RIC PERI JOINS PERMANENT EDITORIAL BOARD

October 2009—Richard (Ric) Peri has joined the Permanent Editorial Board (PEB) of the *Aviators Model Code of Conduct* initiative. Long-term mentor and contributor to the initiative, Peri is the Vice President of Government and Industry Affairs for the Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA). In this position, he supports 1300 aviation companies and monitors the drafting of aviation regulations world-wide. He actively participates in rulemaking in Europe, Canada, Australia and the United States.

Peri has over thirty-five years experience in flight operations, aircraft maintenance, and airport operations. He is a technical expert on international aviation maintenance regulations, repair station operations, environmental management, and occupational safety. Mr. Peri is a

U. S. Coast Guard veteran, a graduate of Embry Riddle Aeronautical University and former faculty of the University of Southern California and Embry Riddle Aeronautical University.

Peri has been recognized for his accomplishments by the White House, the U. S. Coast Guard, and ASTM International. He is an internationally recognized author and lecturer on aviation maintenance issues including regulations, industrial safety and environmental management. He Chairs ASTM Int'l Committee F39 on Normal and Utility Category Airplane Electrical Wiring Systems.

The PEB provides editorial oversight and stewardship of the *Aviators Model Code of Conduct* (AMCC) suite of codes, including the *Aviation Maintenance Technicians Model Code of Conduct*, the *Glider Aviators Model Code of Conduct*, the *Light Sport Aviators Model Code of Conduct*, the *Seaplane Pilots Model Code of Conduct*, the *Student Pilots Model Code of Conduct*, and supporting materials (collectively, "the Codes"). The Codes provide tools to advance airmanship, flight safety, professionalism, and the vibrancy of the aviation community. The Codes are "living documents," intended to be updated periodically to reflect changes in aviation practices and the aviation environment.

The Codes are available to the aviation community as a free public service at <www.secureav.com>. The Permanent Editorial Board is presented at <www.secureav.com/PEB.pdf>. For further information about the AMCC initiative contact <PEB@secureav.com>.