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MID ATS Message Management Center Steering Group

Second Meeting (MIDAMC STG/2)
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Agenda Item 6: Future Work Programme

FUTURE WORK PROGRAMME

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

The aim of this paper is to review and update, as deemed necessary, the Terms of Reference (TORs) of the MIDAMC STG and to agree on the dates and venue of its next meeting.

Action by the meeting is at paragraph 2.

REFERENCES

- MIDANPIRG Procedural Handbook

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 In accordance with the MIDANPIRG Procedural Handbook, the MIDAMC Steering Group (MIDAMC STG) is expected to review and update, as deemed necessary, its Terms of Reference (TORs) and to decide on the dates and venue of its next meeting.

2. ACTION BY THE MEETING

2.1 The meeting is invited to:

- a) review and update, as deemed necessary, the MIDAMC STG Terms of Reference (TORs) at **Appendix A**; and
- b) agree on the dates and venue of the MIDAMC STG meeting.

MID-AMC Steering Group

1. TERMS OF REFERENCE (TOR)

1.1 The Terms of Reference of the MID-AMC Steering are:

- a) to promote the efficiency and safety of aeronautical fixed services in the MID Region through the operation and management, on a sound and efficient basis, of a permanent MID Regional ATS Messaging Management Center (MID-AMC);
- b) foster the implementation of the Air traffic service Message handling service in the MID Region through provision of the guidance materials and running facilitation tools, utilizing the MID-AMC;
- c) MID-AMC Steering Group will consist of a focal point from each Participating MID State who would represent the State and acts as the Steering Group Member;
- d) MID AMC Steering Group will be responsible for overall supervision, direction, evaluation of the MID-AMC project and will review/update the MID-AMC work plan whenever required; and
- e) provide regular progress reports to the CNS SG, ANSIG and MIDANPIRG concerning its work programme.

1.2 In order to meet the Terms of Reference, the MIDAMC Steering Group shall:

- a) Develop a credential procedure for all users on the MID-AMC;
- b) develop and maintain guidance materials for MID-AMC users;
- c) discuss and identify solution for operational problems may be arising;
- d) provide support/guidance to states for AMHS Implementation, and monitor the AMHS activities;
- e) assist and encourage states to conduct trial on Implementation of the ATS extended services, and identify operational requirements;
- f) identify the need for any enhancement for the MID AMC and prepare functional and technical specifications, and define its financial implications;
- g) follow-up on ICAO standards and recommendations on the ATS messaging management;

- h) define future liabilities and new participating States and ANSPs; and
- i) follow-up and review the work of similar groups in other ICAO Regions.

2. COMPOSITION

- a) ICAO MID Regional Office;
- b) Members appointed by the MIDANPIRG member States; and
- c) other representatives, who could contribute to the activity of the Steering Group , could be invited to participate as observers, when required .

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