



## INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION

### FOURTH MEETING OF THE APIRG/RASG-AFI COORDINATION TASK FORCE (ARC-TF/4)

(Virtual Meeting, 25 October 2021)

#### **Agenda Item 2: Review of the terms of reference of the ARC-TF as amended by APIRG/23 & RASG-AFI/6 meetings**

*(Presented by Secretariat)*

#### SUMMARY

The paper presents the Terms of Reference (TOR) and Composition and Work Programme of the ARC-TF as endorsed by APIRG/23 & RASG-AFI/6 meetings and proposes review and update as necessary to cater for new developments.

**Action by the meeting is at paragraph 3**

#### **REFERENCE(S):**

- APIRG and RASG-AFI Procedural Handbooks
- ICAO Council Decision C-DEC 210/4

#### **Related ICAO Strategic Objective(s):**

- A** – *Safety,*
- B** – *Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency,*
- D** – *Economic Development of Air Transport, and*
- E** – *Environmental Protection.*

## 1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 The meeting may recall that in relation to the need to have an all-inclusive task force, the APIRG/23 and RASG-AFI/6 Joint session meeting agreed to expand the current ARC-TF membership from APIRG, RASG-AFI, AFCAC. In addition, it was recommended to reflect the amendments in the APIRG and RASG-AFI TORs and procedural handbooks.

## 2.0 DISCUSSION

2.1 Pursuant to the ICAO Council Decision C-DEC 210/4 and the outcomes of the APIRG/23 and RASG-AFI/6 Joint session meeting, APIRG and RASG-AFI Procedural Handbooks have been fine-tuned to the need of ARC-TF working mechanisms.

2.2 In accordance with normal practice within APIRG and RASG-AFI subsidiary bodies, the meeting may wish to review and update the terms of reference (TOR) of the ARC-TF as reflected in Appendix A to this working paper.

### **3.0 ACTION BY THE MEETING**

3.1 The meeting is invited to:

- a) note the information presented in this working paper; and
- b) review and update if necessary the terms of reference, the key functions, tasks, working arrangements and composition of the ARC-TF at **Appendix A** to this working paper in order to coordinate and guide planning and implementation activities within the framework of APIRG and RASG-AFI.

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