

Twelve Standard Aviation Questions That Shout “Watch Out!”

1. Is this flight necessary?
2. Who is in charge?
3. Are all hazards identified and have you made them known?
4. Should you stop the operation on the flight due to change in conditions?
 Communications Weather Confusion
 Turbulence Personnel Conflicting Priorities
5. Is there a better way to do it?
6. Are you driven by an overwhelming sense of urgency?

7. Can you justify your actions?
8. Are there other aircraft in the area?
9. Do you have an escape route?
10. Are any rules being broken?
11. Are communications getting tense?
12. Are you deviating from the assigned operations of the flight?

Anyone can refuse or curtail a flight when an unsafe condition may exist. Never let undue pressure (expressed or implied) influence your judgment or decisions. Avoid mistakes, don't hurry!