

Captain Tom Kubik is the Safety Committee Chairman for the US Airline Pilots Association, the independent union representing the nearly 5000 pilots of US Airways. A 33 year veteran of US Airways he currently flies the A-330 and is based in Charlotte. He has extensive experience at the airline as both a line and management pilot having held positions as a Check Airman, Chief Instructor, FAA designee and Chief Pilot. He holds type ratings on Boeing 727, 737, 757, and 767 as well as the A-320 series in addition to the A-330. Captain Kubik has been intimately involved in recent cases of flight crew being exposed to hazardous fumes on the flight deck. He is also an integral member of the Coalition of Airline Pilots Association (CAPA) Safety Committee, a trade association, representing over 28,000 pilots of American, Southwest, UPS, ABX, and US Airways. This coalition addresses safety issues common to these individual member unions. Captain Kubik lives in Charlotte.