

International Civil Aviation Organization

# **MID Annual Safety Report Team**

Second Meeting (MID-ASRT/2) (Cairo, Egypt, 4 – 5 February 2018)

# Agenda Item 2: Work Programme

## FOLLOW-UP ON THE RASG-MID/6 CONCLUSIONS AND DECISIONS

(Presented by the Secretariat)

#### **SUMMARY**

This paper presents the status of the RASG-MID/6 Conclusions and Decisions and the follow-up actions taken by the concerned parties.

Action by the meeting is at paragraph 3.

## REFERENCES

- RASG-MID/6 Report

#### 1. Introduction

1.1 The RASG-MID/6 meeting was hosted by Bahrain Civil Aviation Affairs, 26-28 September 2017. The meeting adopted 10 Conclusions and 6 Decisions.

## 2. DISCUSSION

2.1 An updated follow-up action plan on RASG-MID/6 Conclusions and Decisions is at **Appendix A**.

## 3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

3.1 The meeting is invited to note the status and follow-up actions on the outcome of RASG-MID/6 meeting and take actions, as appropriate.

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APPENDIX A

FOLLOW-UP ON RASG-MID/6 CONCLUSIONS AND DECISIONS

CONCLUSIONS AND DECISIONS	CONCERNS/ CHALLENGES (RATIONALE)	DELIVERABLE/ To be initiated by		TARGET DATE	STATUS/REMARKS
Conclusion 6/1: Global Aviation Safety Plan (Gasp)					Actioned
That, States:  a) be requested to establish a national aviation safety plan, including goals and targets consistent with the MID Region Safety Strategy, and in line with the GASP objectives, including the global aviation safety roadmap, and based on their operational safety needs; and  b) be invited to provide ICAO feedback on the new global aviation safety roadmap and suggestions for the future 2020 -2022 edition of the GASP via email to		State Letter Feedback	ICAO	Nov. 2017  March 2018	SL ME4-17/305 dated 2 November 2017. (No replies yet)
GASP@icao.int, by March 2018.  CONCLUSION 6/2: SAFETY MANAGEMENT IMPLEMENTATION					Actioned
That States, regional and international organizations are invited to share tools and examples, which support effective safety management implementation, to be considered for posting on the ICAO safety management implementation website.		State Letter	ICAO	Jan. 2018	SL ME4-18/027 dated 25 January 2018 (No replies yet)

CONCLUSIONS AND DECISIONS	Concerns/ Challenges (rationale)	DELIVERABLE/ TO BE INITIATED BY		TARGET DATE	STATUS/REMARKS
CONCLUSION 6/3: REGIONAL SAFETY OVERSIGHT ORGANIZATIONS					Actioned
That, States support:					
a) the proposed global strategy and action plan to improve RSOOs; and		Supporting the proposed global strategy	RASG-MID	Sept. 2017	
b) the conduct of a study related to the proposed global aviation safety oversight system (GASOS).		Study related to the proposed GASOS)		TBD	The study will be shared
CONCLUSION 6/4: SHARING OF SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS					Ongoing
That,  a) States be urged to share their Safety Recommendations after investigation of accidents and incidents; and		State Letter	ICAO	Jan. 2018	SL ME4-18/028 dated 25 January 2018 (No replies yet)
b) MID-SST to coordinate with MID-ASRT, ICAO and stakeholders the development of a RASG-MID Safety Advisory to consolidate a set of safety recommendations addressing the Focus Areas and Emerging Risks in the MID Region.		RSA	MID-SST MID-ASRT ICAO Stakeholders	TBD	

Conclusions and Decisions	Concerns/ Challenges (rationale)	DELIVERABLE/ To be initiated by		TARGET DATE	STATUS/REMARKS
CONCLUSION 6/5: ADOPTION OF ISAGO AND IGOM FOR GROUND HANDLING OPERATIONS					Actioned
That, States be invited to:  a) encourage airlines and aerodrome operators to implement the procedures contained in the IATA Ground Operations Manual (IGOM) for harmonization purpose and to improve safety of Ground Handling Operations; and		State Letter	ICAO	Jan. 2018	SL ME4-18/028 dated 25 January 2018 (No replies yet)
b) use the IATA Safety Audit for Ground Operations (ISAGO) as a source of safety data which provide complementary information for the safety oversight activities of ground handling operations services.					
CONCLUSION 6/6: DEVELOPMENT OF ADDITIONAL GROUND HANDLING OPERATIONS PROVISIONS					Ongoing
That, ICAO be invited to consider the development of additional Ground Handling Operations provisions.		Additional Ground Handling Operations provisions	ICAO	TBD	
CONCLUSION 6/7: EXPANSION OF THE RSP SCOPE					Ongoing
That, ICAO be invited to consider the expansion of the ICAO Runway Safety Programme (RSP) scope to include the movement area (including aprons).		Expansion of the ICAO RSP scope	ICAO	TBD	

