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THIRTEENTH MEETING OF THE ASIA/PACIFIC AIR NAVIGATION PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION REGIONAL GROUP (APANPIRG/13) Bangkok, Thailand, 9 - 13 September 2002

Agenda Item 6: Develop Future Work Programme

FUTURE WORK PROGRAMME

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper presents proposals for the future work programme of APANPIRG and its contributory bodies for consideration by the Group.

1. Introduction

1.1 In accordance with the procedures of APANPIRG as set in its Procedural Handbook, at each of its meetings, the Group should endeavour to agree on the date and duration of its next meeting.

1.2 In order to allow the contributory bodies to review the various air navigation problems in the ASIA/PAC regions at regular intervals as may be required and recommend solutions, it was agreed that APANPIRG should meet once a year (APANPIRG/1 Report).

2. Discussion

2.1 It was agreed earlier that the future meetings of APANPIRG will be scheduled taking into consideration the ANC/Council programme, so that the review of APANPIRG reports by the ANC/Council could be achieved without delay, thus facilitating timely follow-up action by the States and the Secretariat.

2.2 APANPIRG/12 developed a tentative meeting schedule for 2002 and 2003. According to this APANPIRG/14 was scheduled to be held in September 2003. The meeting schedule of the contributory bodies were reviewed by the respective Sub-Groups and revised dates have been suggested.

2.3 The suggested schedule of meetings for 2003 and 2004 given below is based on the normal practice followed so far:

2003

CNS/ATM IC SG/10	March 2003	Bangkok
ATN Transition Task Force	7-11 April 2003	Shanghai
ATS/AIS/SAR SG/13	19-23 May 2003	Bangkok
CNS/MET SG/7	14-18 July 2003	Bangkok
APANPIRG/14 4-8 August 2003 Bangkok		

2004

ATN Transition Task Force	March 2004	Indonesia
ATS/AIS/SAR SG/14	May 2004	
CNS/MET SG/8	July 2004	
CNS/ATM ICSG/11	March 2004	
APANPIRG/15 August 2004		

(Concurrent meetings of SGs may be considered)

2.4 The Group may wish to develop a tentative agenda for APANPIRG/14 meeting.

3. Action by APANPIRG/13

3.1 The APANPIRG is invited to

- i) decide on the work programme of the Sub-Groups and agree on a schedule of meetings of the Group and the contributory bodies;
- ii) decide on the tentative agenda for the next meeting.

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