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3.e	The FTD must provide control forces and control travel that correspond to the rep- licated helicopter or set of helicopters. Con- trol forces must react in the same manner as in the helicopter or set of helicopters under the same flight conditions			x	x	
3.f	The FTD must provide control forces and control travel of sufficient precision to manually fly an instrument approach. The control forces must react in the same man- ner as in the helicopter or set of helicopters under the same flight conditions		x			
4. Instructor	or Evaluator Facilities.					
4.a	In addition to the flight crewmember stations, suitable seating arrangements for an in- structor/check airman and FAA Inspector must be available. These seats must pro- vide adequate view of crewmember's panel(s)	x	x	x	x	These seats need not be a replica of an air craft seat and may be as simple as an of fice chair placed in an appropriate position.
4.b	The FTD must have instructor controls that permit activation of normal, abnormal, and emergency conditions, as appropriate. Once activated, proper system operation must result from system management by the crew and not require input from the in- structor controls.	x	x	x	х	
5. Motion Sy	rstem					
5.a	A motion system may be installed in an FTD. If installed, the motion system operation must not be distracting. If a motion system is installed and additional training, testing, or checking credits are being sought, sen- sory cues must also be integrated. The mo- tion system must respond to abrupt input at the pilot's position within the allotted time, but not before the time when the helicopter responds under the same conditions. The motion system must be measured by la- tency tests or transport delay tests and may not exceed 150 milliseconds. Instrument re- sponse must not occur prior to motion onset	x	x	x	Х	
5.b	The FTD must have at least a vibration cue- ing system for characteristic helicopter vi- brations noted at the pilot station(s)				х	May be accomplished by a "seat shaker" or a bass speaker sufficient to provide the nec essary cueing.
6. Visual Sy	stem					
6.a 6.a.1	The FTD may have a visual system, if de- sired, although it is not required. If a visual system is installed, it must meet the fol- lowing criteria: The visual system must respond to abrupt input at the pilot's position.		x	x		
	An SOC is required					
6.a.2	The visual system must be at least a single channel, non-collimated display. An SOC is required	x	x	x		

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