



International Civil Aviation Organization

**SEVENTEENTH MEETING OF THE METEOROLOGY
SUB-GROUP (MET SG/17) OF APANPIRG**

Bangkok, Thailand, 13 – 16 May 2013

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

- Agenda Item 1: Adoption of agenda
- Agenda Item 2: Election of Chairperson and Vice Chairperson
- Agenda Item 3: Review
- 3.1 follow-up actions on reports of the CNS/MET SG/16 and APANPIRG/23 meetings
 - 3.2 relevant Action Items of 49th DGCA Conference
 - 3.3 outcome of AN Conf/12 on related issues
 - 3.4 outcomes of meetings of other related Sub-Groups of APANPIRG
- Agenda Item 4: World Area Forecast System (WAFS)
- 4.1 WAFS TF activities
 - 4.2 current status of WAFS implementation
 - 4.3 WIFS & SADIS/SADIS Secure ftp
 - 4.4 gridded forecasts (icing, turbulence and CB) and visualization
 - 4.5 cessation of GRIB1
- Agenda Item 5: Regional Implementation of International Airways Volcano Watch (IAVW)
- Agenda Item 6: Regional Implementation of International Tropical Cyclone Watch (ITCW)
- Agenda Item 7: Meteorological advisories, warnings and hazards
- 7.1 review of MET/H TF/3 meeting
 - regional VA contingency plan
 - 7.2 implementations of advisories and warnings
 - aerodrome warnings (including tsunami)
 - SIGMET for radioactive clouds
 - wind shear alerts & warnings
 - space weather
 - 7.3 review METWSG SIGMET advisory
 - 7.4 SIGMET Guide

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- Agenda Item 8: OPMET (TAF, METAR, SPECI) Exchanges
- 8.1 review of ROBEX TF/11 meeting
 - 8.2 availability of OPMET data
 - 8.3 timeliness and regularity of OPMET exchange
 - 8.4 SIGMET tests
 - 8.5 VAAC & RODB backup tests
 - 8.6 update on ROBEX Handbook and ICD
 - 8.7 optimization of the RODB structure in the APAC region
 - 8.8 digital exchange of OPMET using XML/GML
- Agenda Item 9: Review of regional procedures contained in the ANP/FASID
- Agenda Item 10: MET support to ATM
- 10.1 review of relevant ICAO meetings (ATMRPP, MARIE-PT)
 - 10.2 MET/R TF/3 meeting and MET/ATM Seminar 2013
- Agenda Item 11: Other MET issues (e.g. QMS, Competency & Training)
- Agenda Item 12: Performance Framework
- Agenda Item 13: Review of deficiencies in the MET field (APANPIRG Deficiency List)
- Agenda Item 14: Any other business
