



IAC 36

Box Opening Procedure

Before using the box, you must make two phone calls. (It is possible to open the box for multiple days at a time, subject to the limitations at iac36.org)

Call #1 — FSS NOTAM Desk

(877) 487-6867

Say “California”, then “Southern California”. When a briefer answers:

“Hello. My name is [NAME] and I am calling from the Borrego Valley Airport in California, L08. We have an FAA waiver on file for an aerobatic practice area at the airport, which we’ll be using from [LOCAL TIME] to [LOCAL TIME] today. I’m calling to request a NOTAM be issued for this activity.”

If the briefer asks what the NOTAM should say, reply:

“Aerobatic Flight within an area defined as 0.8 NM radius of L08, SFC-5000 feet. Avoidance advised.”

Call #2 — LA Center

When a controller answers:

(661) 265-8235

“Hello. My name is [NAME] and I am calling from the Borrego Valley Airport, L08. We will be using the aerobatic box at the airport today from [LOCAL TIME] until [LOCAL TIME].”