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**Sixth North American, Central American and Caribbean Working Group Meeting (NACC/WG/6)**  
On-line, 25 to 27 August 2021, 09:00 to 13:00 (UTC-5)

**Agenda Item 1: Review and approval of the Agenda, Working Method and Schedule of the Meeting**

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND SCHEDULE**

(Presented by the Secretariat)

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This working paper presents a summary of the execution of certain relevant activities for the development of the meeting and the provisional agenda for the review, discussion and approval by the meeting,

<b>Action:</b>	Suggested action is presents in Section 2.
<i>Strategic Objectives:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency</li><li>• Environmental Protection</li></ul>

**1. Introduction**

1.1 The North American, Central American and Caribbean Working Group Meeting includes all air navigation areas and is one of the most important meetings were issues regarding regional implementation and the scope of regional objectives are addressed for the benefit of the NAM/CAR States and their operations with other regions.

1.2 The NACC/WG/06 meeting was planned for 2020, however, due to the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic it had to be postponed and carried-out on-line from this date.

1.3 This meeting is relevant due that during its development Conclusions and Decisions that will update actions of different air navigation activities will be taken.

1.4 For the development of this meeting the provisional agenda and its schedule will be approved, as well as its working method. In this regard, a NACC/WG/06 meeting President will be elected, being the turn of a representative of the Central American region, according to the planning of this meeting. The elected President will be responsible for leading this meeting.

1.5 The Task Forces of the NAM/CAR Air Navigation implementation Task Force are responsible of the regional implementation tasks and the rapporteurs of this groups are:

1. SURV; Task Force for the implementation of the automatic dependent surveillance – broadcast (ADS- B OUT)  
Rapporteur: Mr. Carlos Jiménez  
<https://www.icao.int/NACC/Pages/regional-group-ADSB.aspx>
2. AIDC: Task Force for the implementation of AIDC (Air Traffic Services Inter-facility Data Communication)  
Rapporteur: Mr. Fernando Casso  
<https://www.icao.int/NACC/Pages/regional-group-AIDC.aspx>
3. AIM Task Force: Task Force for the implementation of Aeronautical Information Management (AIM)  
Rapporteur: Mrs. Natasha Leonora-Belefanti  
<https://www.icao.int/NACC/Pages/regional-group-AIM.aspx>
4. Task Force for the implementation of search and rescue (SAR)  
Rapporteur: Mr. Calvin Zúniga  
<https://www.icao.int/NACC/Pages/regional-group-SAR.aspx>
5. Task Force for the implementation of Air traffic flow management (ATFM)  
Rapporteur: Mr. Greg Byus  
<https://www.icao.int/NACC/Pages/regional-group-ATFM.aspx>
6. Task Force for the implementation of the Aviation System Block Upgrade (ASBU)  
Rapporteur: Mrs. Midori Tanino  
<https://www.icao.int/NACC/Pages/regional-group-asbu.aspx>
7. Task Force on the application of the performance-based navigation (PBN) air navigation concept  
Rapporteur: Mr. Riaaz Mohammed  
<https://www.icao.int/NACC/Pages/regional-group-PBN.aspx>

**2. Suggested action**

2.1 The meeting is invited to consider and approve the Provisional Agenda and its Explanatory Note presented in the **Appendix A**, and the schedule that is proposed in the **Appendix B**.

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**APPENDIX A  
PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

**Agenda Item 1: Review and approval of the Agenda, Working Method and Schedule of the Meeting**

- 1.1 Election of the Chairperson and Vice Chairperson of the Meeting
- 1.2 Introduction of the Rapporteurs of the Task Forces of the NAM/CAR Air Navigation Implementation Group (ANI/WG)
- 1.3 Adoption of the Agenda, work method and Schedule of the Meeting

**Agenda Item 2: Follow-up on Valid Conclusions and Previous Agreements of the NACC/WG, GREPECAS, NACC/DCA and Other Related Meetings**

- 2.1R Review of the valid conclusions/decisions of the NACC/WG, the ANI/WG, the NACC/DCA and the GREPECAS (PPRC) Meetings
- 2.2 Progress in Air Navigation (AN) issues by the NACC Systemic Assistance Programme (SAP)
- 2.3 Follow-up to GREPECAS improvements and AN Projects (AIM, ATM, AGA, CNS, MET and SAR).

**Agenda Item 3: Status of the Region Concerning the COVID-19 Pandemic**

- 3.1 Special Aviation Recovery Team (CART)
- 3.2 Follow-up to NACC Regional Actions to Recover from COVID 19
- 3.3 COVID-19 Response and Recovery Implementation Centre (CRRIC)

**Agenda Item 4: Implementation of Air Navigation Issues**

- 4.1 New version 6 of the Global Air Navigation Plan (GANP)
- 4.2 Safety initiatives to be supported by the implementation of ANS
- 4.3 Progress status of the Air Navigation Plans (ANP) Vol. I and Vol. II
- 4.4 Development of the Air Navigation Plan (ANP) Volume III
- 4.5 Air Navigation Indicators/metrics (Dashboard) initiative
- 4.6 Regional Contingency Plans
- 4.7 Integration of the ANI/WG Meeting to the NACC/WG Meeting
- 4.8 Emerging technologies and new regional challenges

**Agenda Item 5: Other Business**

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**PROVISIONAL AGENDA  
EXPLANATORY NOTES**

**Agenda Item 1: Review and approval of the Agenda, Working Method and Schedule of the Meeting**

Under this Agenda Item, the Meeting will review and adopt the agenda, working methodology and work schedule. The objectives and general expectations of the meeting will be presented.

**Agenda Item 2: Follow-up on Valid Conclusions and Previous Agreements of the NACC/WG, GREPECAS, NACC/DCA and Other Related Meetings**

Under this Agenda Item, the Meeting will monitor the valid conclusions and decisions of previous meetings, highlighting their importance in air navigation and the implementation in the regions, according to the different air navigations areas. In addition, the Meeting will discuss about a new project to cover air navigation objectives.

**Agenda Item 3: Status of the Region Concerning the COVID-19 Pandemic**

Under this Agenda Item, the Meeting will review information about the process of recovery of aviation due to the COVID-19 pandemic, ICAO documentation and tools to support States in the recovery process.

**Agenda Item 4: Implementation of Air Navigation Issues**

Under this Agenda Item, the meeting will discuss about the new Global Air Navigation Plan (GANP) version 6, the project development by the ICAO NACC Regional Office and other air navigation Implementation matters.

**Agenda Item 5: Other Business**

Under this Agenda Item, other emerging issues during the meeting will be discussed.

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**APPENDIX B  
SCHEDULE**

	<b>Wednesday 25 August 2021</b>	<b>Thursday 26 August 2021</b>	<b>Friday 27 August 2021</b>
<b>09:00 – 09:30</b>	<i>Opening</i>	Agenda Item 3	Agenda Item 5
<b>09:30 – 10:30</b>	Agenda Item 1		
<b>10:30 – 10:50</b>	COFFEE BRAKE		
<b>10:50 – 12:00</b>	Agenda Item 2	Agenda Item 3	Review of the draft report
<b>12:00 – 12:20</b>	COFFEE BRAKE		
<b>12:20 – 12:50</b>	Agenda Item 2	Agenda Item 4	

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