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Further to this project, dated 16<sup>th</sup> of June 1999, please note our comments are as follows :

1. « workers at foreign repair stations to have a minimum of 18 months of **pratical** »  
18 months seem to be too much long. We think this experience can be reduced by 50 %.
2. « the obligation for the workers to understand, read and write the english language ». We think that is possible to do correctly the work as far as the responsible of the worker **practices** the english language, even if the worker himself is not familiar with the english language.
3. « Each repair station would be required to have an FAA approved training program for initial and recurrent training for all aviation maintenance personnel ».

We think, a training program has to be established taking into account the technical complexity and criticity of **aech** maintenance task.

This remarks are the main points we would like to notice about this project.

Yours faithfully.

  
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