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**EIGHTH MEETING OF THE STEERING COMMITTEE OF THE REGIONAL
AVIATION SAFETY GROUP FOR AFRICA-INDIAN OCEAN (RASC/8).**

From 29 to 30 August 2022

Agenda Item 9: Proposed Draft Agenda for RASG-AFI/8

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY	
This working paper presents the Provisional Agenda for the 8 th Meeting of the Africa-Indian Ocean Regional Aviation Safety Group (RASG-AFI) for discussion.	
The action by the Meeting is in paragraph 3 .	
<i>Strategic Objectives</i>	This working paper relates to the Strategic Objectives A and D .

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 You may recall that the main purpose of the Regional Aviation Safety Group-Africa-Indian Ocean (RASG-AFI) is to develop and implement a work programme that supports a regional performance framework for the management of safety on the basis of the Global Aviation Safety Plan (GASP) and the Global Aviation Safety Roadmap (GASR).

1.2 This paper proposes elements of the draft Agenda for the Eighth meeting of the RASG-AFI, for discussion by the RASC.

2. DISCUSSION

2.1. The draft agenda for RASG-AFI/8 should be prepared by the Secretariat in line with the Air Navigation Commission's recommendation for a uniform approach to the formulation of the agenda for Regional Aviation Safety Groups (RASG) Meetings, following consultation between the ICAO ESAF and WACAF Regional Offices.

2.2 The proposed draft Agenda for discussion by the RASC meeting is provided as an **Attachment** to this working paper.

3 ACTION BY THE MEETING

3.1 The meeting is invited to review the proposed draft Agenda for RASG-AFI/8 as indicated in the **Attachment** to this Working Paper, and make proposals as required for consideration by the Secretariat.

Attachment

DRAFT AGENDA

ICAO Strategic objective(s)	Agenda Item	Subject
	1	Adoption of the Agenda and work Programme & Election of the Bureau
A, D and E	2	Review of the outcomes of the RASC/8 Meeting; and status of implementation of RASG-AFI/7 Conclusions and Decisions
A, D and E	3	Status of implementation of the GASP safety goals, targets and indicators including the priorities set in the regional safety plan
		3.1. Reports on RASG-AFI and its Contributory Bodies Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Status of implementation of the GASP safety goals, targets and indicators • Development/update of the Regional Aviation Safety Plan • Safety findings • Other Safety initiatives
		3.2. Safety enhancement initiatives (SEIs) linked to the associated GASP targets and indicators
A, B, D and E	4	Items for coordination with APIRG
A, D and E	5	Common implementation challenges identified amongst RASG members and possible solutions
A, D and E	6	Recommendations on actions or enhancements that would require consideration by the ANC and Council
A, D and E	7	Review of the Terms of Reference and the Future Work Programme of the RASG-AFI and its Contributory Bodies
A, D and E	8	Any Other Business

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Eighth Meeting of the Regional Aviation Safety Group for the AFI Region (RASG-AFI/8)

EXPLANATORY NOTES ON THE AGENDA ITEMS

Agenda Item	Subjects
1	<p>Adoption of the Agenda and work Programme</p> <p>Under this agenda item, the meeting will review the Agenda and work Programme.</p>
2	<p>Review of the outcomes of RASC/8 Meeting and status of implementation of RASG-AFI/7 Conclusions and Decisions</p> <p>The meeting will review the status of implementation of the Conclusions and Decisions of the Seventh Meeting of the RASG-AFI (RASG-AFI/7) as well as outcomes the RASC/8 Meeting.</p>
3	<p>Status of implementation of the GASP safety goals, targets and indicators including the priorities set in the regional safety plan</p> <p>3.1. Reports on RASG-AFI and its Contributory Bodies Activities</p> <p>The Group will review the Report of the RASG-AFI and its Contributory Bodies Activities and act on the proposed draft Conclusion/Decisions or other initiatives, as required. The Group will also discuss other relevant matters, if any raised by the States, the Secretariat, and the industry.</p> <p>3.2. Safety enhancement initiatives (SEIs) linked to the associated GASP targets and indicators</p> <p>The Group will discuss safety enhancement initiatives (SEIs) linked to the associated GASP targets and indicators undertaken in the region, as well as the appropriate mechanism used to measure their effectiveness</p> <p>3.3. Other Safety initiatives</p> <p>The Group will discuss the States and the Industry initiatives as well as other Safety matters, if any raised.</p>
4	<p>Items for coordination with APIRG</p> <p>The Group will identify and discuss items for coordination with the APIRG and provide a concise summary of the outcome of related discussions.</p>
5	<p>Common implementation challenges identified amongst RASG members and possible solutions</p> <p>The Group will identify common implementation challenges identified amongst RASG members and discuss possible solutions as well as assistance required and estimated timelines to resolve, if applicable.</p>
6	<p>Recommendations on actions or enhancements that would require consideration by the ANC</p>

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	<p>and Council</p> <p>The Group will identify and recommend particular actions or enhancements that would require consideration by the ANC and Council to address particular challenges, including the need for amendment proposals to global provisions and guidance materials submitted by States.</p> <p>The Meeting will also provide feedback on implementation issues and actionable recommendations to the ICAO Council to continually improve future editions of the GASP that identify regional safety objectives and priorities to ensure proper focus on emerging safety concerns.</p>
7	<p>Review of the Terms of references and the Future Work Programme of the RASG-AFI and its Contributory Bodies</p> <p>The meeting will review and endorse its ToRs and the draft RASG-AFI Work Programme for 2023. The Work Programme will be updated and adjusted according to the deliberations and outcomes of RASG-AFI/8 meeting.</p>
8	<p>Any Other Business (AOB)</p> <p>Under this agenda item, the Meeting will discuss any other matters considered appropriate, which could not be addressed under the preceding Agenda Items</p>