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**COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARD 3.10.1  
ANNEX 9**

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# ANNEX 9: STANDARD 3.10.1



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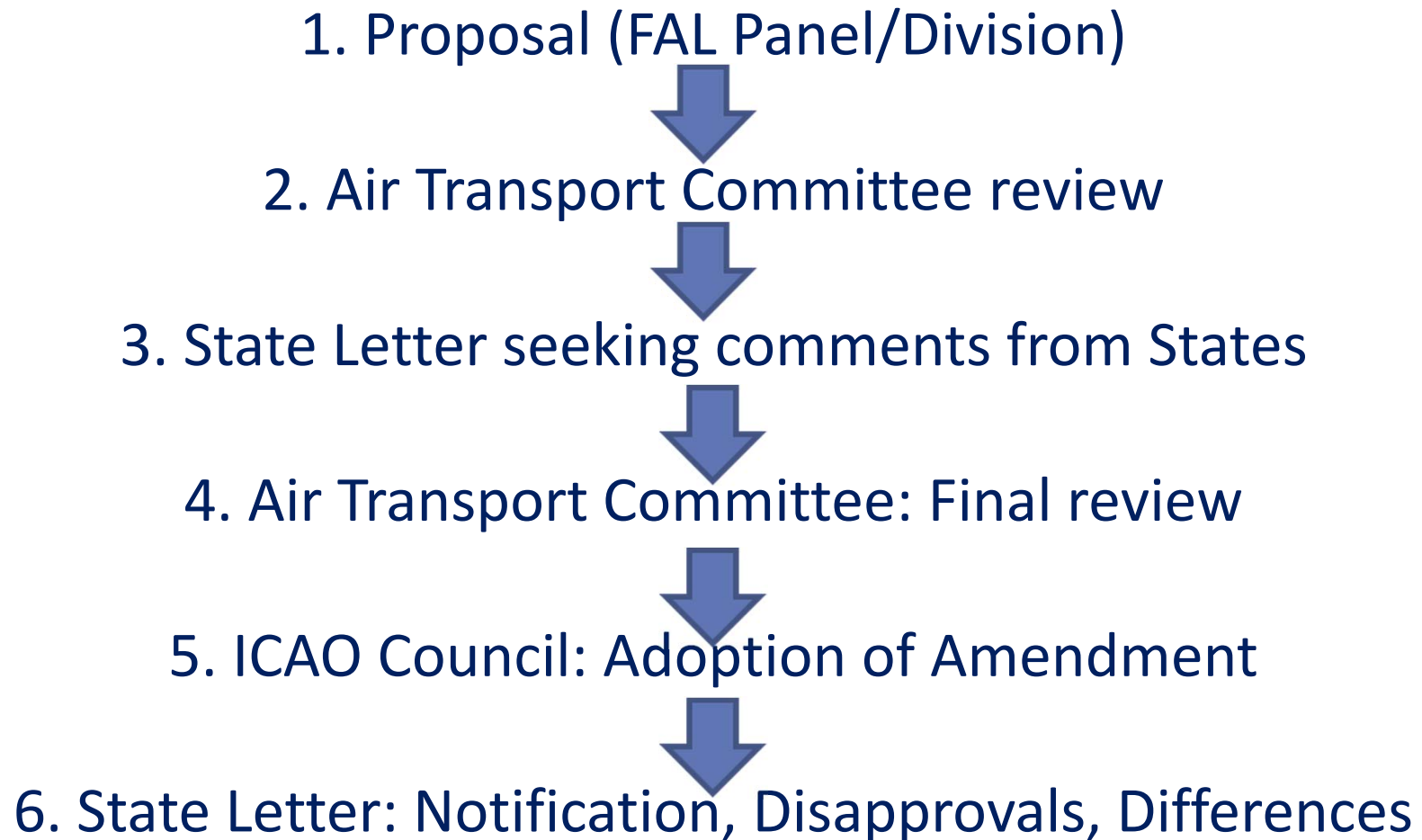
→ **Standard 3.10.1 of Annex 9**

# COMPLIANCE WITH 3.10.1: OVERVIEW



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## 1. Proposal: FAL/12 (Cairo, 2004)

→ 1 April 2010 deadline for MRP-issuance

## 2. ATC Review: States to issue MRPs as soon as possible

→ anti-terrorism

→ security of air travel system

→ all persons have same access to modern, efficient facilities at border controls

→ **non-MRP long-validity**: universal possession of MRPs realized much later than 2010



# 1. HISTORY OF 3.10.1

## 3. State Letter (July 2004): FAL/12 proposals + ATC's views

### → **Need for an additional provision?**

- date after which non-machine readable passports would no longer be valid for travel; or,
- deadline by which all persons holding non-MRPs would have to replace them with new MRPs before travelling

## 4. ATC (2005: Final review): “Sunset” date

→ RP: States should encourage its nationals holding passports that are not machine readable, to apply for new MRPs by 1 April 2015



# 1. HISTORY OF 3.10.1

5. Council (2005) compromise on:

a) 1 April 2010 deadline for MRPs

→ Standard 3.10

b) 24 Nov 2015 phase-out of non-MRPs

→ Standard 3.10.1



# 1. HISTORY OF 3.10.1

For passports issued after 24 November 2005 and which are not machine readable, Contracting States shall ensure the expiration date falls before 24 November 2015 [“phase out” of non-MRPs]

6. State Letter (2005): “Particular attention” drawn to new Standards concerning the universal issuance of Machine Readable Passports (MRPs).



## 2. STATE LETTER EC6/3-12/70



- ICBWG/TAG-MRTD:

- a) raise awareness; b) ensure States have adequate time to comply with Standard

- State Letter dated 31 December 2012

- Brief background of issue

- Governments urged to invite citizens holding non-MRPs to apply for MRPs

- Questionnaire: gather information on worldwide application of 3.10.1 – determine action to promote implementation

## 2. STATE LETTER EC6/3-12/70



### QUESTIONNAIRE

NAME OF STATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please circle the appropriate response.**

1. All *non-machine readable passports* have expired, or are due to expire, before 24 November 2015 ..... **Yes/No**

If the answer is “**Yes**”, please skip to Question 3.

2. If the answer to Question 1 is “**No**”, please respond to the following questions:

- 2.1 The number of non-machine readable passports in circulation beyond 24 November 2015 will be approximately .....
- 2.2 All non-machine readable passports are due to expire by (date) .....

### 3. STATUS OF RESPONSES (as of 20 Jan 2014)



REGION	TOTAL RESPONSES	Q1: YES	Q2: NO	REMARKS Q. 2.1/2.2
APAC	17/38	14	3	217/2016 1.5m/2020 -/2017
ESAF	6/24	6	—	—
EURNAT	26/56	25	1	300,000/2017
<b>MID</b>	<b>9/15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>
NACC	10/21	9	1	-/2017
SAM	3/13	3	—	—
WACAF	5/24	5	—	—
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>76/191</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>5</b>	

# WHAT NEXT?



Governments: Invite citizens holding non-MRPs to apply for MRPs

ICAO: 1. Promoting implementation: Seminars & other events

2. (Individual) Follow-up State Letter (?)

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QUESTIONS?