

INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION

Sixth Meeting of the Africa-Indian Ocean Planning and Implementation Regional Group Projects Coordination Committee (APCC/6)

Virtual, 11 October 2021

Agenda Item 3: Terms of Reference (TOR) and Composition of the APCC

(Presented by Secretariat)

SUMMARY

The paper presents the Terms of Reference (TOR) and Composition and Work Programme of the APCC as endorsed by the APIRG and proposes review and update as necessary to cater for new developments.

Action by the meeting is at paragraph 3

REFERENCE(S):

- APIRG Procedural Handbook
- ICAO Council Decision C-DEC 210/4

Related ICAO Strategic Objective(s):

- \mathbf{A} Safety,
- **B** Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency,
- **D** Economic Development of Air Transport, and
- \mathbf{E} Environmental Protection.

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 The meeting may recall that the APIRG/23 meeting noted with particular attention the volume of material proposed for addition to the APIRG handbook and terms of reference; and decided to publish a new edition of the **APIRG Procedural Handbook** instead of a revision; the objective being to comply with the decision C-DEC 210/4 aimed at enhancing and improving the performance and expected results.

2.0 DISCUSSION

2.1 Pursuant to the ICAO Council Decision C-DEC 210/4 stated several points for enhancing the PIRGS and RASGs, APIRG Procedural Handbook has been fine-tuned to the need of groups working mechanisms. Consequently, the **APIRG Procedural Handbook** is under the final stage of its review and should be published by the end of this year.

2.2 The Group will recall that the APIRG/23 Meeting reviewed and updated its work programme. In accordance with normal practice within APIRG subsidiary bodies, the meeting may wish to review and update the terms of reference (TOR) of the APCC as reflected in Appendix A to this working paper.

3.0 ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 3.1 The meeting is invited to:
 - a) note the information presented in this working paper; and
 - b) review and update if necessary the terms of reference, the key functions, tasks, working methods and composition of the APCC at **Appendix A** to this working paper in order to coordinate and guide planning and implementation activities within the framework of APIRG.

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