CONCLUSIONS AND DECISIONS	Concerns/ Challenges (rationale)	DELIVERABLE/ To be initiated by		TARGET DATE	STATUS/REMARKS
DECISION 6/8: DISSOLUTION OF THE AIA WG					Completed
That,  a) the AIA WG is dissolved; and		Dissolution of the AIA WG	RASG-MID	Sept. 2017	
b) the RASG-MID Organizational Structure contained in the RASG-MID Procedural Handbook be amended accordingly.					
DECISION 6/9: REVISED TERMS OF REFERENCE (TORS) OF THE MID-ASRT					Ongoing
That, considering the dissolution of the AIA WG:		State Letter	ICAO	Dec. 2017	SL ME4-17/306 dated 2 November 2017 (ASRT Members) (Replies: Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Jordan,
a) the MID-ASRT develop revised version of its Terms of References (TORs) for review and endorsement by the RSC; and					Oman, Saudi Arabia, UAE, IFATCA & IFALPA)
b) face-to-face meetings of the MID-ASRT be organized on an annual basis.		Revised TORs	RASG-MID	June 2018	

CONCLUSIONS AND DECISIONS	CONCERNS/ CHALLENGES (RATIONALE)	DELIVERABLE/ TO BE INITIATED BY		TARGET DATE	STATUS/REMARKS
Conclusion 6/10: Accident and Serious Incidents Final Reports					Actioned
That,		State Letter	ICAO	Jan. 2018	SL ME4-18/025 dated 25 January 2018
a) States be urged to comply with Annex 13 provisions related to the release of Final Reports on accidents and serious incidents; and					(No replies yet)
b) for the accidents and serious incidents involving aircraft of a maximum mass over 5700 kg, a copy of the Final Report should be sent to the ICAO HQ and MID Regional Office.					
CONCLUSION 6/11: SHARING OF INCIDENTS ANALYSES					Actioned
That, States be invited to present to the ASRT/1 meeting their analyses related to the following top 5 areas of concern:		State Letter	ICAO	Nov. 2018	SL ME 4–17/306 dated 2 November 2017 (No replies yet)
<ol> <li>Near midair Collision (NMAC)-TCAS RA</li> <li>Loss of Separation</li> <li>Take off Clearance with Runway in use</li> <li>Wake Turbulence –Encountered</li> <li>Callsign Confusion</li> </ol>		Safety Data Analyses	States	Feb. 2018	(No repues yet)
DECISION 6/12: RASG-MID SAFETY ADVISORY - WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL					Completed
That, the RASG-MID Safety Advisory (RSA/13) on Wildlife Management and Control at <b>Appendix 3I</b> is endorsed and be published by the ICAO MID Office.		RSA	RASG-MID	Sept. 2017	SL ME 4–17/292 dated 23 October 2017  - RASG-MID Safety Advisory-13 (RSA-13) has been posted on the ICAO MID website.

CONCLUSIONS AND DECISIONS	CONCERNS/ CHALLENGES (RATIONALE)	DELIVERABLE/ To be initiated by		TARGET DATE	Status/Remarks
DECISION 6/13: AMENDED RASG-MID SAFETY ADVISORY/12 – LASER ATTACK SAFETY GUIDELINES					Completed
That, the revised version of the RASG-MID Safety Advisory (RSA/12) on Laser Attacks at <b>Appendix 3J</b> is endorsed and be published by the ICAO MID Office.		RSA-Rev. 1	RASG-MID	Sept. 2017	SL ME 4–17/291 dated 23 October 2017 RASG-MID Safety Advisory-12 (RSA- 12) is available on the ICAO MID website.
CONCLUSION 6/14: REVISED MID REGION SAFETY STRATEGY  That, the revised version of the MID Region Safety Strategy at Appendix 3N is endorsed.		MID Region Safety Strategy (Edition 5)	RASG-MID	Sept. 2017	Completed
DECISION 6/15: RASG-MID SAFETY ADVISORY (RSA)—WAKE TURBULENCE IN THE RVSM AIRSPACE  That, a RASG-MID Safety Advisory (RSA) on Wake Turbulence in the RVSM Airspace, be developed by ICAO, UAE and IATA, taking into consideration UAE safety alert 2017-10 dated 5 July 2017; and other existing practices.		RSA	ICAO UAE IATA	TBD	Ongoing
DECISION 6/16: RASG-MID SAFETY ADVISORY-04 (RSA 04)  That, the revised RSA-04 related to call sign confusion at Appendix 5B is endorsed.		RSA	RASG-MID	Sept. 2017	Completed