## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

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

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

Operations CSA, Runway Safety Team), A4A, ALPA, AMFA, APA, ASAP, ATSG,

CAPA, IAM, IATA, ICASS, IFALPA, IPA, NTSB, PAMA, SWAPA, TWU

From: Becky L. Hooey, Director

NASA Aviation Safety Reporting System

Re: DEN Airport Taxiway Signage

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 2048506	
DATE / TIME	
Date of Occurrence Local Time Of Day	202310 0601 to 1200
PLACE	
Locale State Altitude - AGL	DEN.Airport CO 0
AIRCRAFT / EQUIPMENT X	
ATC / Advisory - Ground  Make Model Name  Operating Under FAR Part	DEN Commercial Fixed Wing 121
PERSON 1	
Function - Flight Crew Function - Flight Crew ASRS Report Number	Captain Pilot Flying 2048506
EVENTS	
Anomaly Anomaly	Deviation / Discrepancy - Procedural - Clearance Deviation / Discrepancy - Procedural - Published Material / Policy
Anomaly	Ground Incursion - Taxiway
Detector - Person Result - Flight Crew	Flight Crew Became Reoriented
NARRATIVE 1	

We were given clearance to taxi to 17L via M, EE, P7, ED. I missed the turn onto EE from M. I did see and read the note on the weather package regarding the opening of Taxiway EE, however the signs for EE were not in place at the intersection of M and EE. The frames for the signs were in place but they were blank. There was no information on the signs themselves. While certainly not the sole cause of my deviation, I think it is fair to say that it was a contributing factor as I was consciously looking for the signage. If there was a NOTAM regarding the missing/incomplete signage, I missed it.

Suggestion: An additional note on the weather package indicating that the signage is not in place and or a NOTAM.

## **SYNOPSIS**

Air carrier Captain reported a taxi clearance deviation. The Captain stated the taxiway signs at EE and M are blank.