visibility and results in pilots being blind to opposing traffic.