

# CAFSAT II

Implementing through ICAO's  
Technical Cooperation Programme

# Project Objective

- Establish a multinational mechanism for the administration of the CAFSAT Network

# Expected Results

- all operating nodes of the CAFSAT transferred
- States will count with a multinational mechanism
- ATM/CNS applications agreed by the States put into practice
- interconnection of the communications networks of neighboring regions will have been achieved

# Project Strategy

- Establish an institutional agreement to operate and manage the CAFSAT network (i.e. through an ICAO regional project)
- Project coordination by TCB through permanent Project Administrator
- Regional Offices (ROs): support in the monitoring of technical and operational aspects
- ROs: official channel for communications

# Main Project Activities

- Elaborate a proposal for the establishment of a multinational mechanism for the administration of the network
- Plan and administer the regional development of CNS/ATM, as per the Plan of Implementation of the PBN System
- Procure, install, commission and maintain new CAFSAT II digital network

# Advantages of the Project

- Under the auspices of ICAO
  - Neutral
  - Objective
  - Transparent
- Experience in similar projects
  - MEVA (I, II, III) (RLA12902)
  - AFISNET
  - REDDIG (I, II) (RLA03901)
  - APAC CRVFN

# Advantages of the Project (con't)

- Contract awarded under UN-based procurement rules
- Technical backstopping by Regional Offices and other ICAO experts
- Permanent CAFSAT network administrator recruited through ICAO
- Project risks minimized through established mitigating controls