



## **PREFACE**

### **AUTHORITY**

The Rules and Regulations Manual for Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) is published under authority contained in Sections 632(b) and 633(a) and (b) of the Los Angeles City Charter, which empowers Los Angeles World Airports (LAWA) to make rules and regulations governing the use and control of City airports, subject to the powers of the United States respecting commerce.

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) has issued Federal Aviation Regulation (FAR) Part 139 and Transportation Security Regulation (TSR) Part 1540 and 1542, which requires Airport management to establish operational and safety procedures and institute certain security measures to meet FAA and TSA requirements for airport certification.

### **PURPOSE**

The primary purpose of this manual is to provide airport users with a single document representing a compendium of rules, regulations, procedures, and general information governing their activities at LAX. The objective of the manual is to promote the safe and efficient use of LAX facilities.

### **CONTENTS**

The regulatory provisions of this manual are established by City ordinances and municipal codes, resolutions adopted by the Board of Airport Commissioners (BOAC), directives issued by Airport management, and provisions of FAR Part 139 and TSR Part 1542. Selected maps and other documents are included as necessary to accomplish the purpose of the manual.

### **COMPLIANCE**

The importance of compliance with all Airport rules and regulations cannot be emphasized too strongly. City ordinance provides that any person violating or failing to comply with regulations established by the BOAC for control of the conduct of persons and ground operations on, and air traffic on and over the Airport, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$500.00, or by imprisonment in the City jail for such a period of not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

### **ENFORCEMENT**

The Deputy Executive Director, Operations and Emergency Management is assigned the overall responsibility of enforcing compliance with Airport Rules and Regulations. On a day to day basis this responsibility and commensurate authority is exercised by LAX Airport Operations and Airport Police Divisions. Under certain circumstances, assistance from the LAPD or other law enforcement agencies may be requested.

Successful enforcement, however, depends to a great extent on the full and active cooperation of all Airport user supervisors and employees. This requires a thorough



knowledge and understanding, through training programs, of applicable Airport Rules and Regulations on a continuing basis.

**DEVIATIONS**

The Executive Director or his/her designee may authorize, in writing, deviations from Airport Rules and Regulations when in their judgment, action is necessary to maintain established standards of operational safety and airport security, or in contingency situations affecting life and/or property in areas under the jurisdiction of LAX.