Interregional English Language Proficiency Workshop

(Kuwait, 9-11 November 2015)

Day 1 – Monday 9 November 2015

08:00 - 09:00	**Registration**	
09:00 – 09:30	**Introduction** **Welcome & Opening** *Documentary film about Kuwait*	MC: Mohamed Smaoui For President, Kuwait DGCA, Eng.Emad F Aljluwi, Assistant Undersecretary of the Ministry Deputy Director General of Civil Aviation for Aviation Safety & Air Transport Affairs) Mohamed Khonji, ICAORD, MID Luis Fonseca de Almeida ICAORD EUR/NAT
Group Photo – 15 minutes		
09:45 – 10:30	**The case for Safety:** the development of ICAO Language Proficiency Requirements (LPRs)	**"ICAO Language Proficiency Requirements (LPRs) – from 1996 to now"** Nicole Barrette ICAO/ANB, Technical Specialist (Training and Licensing Standards) Operational Safety Section.
10:30 – 11:00	**The case for Mobility:** Recruiting globally, Harmonization and mutual recognition of language proficiency.	**"ICAO Level 6, Global Harmonization and the Role of Native Speakers"** William Agius Chairperson of the Research Subgroup of the NGAP Initiative, Zürcher Hochschule für Angewandte Wissenschaften, LPRI TF member.
Coffee Break – 30 minutes		
11:30 – 12:00	**Regulator view on ICAO Language Proficiency Implementation**	**"Implementing ICAO LPR for Air Traffic Controllers in Malaysia"** Ms Tay Siew-Huang, DCA Malaysia.
12:00 – 12:30	**Panel session** **Questions and Answers**	Moderator: Mohamed Smaoui
Coffee Break – 30 minutes		
13:00 – 13:30	**Supporting the regulator:** Identifying best practice in LPR testing models.	**"Challenges, risks and solutions to inter-regional LPR standardization"** Michael Kay, ICAEA President.
13:30-14:00		**"Identifying best practice in LPR testing models. A cross rating project case study"** Ben Rimron, TEA Manager, Mayflower College, UK.
14:00 – 14:30	**Questions and Answers** **Conclusions and preparation for Day 2**	Moderator: Mohamed Smaoui
Lunch		

Day 2 – Tuesday 10 November 2015

09.00 - 09.15	Welcome & Introduction	MC: Mohamed Smaoui
09.15 – 09:30	**View from the user**	**"LPR Implementation – The Challenge for the General Aviation"** Philippe HAUSER, IAOPA, LPRI TF member.
09:30 – 10:00		**"Training and testing, different expectations in different regions"** Allen Onu-Njoku, Director, CalmICE Jakarta, Indonesia.
Coffee Break – 30 minutes		
10:30 – 11:00	**Sustaining language proficiency:** effective and efficient development, training and testing.	**"Pilots perspective"** Yousef Hashmi, Deputy Chief Theoretical Knowledge Instructor, Horizon Flight Academy, UAE.
11:00-11:30		**"ATC perspective"** Kaj Christensen, Head of Training GAL/ANS Training Center, UAE.
11:30-12:00		**"Requirements for an ICAO compliant ELP Test"** Rachele Zito RMIT University, Melbourne, Australia and Pieke Satijn, EUROCONTROL, ELPAC service manager, LPRI TF Member.
12:00 – 12:30	**Panel session** **Questions and Answers**	Moderator: Sarantis Poulimenakos
Coffee Break – 30 minutes		
13:00 – 14:15	**Workshop 1: Assessing controller/pilot communication**	**"Do you know what Level 4 is? Assessing pilot/controller communication"** Adrian Enright, ICAEA Vice President and Gabor Sipos, Hungarocontrol, LPRI TF members
14:15 – 14:30	**Questions and Answers** **Conclusions and preparation for Day 3**	Moderator: Sarantis Poulimenakos
Lunch		

Day 3 – Wednesday 11 November 2015

09:00 - 09:15	Welcome & Introduction	MC: Mohamed Smaoui
09:15 -10:00	**Tools to support the global implementation of the LPR.**	"ICAO/I-HELPP introduction" Nicole Barrette, ICAO/ANB Technical Specialist (Training and Licensing Standards) Operational Safety Section.
Coffee Break – 30 minutes		
10:30 - 11:30	**Workshop 2**	**"Selecting ICAO LPR testing systems: A look at the test instrument"** Michael Kay, President ICAEA
11:30 - 12:15	**Workshop 3**	**"LPR test recognition by ICAO"** Pieke Satijn, EUROCONTROL ELPAC service manager, LPRI TF Member and Rachele Zito, RMIT University, Melbourne, Australia.
12:15 – 13:00	**Discussion Panel**	**ICAO HQ - EUROCONTROL – RMIT - ICAEA** Moderator: George Firican
Coffee Break – 30 minutes		
13:00 – 14:00	**Conclusions and closing Ceremony**	Moderator: George Firican
Lunch		