TERMS OF REFERENCE
HAI UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS (UAS) COMMITTEE

OBJECTIVE

In accordance with the policies and procedures of the Association, the HAI UAS Committee is established to develop programs, policies and guidance to facilitate the safe integration of helicopters and unmanned aircraft into the National Air Space (NAS); to develop policies and best practices aimed at enhancing the safety and efficiency of manned and unmanned operations alike; to assist HAI operators, manufacturers and maintainers in their efforts to integrate unmanned systems into their operations; and to promote a pro-active foundation of cooperative communication between all sectors of manned and unmanned aviation in shared airspace. The UAS Committee serves at the pleasure of the HAI Board of Directors and, as such, will act on behalf of the entire HAI membership as directed by the HAI Board.

GUIDANCE MATERIALS

In all circumstances, efforts and actions of the Committee shall be conducted in accordance with the HAI Committee Guidelines and Procedures Manual.

All Committee activity shall be conducted with full knowledge of, and close adherence to, the HAI Antitrust Compliance Guidelines.

MEMBERSHIP

Number of Members: The Unmanned Aircraft Systems Committee shall have at least five voting members, but not more than 25 members. The Chairperson, Vice Chairperson and Secretary plus a maximum of 22 voting members will constitute the total membership of the UAS Committee.

AMENDMENT OF TERMS OF REFERENCE

Upon a majority vote of the Committee, the Committee Chairperson, with the advice and consent of the Board Liaison and the Board Vice Chairman, may make application to the HAI Board of Directors through the Corporate Secretary for a change to the Terms of Reference.