



International Civil Aviation Organization

ATN Seminar and Third ATN Transition Task Force Meeting

Singapore, 26-30 March 2001

Agenda Item 7: Review the Subject/Task List of the ATN Transition Task Force.

TERMS OF REFERENCE (TOR) AND SUBJECT/TASK LIST OF THE ATN TRANSITION TASK FORCE

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper presents the TOR and the Subject/Task List of the ATN Transition Task Force for review.

1. Introduction

- 1.1 The Eleventh Meeting of the APANPIRG held in Bangkok from 2 to 6 October 2000 in its Decision 11/17 approved the proposal made by the Second Meeting of the ATN Transition Task Force to delete item No.5 from the task list relating to the ATS Direct Speech Circuit, as States were carrying out this task on a bilateral basis and there was no need to develop a connectivity plan for the region. The status of progress made in completing the Tasks was also updated.
- 1.2 The TOR and Subject/Task List of the ATN Transition Task Force approved by APANPIRG/11 is provided in Attachment 1 for review.

2. Discussions

- 2.1 The APANPIRG/11 reviewed a number of key priorities for CNS/ATM implementation and updated the list of priority areas. It may be recalled that the APANPIRG/9 in its Decision 9/40 had agreed to incorporate the priority area into the work programme of Sub-Groups concerned. The APANPIRG/11 also recognized that, where possible, items entered as Key Priorities should have definitive target dates and avoid the use of the term “on going”. It was further recognized that the target dates should be realistic. The key

priorities in the ATN/AFS field, which concern this Task Force and the CNS/MET Sub - Group, are as follows :

a) **ATN Transition**

The development of ATN Transition Plan is required.

Milestone:	2001
Sub-Group:	CNS/MET
	ATN Transition Task Force
Status:	Under Development

b) **Incorporation of CNS/ATM Material into Basic ANP/FASID**

To reflect regional agreement for the implementation of CNS/ATM facilities and services and the determination of priorities for financing.

Target date :	on - going
Sub-Groups :	All
Status:	CNS/ATM material not yet mature enough for incorporation into FASID

TITLE AND TERMS OF REFERENCE

TITLE: **ATN Transition Task Force**

TERMS OF REFERENCE:

Plan for implementation of the Aeronautical Telecommunication Network (ATN) in the ASIA/PAC region to meet performance and capacity requirements of CNS/ATM Systems. The planning also addresses the ongoing development of the AFS including digital speech communication.

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Subject/Tasks List of the ATN Transition Task Force

No.	Ref.	Task	Priority	Action Proposed/In Progress	Target
1	RAN/3 C 10/12 C 10/11d	Subject: ATN Transition Guidance Material Task: Develop Regional ATN Transition Guidance Material.		1) Development of detailed guidance material.	Completed
2	RAN/3 C 10/11d	Subject: ATN Transition Plan Task: Develop an ATN Transition Plan to provide seamless transition to ATN.	A	1) Develop Ground Transition Plan taking into account Air-to-Ground aspects. 2) Develop a set of planning documents covering: i) ATN Regional Routing Architecture ii) ATN Naming and Addressing Conventions, and iii) Documentation of the Assigned ATN Names and Addresses.	2001
3		Subject: ATN major elements. Task: Provide performance and functional requirements of ATN.	A	1) Develop ATN Technical Documents. - <i>Security</i> - <i>Performance</i> - <i>System Management</i>	2002
4	RAN/3 C 10/11b	Subject: AFTN related issues Task: Review operation of AFTN.	B	1) Evaluate and review the effect of increases or decreases in capacity and network changes, on circuit loading. 2) Plan network changes for support of OPMET and AIS databases, automated VOLMET broadcast.	On going 2003
5		Subject: Planning and implementation information in ANP. Task: Develop G/G part of the CNS FASID.	A	1) Development of detail description for the existing tables and Charts for the G/G part of the CNS FASID.	2001