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African Flight Procedure Programme

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PROPOSAL FOR THE AFPP PHASE II

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper provides information about the AFPP activities conducted during the Phase I (2014/2017) and draft framework to launch a study for a renewal of the Programme for a Phase II (2017/2020).

Action by the Steering Committee is indicated in item 3.

Reference AFPP Programme Document

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1. The Flight Procedure Programme for AFI Region was launched by the ICAO State letter AN 11/45.2.1-13/18 dated 28 February 2013.
- 1.2. This letter was distributed accordingly to a Letter of Intent signed by ICAO, ASECNA as Host Administration and DGAC France as first sponsor on 20 November 2012 to support the launch of the Programme.
- 1.3. The Programme goal was to focus mainly on the implementation of PBN operations in African States but will also address the needs of those States regarding conventional procedures.
- 1.4. The Programme Document of the African Flight Procedure Programme (AFPP), was adopted by African States representatives during a Seminar in Dakar, Senegal in March 2014.
- 1.5. Twenty (20) African States became Member States during an official signature ceremony on the margins of the AFI Aviation Safety Symposium in Dakar, Senegal on 27 and 28th May 2014. Twenty-Six (26) States are to date Members of the AFPP.
- 1.6. The official start of the AFPP operations was given in 2nd June 2014 for a three-year period.
- 1.7. The AFPP activities were conducted during Years 2014 and 2015 regarding the AFPP Programme Document, the Work Programme and the Budget approved by the AFPP Steering Committee during its first meeting held on 16-17th December 2014 in Nairobi, Kenya. The activities will be conducted in 2016 and 2017 according to the Work Programme approved by the AFPP SCs.

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2. **DISCUSSION**

2.1. Introduction

2.1.1. According to the activities and projection of the AFPP during the 2014/2017 period, it would be potentially continued after 2017 and the Programme renewed for a three-year period (2017/2020) as presented in the 2013 ICAO State Letter.

2.2. AFPP Phase II Task Force to study renewal

- 2.2.1. To study the possible renewal of the African Flight Procedure Programme for a three-year period (2017/2020), a Task Force (AFPP/TF) would be created.
- 2.2.2. The Terms of Reference are presented in the Attachment A.

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 3.1. The meeting is invited to:
 - a) Note the information contained in this working paper and the Attachment A; and
 - b) Approve the creation of the AFPP Phase II TF to assess the feasibility for renewal of the AFPP for a second three-year term, named Phase II.