

## **Vetting Services**

### **For air charter vetting, TTUS subscribes to ARG/US CHEQ**

*From the ARG/US website*

Aviation Research Group/US (ARG/US) is a leader in the field of corporate aviation safety and operational information. Their data and analysis cover a wide range of topics from aircraft operating costs, to safety and marketing databases. Responding to an industry-wide need for objective, non-intrusive, and fact-based safety analysis for part 135 charter operators, ARG/US has developed a rating system: The CHEQ report (Charter Evaluation and Qualification report). The CHEQ system has three major components: Historical Safety Ratings, Current Aircraft and Pilot Data, and On-Site Safety Audits. Analysis of these components results in three potential levels of safety rating: Gold, Gold Plus, and Platinum. Each level reflects analysis and ranking based on increasing amounts of detailed information on the charter operator.

### **CHEQ reports to assess prospective charter operators**

The CHEQ reports give you the background and safety information you need to make your charter decisions. They exhaustively research the most up to date information available on multiple databases to generate a comprehensive report on indicators and events that could impact the relative safety of Part 135 operators. Their databases are constantly updated to reflect recent activity as well as historical events. The databases searched for each CHEQ report include pilot certificates, aircraft registrations, operator certificates, accidents, incidents, service difficulty reports, enforcement actions, ownership, and management. Together this data is weighed and formatted into an easy to read executive summary, an ARG/US assigned rating, a graphic representation of the operator's three-year safety rating trend, and a comprehensive detail of the findings.

### **TripCHEQ to assess specific trips**

TripCHEQ engages the resources of the largest aviation safety databases in the world. Their system tracks pilot certifications, type ratings, accidents, incidents, violations, operator certificates, operational control of aircraft and aircraft insurance levels. Each factor is instantly checked for your specific trip parameters. Making CHEQ and TripCHEQ the most detailed and comprehensive safety reports available. When you submit the TripCHEQ form these factors are checked instantly and specifically for your trip parameters.