



**HGFA Airwaves**  
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## NOTAM: VHF OPERATIONAL FREQUENCY REQUIREMENTS

VHF OPERATIONAL FREQUENCY REQUIREMENTS IN AUSTRALIA

CASA NOTAM email

Hi everyone,

There has been some confusion relating to the use of radio and correct frequencies for operations in non-towered aerodromes since the AIP was updated last year. Due to a number of comments and queries sent into CASA, the following NOTAM has been published which serves to clarify which frequency is to be used and under what circumstances:

C119/14 OPERATIONAL FREQUENCY REQUIREMENTS IN LIEU OF CURRENT AIP INFORMATION REGARDING OPERATIONS AT OR IN THE VICINITY OF NON-CONTROLLED AERODROMES, PILOTS MUST USE THE FOLLOWING FREQUENCIES FOR BROADCASTS:

- A. IN THE VICINITY OF AN AERODROME DEPICTED ON AERONAUTICAL CHARTS, WITH A DISCRETE FREQUENCY, THE DISCRETE CTAF SHOWN (INCLUDING BROADCAST AREA CTAF), OR OTHERWISE;
- B. IN THE VICINITY OF AN AERODROME DEPICTED ON AERONAUTICAL CHARTS, WITH NO DISCRETE FREQUENCY SHOWN, THE CTAF 126.7; OR
- C. IN ALL OTHER CASES, AREA VHF. PROCEDURES INCORPORATED IN AIP EFFECTIVE 21 AUG 2014. FROM 07 180435 TO 08 201559

It would be appreciated if you would advise all members of this NOTAM via whatever means you consider best in your organisation.

Regards,

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**Sincerely,**

The HGFA